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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 601**

Introduced by Bloomfield, 17; Groene, 42; Haar, 21; Kintner, 2; Morfeld,  
46.

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Committee: Education

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to school boards; to amend section 79-544,
- 2 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to prohibit a board member and
- 3 an immediate family member from being employed with the school
- 4 district as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 79-544, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is  
2 amended to read:

3 79-544 (1) No member of a school board shall be engaged in a  
4 contract to teach pursuant to sections 79-817 to 79-821 or be employed in  
5 any other capacity with the school district which he or she serves as a  
6 board member.

7 (2) No immediate family member of a school board member shall be  
8 employed by the school district during the time in which the school board  
9 member serves on such board. For purposes of this subsection, immediate  
10 family member means the school board member's spouse, children, parents,  
11 stepchildren, and stepparents.

12 Sec. 2. Original section 79-544, Reissue Revised Statutes of  
13 Nebraska, is repealed.