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HOUSE BILL No. 1028

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Citations Affected: IC 20-6.1.

Synopsis: Evaluation of school principals. Provides that a school principal's employment may not be terminated because of the ISTEP scores of the students who are enrolled at the principal's school. Allows ISTEP scores to be considered as an indicator in determining whether to initiate a comprehensive evaluation of a principal's performance.

Effective: Upon passage.

Smith V, Klinker, Ayres

January 8, 2001, read first time and referred to Committee on Education.
February 19, 2001, reported — Do Pass.
February 22, 2001, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 20-6.1-4-17.4 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
3 [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 17.4. (a) A principal's**
4 **employment contract may not be terminated based on the**
5 **standardized test scores under IC 20-10.1-16 of the students**
6 **enrolled at the principal's school. However, the ISTEP program**
7 **test scores under IC 20-10.1-16 of the students enrolled at a**
8 **principal's school may be considered as an indicator in**
9 **determining whether to initiate a comprehensive evaluation of a**
10 **principal's overall performance at the school.**
11 SECTION 2. **An emergency is declared for this act.**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill 1028, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

PORTER, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 9, nays 1.

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HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1028 be amended to read as follows:

Page 1, line 3, delete "The evaluation of a" and insert "**(a) A principal's employment contract may not be terminated based on the standardized test scores under IC 20-10.1-16 of the students enrolled at the principal's school. However, the ISTEP program test scores under IC 20-10.1-16 of the students enrolled at a principal's school may be considered as an indicator in determining whether to initiate a comprehensive evaluation of a principal's overall performance at the school**".

Page 1, delete lines 4 through 6.

(Reference is to House Bill 1028 as introduced.)

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