

LEGISLATIVE BILL 850

Approved by the Governor April 16, 2008

Introduced by Erdman, 47.

FOR AN ACT relating to education; to amend section 79-1232, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for and change provisions relating to insurance coverage for members of any school board, board of education, learning community coordinating council, or educational service unit board; to repeal the original section; and to outright repeal section 79-502, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. The school board or board of education of any Class I, II, III, IV, V, or VI school district may permit its members to participate in the school district's hospitalization, medical, surgical, accident, sickness, or term life insurance coverage or any one or more of such coverages. A board member electing to participate in the insurance program of the school district shall pay both the employee and the employer portions of the premium for such coverage.

A school board or board of education which opts to permit its members to participate in insurance coverage under this section shall report quarterly at a board meeting the board members who have elected such coverage. Such a report shall be made available in the school district office for review by the public upon request.

Sec. 2. A learning community coordinating council may permit members of such council to participate in the learning community's hospitalization, medical, surgical, accident, sickness, or term life insurance coverage or any one or more of such coverages. A learning community coordinating council member electing to participate in the insurance program of the learning community shall pay both the employee and the employer portions of the premium for such coverage.

A learning community coordinating council which opts to permit its members to participate in insurance coverage under this section shall report quarterly at a council meeting the council members who have elected such coverage. Such a report shall be made available in the learning community office for review by the public upon request.

Sec. 3. Section 79-1232, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read:

79-1232 The board of any educational service unit may provide its members with permit its members to participate in the educational service unit's hospitalization, medical, surgical, accident, sickness, or term life insurance coverage or any one or more of such coverages. A board member electing to participate in the insurance program of the educational service unit shall pay both the employee and the employer portions of the premium for such coverage.

An educational service unit board which opts to permit its members to participate in insurance coverage under this section shall report quarterly at a board meeting the board members who have elected such coverage. Such a report shall be made available in the educational service unit office for review by the public upon request.

Sec. 4. Original section 79-1232, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.

Sec. 5. The following section is outright repealed: Section 79-502, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.