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SENATE

S.B. 21
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Introduced by Senators Holsclaw, O'Connor, Camping, Koory

AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTION RELATING TO THE NATURE AND EFFECTS OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND NARCOTIC AND DANGEROUS DRUGS ON THE HUMAN SYSTEM, AND AMENDING SECTION 15-1023, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES.

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Legislative intent

3 The legislature intends by this act to strengthen and ex-
4 pand the existing course of instruction in common and high
5 schools which emphasizes and insures desirable health habits,
6 attitudes and knowledge of the effects of alcohol and narcotics
7 upon the physical, mental and emotional development of persons
8 by including in such course the same instruction on the nature
9 and effects of tobacco and dangerous drugs, including the plant
10 cannabis and all substances and parts of the plant.

11 Sec. 2. Section 15-1023, Arizona Revised Statutes, is
12 amended to read:

13 15-1023. Instruction on alcohol, tobacco and
14 narcotic and dangerous drugs

15 A. Instruction on the nature AND EFFECTS of alcohol, and
16 ~~narcotics-and-their-effects~~ TOBACCO, NARCOTIC DRUGS AND OTHER
17 DANGEROUS DRUGS, INCLUDING THE PLANT CANNABIS AND ALL SUBSTANCES
18 AND PARTS OF THE PLANT, on the human system shall be included in
19 the courses of study in ~~grade~~ COMMON and high schools. The in-
20 struction may be combined with health, science, citizenship or
21 similar studies.

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1 3. The state board of education ~~may-errare~~ SHALL PROVIDE
2 THE FOLLOWING for USE IN carrying out the provisions of this
3 section: ~~by-lecture-or-educational-films.~~
4 1. A COURSE OF STUDY FOR INSTRUCTION.
5 2. A SYSTEM OF IN-SERVICE TRAINING FOR TEACHERS.
6 3. A LIST OF AVAILABLE FILMS AND OTHER TEACHING AIDS.
7 C. FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SECTION, THE DEFINITIONS OF
8 "CANNABIS" AND "NARCOTIC DRUGS" AS DEFINED IN SECTION 36-1001,
9 AND "DANGEROUS DRUG" AS DEFINED IN SECTION 32-1901, PARAGRAPH
10 9, SHALL BE APPLICABLE TO THIS SECTION.