

SENATE BILL NO. 281

INTRODUCED BY MAZUREK, BOYLAN

BY REQUEST OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

IN THE SENATE

JANUARY 28, 1989	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION & CULTURAL RESOURCES.
	FIRST READING.
FEBRUARY 6, 1989	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.
FEBRUARY 7, 1989	PRINTING REPORT.
FEBRUARY 8, 1989	SECOND READING, DO PASS.
FEBRUARY 9, 1989	ENGROSSING REPORT.
FEBRUARY 10, 1989	THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 48; NOES, 0.
	TRANSMITTED TO HOUSE.

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FEBRUARY 10, 1989	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION & CULTURAL RESOURCES.
FEBRUARY 20, 1989	FIRST READING.
MARCH 2, 1989	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
MARCH 4, 1989	SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.
MARCH 6, 1989	THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 95; NOES, 0.
	RETURNED TO SENATE.

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MARCH 7, 1989	RECEIVED FROM HOUSE.
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SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

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2 INTRODUCTION BY Sen. Bill No. 281
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