

SENATE BILL No. 44

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 20-28-5-25.

Synopsis: Professional growth experience points. Provides that a person renewing a practitioner license or an accomplished practitioner license may obtain professional growth experience points through the completion of one or more certain activities. (Current law provides that 15 of the total number of professional growth experience points required to renew a practitioner license or an accomplished practitioner license must be obtained through the completion of one or more certain activities.)

Effective: Upon passage.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2019 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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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 20-28-5-25, AS ADDED BY P.L.143-2019,
2 SECTION 20, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 25. (a) This section applies to a professional
4 growth plan that begins after July 1, 2019.
5 (b) ~~Fifteen (15) of the total number of~~ **A person renewing a**
6 **practitioner license or an accomplished practitioner license may**
7 **obtain** professional growth experience points ~~required to renew a~~
8 ~~practitioner license or an accomplished practitioner license must be~~
9 ~~obtained~~ through the completion of one (1) or more of the following:
10 (1) An externship with a company.
11 (2) Professional development provided by the state, a local
12 business, or a community partner that provides opportunities for
13 schools and employers to partner in promoting career navigation.
14 (3) Professional development provided by the state, a local
15 business, or a community partner that outlines the:
16 (A) current and future economic needs of the community,
17 state, nation, and globe; and



1 (B) ways in which the current and future economic needs
2 described in clause (A) can be disseminated to students.
3 **(4) Any other activities as determined by the state board.**
4 **SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.**

