

CHAPTER NO. 270

HOUSE BILL NO. 209

INTRODUCED BY LUND

IN THE HOUSE

January 17, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education and Cultural Resources.
February 12, 1979	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
February 13, 1979	Second reading, do pass.
February 14, 1979	Considered correctly engrossed.
February 15, 1979	Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house.

IN THE SENATE

February 16, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education.
March 10, 1979	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 13, 1979	Second reading, concurred in.
March 15, 1979	Third reading, concurred in.

IN THE HOUSE

March 16, 1979	Returned from second house. Concurred in. Sent to enrolling. Reported correctly enrolled.
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