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House Amendment 1717

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1 1 Amend House File 890 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 9, line 4, by striking the figure <2006>
1 3 and inserting the following: <2007>.
1 4 #2. Page 9, line 4, by striking the figure <2007>
1 5 and inserting the following: <2008>.
1 6 #3. Page 9, line 22, by striking the figure <2006>
1 7 and inserting the following: <2007>.
1 8 #4. Page 9, line 22, by striking the figure <2007>
1 9 and inserting the following: <2008>.
1 10 #5. Page 10, line 1, by striking the figure <2006>
1 11 and inserting the following: <2007>.
1 12 #6. Page 10, line 1, by striking the figure <2007>
1 13 and inserting the following: <2008>.
1 14 #7. Page 10, line 33, by striking the figure
1 15 <2006> and inserting the following: <2007>.
1 16 #8. Page 10, line 33, by striking the figure
1 17 <2007> and inserting the following: <2008>.
1 18 #9. Page 11, line 22, by striking the figure
1 19 <2006> and inserting the following: <2007>.
1 20 #10. Page 11, line 22, by striking the figure
1 21 <2007> and inserting the following: <2008>.
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House Amendment 1718

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1 1 Amend House File 889 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 4, by inserting after line 16 the
1 3 following:
1 4 <e. The total of the shared operational functions
1 5 supplementary weighting funding calculated for all
1 6 districts under paragraphs "a" and "b", shall not
1 7 exceed three million one hundred thousand dollars for
1 8 the school year beginning July 1, 2008. The director
1 9 of the department of management shall distribute the
1 10 funds to districts based on the order the applications
1 11 for funds are received by the department and not on a
1 12 prorated basis.>
1 13 #2. By renumbering, redesignating, and correcting
1 14 internal references as necessary.
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House Amendment 1719

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1 1 Amend Senate File 447, as amended by the Senate, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 4, by inserting after line 16 the
1 4 following:
1 5 <e. The total of the shared operational functions
1 6 supplementary weighting funding calculated for all
1 7 districts under paragraphs "a" and "b", shall not
1 8 exceed three million one hundred thousand dollars for
1 9 the school year beginning July 1, 2008. The director
1 10 of the department of management shall distribute the
1 11 funds to districts based on the order the applications
1 12 for funds are received by the department and not on a
1 13 prorated basis.>
1 14 #2. By renumbering, redesignating, and correcting
1 15 internal references as necessary.
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1 1 Amend Senate File 447, as passed by the Senate, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 2, line 3, by inserting after the words
1 4 <school district.> the following: <The supplementary
1 5 weighting in this paragraph shall be calculated using
1 6 the state regular program foundation base.>
1 7 #2. Page 2, line 30, by inserting after the word
1 8 <year.> the following: <The supplementary weighting
1 9 in this paragraph shall be calculated using the state
1 10 regular program foundation base.>
1 11 #3. Page 3, line 26, by inserting after the figure
1 12 <2008.> the following: <The supplementary weighting
1 13 in this paragraph shall be calculated using the
1 14 special education support services foundation base.>
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1 20 ak/gg/6851
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1 1 Amend House File 889 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 2, line 3, by inserting after the words
1 3 <school district.> the following: <The supplementary
1 4 weighting in this paragraph shall be calculated using
1 5 the state regular program foundation base.>
1 6 #2. Page 2, line 30, by inserting after the word
1 7 <year.> the following: <The supplementary weighting
1 8 in this paragraph shall be calculated using the state
1 9 regular program foundation base.>
1 10 #3. Page 3, line 26, by inserting after the figure
1 11 <2008.> the following: <The supplementary weighting
1 12 in this paragraph shall be calculated using the
1 13 special education support services foundation base.>
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1 17 DEYOE of Story
1 18 HF 889.501 82
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1 1 Amend Senate File 530 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 7 the
1 3 following:
1 4 <Sec. _____. Section 543B.60A, Code 2007, is amended
1 5 by adding the following new subsection:
1 6 NEW SUBSECTION. 9. A licensee or person licensed
1 7 in another state or foreign country who conducts
1 8 business in this state or refers business to a
1 9 licensee in this state shall disclose in writing to
1 10 the consumer and to the licensee to whom they are
1 11 referring business, the name of the consumer being
1 12 referred, the name of the referring company, and the
1 13 amount of compensation they are receiving for the
1 14 referral. This subsection shall not affect or
1 15 restrict business practices relating to payment
1 16 methods between listing and selling brokerages, and
1 17 shall be applicable strictly to properties containing
1 18 at least one but not more than four dwelling units.>
1 19 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 23 WISE of Lee
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1 1 Amend Senate File 203, as passed by the Senate, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, line 2, by striking the word
1 4 <subsection> and inserting the following:
1 5 <subsections>.
1 6 #2. Page 1, by inserting after line 13, the
1 7 following:
1 8 <NEW SUBSECTION. 15. Any vessel used to violate a
1 9 provision of this section is a public nuisance and may
1 10 be seized by the director, the director's officers, or
1 11 any peace officer without warrant or process. A
1 12 vessel seized under this subsection shall be safely
1 13 secured and stored by the public agency which caused
1 14 its seizure and returned to the owner on October 1
1 15 following the date of the seizure.>
1 16 #3. Title page, line 1, by striking the words
1 17 <requiring certain children to wear> and inserting the
1 18 following: <relating to the operation of watercraft,
1 19 including requirements for wearing>.
1 20 #4. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 24 BAUDLER of Adair
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1 1 Amend Senate File 203, as passed by the Senate, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, line 2, by striking the word
1 4 <subsection> and inserting the following:
1 5 <subsections>.
1 6 #2. Page 1, by inserting after line 13 the
1 7 following:
1 8 <NEW SUBSECTION. 15. An operator of a motorboat
1 9 or sailboat on the navigable waters of this state or a
1 10 passenger on such a vessel shall not possess on the
1 11 vessel an open or unsealed bottle, can, jar, or other
1 12 receptacle containing an alcoholic beverage.>
1 13 #3. Title page, line 1, by striking the words
1 14 <requiring certain children to wear> and inserting the
1 15 following: <relating to the operation of watercraft,
1 16 including requirements for wearing>.
1 17 #4. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 21 BAUDLER of Adair
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1 1 Amend Senate File 203, as passed by the Senate, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, line 2, by striking the word
1 4 <subsection> and inserting the following:
1 5 <subsections>.
1 6 #2. Page 1, by inserting after line 13, the
1 7 following:
1 8 <NEW SUBSECTION. 15. A person shall not operate a
1 9 vessel while alone on the waters of this state under
1 10 the jurisdiction of the commission unless the person
1 11 is wearing a type I, II, III, or V personal flotation
1 12 device, including a "float coat" that meets this
1 13 definition, that is approved by the United States
1 14 coast guard, while the vessel is under way.>
1 15 #3. Title page, line 1, by striking the words
1 16 <requiring certain children to wear> and inserting the
1 17 following: <relating to the operation of watercraft,
1 18 including requirements for wearing>.
1 19 #4. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 23 BAUDLER of Adair
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1 25 av/es/9182
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House Amendment 1726

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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1598, to Senate File 554, as
1 2 amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate, as
1 3 follows:
1 4 #1. Page 2, by striking lines 16 through 35 and
1 5 inserting the following:
1 6 <6. If a competitive cable service provider or a
1 7 competitive video service provider has obtained a
1 8 certificate of franchise authority to operate within a
1 9 municipality, and has offered cable or video service
1 10 to at least fifteen percent of the households in that
1 11 municipality, an incumbent cable provider in that
1 12 municipality may apply for a certificate of franchise
1 13 authority for that municipality.>>
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1 1 Amend House File 876 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 1, line 8, by inserting after the word
1 3 <environment.> the following: <The department of
1 4 human rights shall ensure that individuals providing
1 5 the training have documented experience in conducting
1 6 sensitivity programs.>
1 7 #2. Page 1, line 14, by inserting after the word
1 8 <thereafter.> the following: <If a state agency does
1 9 not have a deputy, the head of that state agency shall
1 10 designate a person with supervisory authority in that
1 11 agency who shall be required to attend the program.>
1 12 #3. Title page, lines 1 and 2, by striking the
1 13 words <heads of state agencies> and inserting the
1 14 following: <state agency heads and deputies>.
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1 1 Amend the amendment H=1719, to Senate File 447, as
1 2 passed by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, line 1, by striking the word <amended>
1 4 and inserting the following: <passed>.
1 5 #2. Page 1, line 5, by striking the words <shared
1 6 operational functions>.
1 7 #3. Page 1, by striking line 7 and inserting the
1 8 following: <districts and area education agencies
1 9 under this subsection shall not>.
1 10 #4. Page 1, line 11, by striking the words <to
1 11 districts>.
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1 15 RAECKER of Polk
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House Amendment 1729

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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1718, to House File 889, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, line 4, by striking the words <shared
1 4 operational functions>.
1 5 #2. Page 1, by striking line 6 and inserting the
1 6 following: <districts and area education agencies
1 7 under this subsection shall not>.
1 8 #3. Page 1, line 10, by striking the words <to
1 9 districts>.
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1 13 RAECKER of Polk
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House Amendment 173

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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 39 the
1 5 following:
1 6 <<Sec. _____. Section 257.31, Code 2007, is amended
1 7 by adding the following new subsection:
1 8 NEW SUBSECTION. 18. Subject to appropriation of
1 9 sufficient funds by the general assembly, the school
1 10 budget review committee shall establish a grant
1 11 assistance program and application process to provide
1 12 one-time grants to eligible school districts for
1 13 purposes of adding one or more teacher librarians
1 14 pursuant to section 256.11, subsection 9, one or more
1 15 guidance counselors pursuant to section 256.11,
1 16 subsection 9A, or one or more school nurses pursuant
1 17 to section 256.11, subsection 9B.
1 18 a. The committee shall establish criteria to be
1 19 used in evaluating the applications for grant
1 20 assistance submitted by school districts in accordance
1 21 with this subsection. The criteria shall include but
1 22 is not limited to requirements that an eligible school
1 23 district have a cash reserve of twenty-five percent or
1 24 less and a demonstrated need for the funding.
1 25 b. A professional support fund is created in the
1 26 state treasury to be administered by the school budget
1 27 review committee for purposes of this subsection.
1 28 Notwithstanding section 8.33, any balance in the fund
1 29 on June 30 of any fiscal year shall not revert to the
1 30 general fund of the state but shall remain available
1 31 to the committee for purposes of this subsection.
1 32 Notwithstanding section 12C.7, any interest and
1 33 earnings on investments from money in the fund shall
1 34 be credited to the fund.>
1 35 #2. Page 3, by striking lines 20 and 21 and
1 36 inserting the following: <education, the use and
1 37 distribution of the professional>.>
1 38 #3. Page 3, by inserting after line 41 the
1 39 following:
1 40 <#_____. Page 15, line 34, by striking the words
1 41 <four hundred> and inserting the following:
1 42 ~~hundred~~.
1 43 #</strike>_____. Page 16, line 7, by inserting after the
1 44 figure <256.45> the following: <and not less than one
1 45 million dollars shall be deposited in the professional
1 46 support fund created pursuant to section 257.31,
1 47 subsection 18, as enacted by this Act>.>
1 48 #4. Page 6, by inserting after line 17 the
1 49 following:
1 50 <#_____. Page 29, by striking line 14 and inserting



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2 1 the following: ~~<173,943,894>~~.
2 2 ~~#~~ Page 29, by striking line 16 and inserting
2 3 the following: ~~<248,943,894>~~.>
2 4 #5. By renumbering, relettering, or redesignating
2 5 and correcting internal references as necessary.
2 6 SF 277.S
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House Amendment 1730

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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1598, to Senate File 554, as
1 2 amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate, as
1 3 follows:
1 4 #1. Page 2, line 17, by striking the word
1 5 <receives> and inserting the following: <applies
1 6 for>.
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1 11 SF 554.711 82
1 12 rn/gg/9343
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1 1 Amend Senate File 554, as amended, passed, and
1 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 15, by inserting after line 11 the
1 4 following:
1 5 <Sec. _____. NEW SECTION. 477A.11A CONSUMER
1 6 PROTECTION STUDY == ANNUAL REPORT.
1 7 The office of consumer advocate shall conduct an
1 8 assessment of the consumer impact of the enactment of
1 9 this Act. The assessment shall include but not be
1 10 limited to the number and nature of consumer
1 11 complaints received by the office, the office of the
1 12 attorney general, and other agencies or political
1 13 subdivisions; an analysis of the impact on competition
1 14 in the provision of cable service and video service
1 15 across the state; and conclusions regarding impact on
1 16 rates or pricing for the provision of cable service
1 17 and video service. The office shall solicit public
1 18 input in conducting the assessment. The assessment
1 19 shall include recommendations for changes in the Act's
1 20 provisions which would benefit consumers. The first
1 21 assessment shall be provided to the members of the
1 22 general assembly by January 1, 2008, with subsequent
1 23 assessments provided by January 1 annually through
1 24 January 1, 2011.>
1 25 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 29 KELLEY of Black Hawk
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1 1 Amend Senate File 554, as amended, passed, and
1 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 5 the
1 4 following:
1 5 <Sec. ____ . Section 476.55, subsection 2, Code
1 6 2007, is amended by striking the subsection.>
1 7 #2. Page 14, by inserting after line 35 the
1 8 following:
1 9 <4. A cable service provider or video service
1 10 provider shall not engage in unlawful discrimination
1 11 in relation to the establishment of rates.
1 12 a. A cable service provider or video service
1 13 provider shall be prohibited from subsidizing its
1 14 lower rate offerings with rates paid by customers in
1 15 higher rate exchange areas. Any person who provides
1 16 cable service pursuant to a franchise granted under
1 17 this chapter shall be prohibited from selling such
1 18 service or a bundle of services that includes cable
1 19 service or video services at a price that is more than
1 20 two hundred percent of the lowest price that provider
1 21 charges for a functionally equivalent service or
1 22 bundle of services to another customer in this state.
1 23 A cable service provider or video service provider
1 24 that offers a price to a customer in the franchised
1 25 area in violation of this subsection shall be deemed
1 26 to have engaged in predatory pricing. If the lowest
1 27 price meets a bona fide price offered to a customer in
1 28 the franchised area by an unrelated or unaffiliated
1 29 competitor, such price shall not be used to determine
1 30 a violation of this subsection.
1 31 b. A cable service provider or video service
1 32 provider found by a court of competent jurisdiction to
1 33 have failed to materially comply with this subsection
1 34 shall be subject to the following:
1 35 (1) An injunction ordering compliance with this
1 36 subsection.
1 37 (2) For each franchised area in which a violation
1 38 occurs, a civil penalty in an amount not exceeding ten
1 39 thousand dollars.
1 40 c. If the court finds that the noncompliance with
1 41 this subsection has resulted in a loss of customers to
1 42 a competitive provider, the injured provider may bring
1 43 a civil action on behalf of the customer or customers
1 44 seeking recovery of damages.
1 45 d. If the court finds that noncompliance with this
1 46 subsection has resulted in a loss of customers to a
1 47 competitive cable service provider or competitive
1 48 video service provider, the injured competitive cable
1 49 service provider or competitive video service provider
1 50 may bring a civil action to recover the consequential



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2 1 damages of economic loss suffered by the injured
2 2 provider as a result of the loss of customers who
2 3 changed to a noncompliant competitive cable service
2 4 provider or noncompliant competitive video service
2 5 provider while that noncompliant provider was in
2 6 violation of this subsection.>
2 7 #3. Page 15, by inserting after line 14 the
2 8 following:
2 9 <Sec. _____. NEW SECTION. 551.1A. UNFAIR
2 10 DISCRIMINATION IN LOCAL EXCHANGE RATES.
2 11 1. A telecommunications provider holding a
2 12 certificate of public convenience and necessity for
2 13 providing local telecommunications services under
2 14 section 476.29 and offering local exchange services in
2 15 this state shall be prohibited from selling such
2 16 services or a bundle of services including such
2 17 services at a price that is more than two hundred
2 18 percent of the lowest price that provider charges for
2 19 functionally equivalent services or a bundle of
2 20 services including equivalent services to another
2 21 customer in this state. A telecommunications provider
2 22 that offers a price to a customer in violation of this
2 23 subsection shall be deemed to have engaged in
2 24 predatory pricing. If the lowest price meets a bona
2 25 fide price offered to a customer in the local exchange
2 26 by an unrelated or unaffiliated competitor, such price
2 27 shall not be used to determine a violation of this
2 28 subsection.
2 29 2. A telecommunications provider found by a court
2 30 of competent jurisdiction to have failed to materially
2 31 comply with this section shall be subject to the
2 32 following:
2 33 a. An injunction ordering compliance with this
2 34 section.
2 35 b. For each franchised area in which a violation
2 36 occurs, a civil penalty in an amount not exceeding ten
2 37 thousand dollars.
2 38 3. If the court finds that the noncompliance with
2 39 this section has resulted in a loss or damage to a
2 40 customer, a person or class of persons may bring a
2 41 civil action on behalf of the customer or customers
2 42 seeking recovery of damages.
2 43 4. If the court finds that noncompliance with this
2 44 section has resulted in a loss of customers to a
2 45 competitive telecommunications service provider, the
2 46 injured telecommunications service provider may bring
2 47 a civil action to recover the consequential damages of
2 48 economic loss suffered by the injured provider as a
2 49 result of the loss of customers who changed to a
2 50 noncompliant telecommunications service provider while



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3 1 that noncompliant provider was in violation of this
3 2 section.>
3 3 #4. By renumbering as necessary.
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House Amendment 1733

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1 1 Amend House File 874, as amended, passed, and
 1 2 reprinted by the House, as follows:
 1 3 #1. Page 14, by striking line 24 and inserting the
 1 4 following:
 1 5 <..... FTEs 398.03>
 1 6 #2. Page 17, by inserting after line 27 the
 1 7 following:
 1 8 <Sec. ____ . STATE EMPLOYEE TELECOMMUTING == POLICY
 1 9 DEVELOPMENT == IMPLEMENTATION.
 1 10 1. The director of a department or state agency to
 1 11 which appropriations are made pursuant to the
 1 12 provisions of this Act shall assess the extent to
 1 13 which job classifications or individual employment
 1 14 positions with the department or agency might be
 1 15 effectively performed from an employee's residence or
 1 16 other remote location through telecommuting, thereby
 1 17 increasing office space within the department or
 1 18 agency and reducing administrative costs. The
 1 19 assessment shall include an estimate of the number of
 1 20 department or agency employees whose job
 1 21 responsibilities could be effectively performed on a
 1 22 telecommuting basis, projected costs of establishing
 1 23 and maintaining work stations at an employee's
 1 24 residence or other remote location and providing
 1 25 telecommuter support, anticipated savings to the
 1 26 department or agency through a reduction in the
 1 27 office-based workforce, and anticipated time and cost
 1 28 savings to telecommuting employees. A report
 1 29 summarizing the assessment shall be submitted to the
 1 30 director of the department of administrative services,
 1 31 and the members of the general assembly, by November
 1 32 1, 2007.
 1 33 2. Based on the assessment conducted pursuant to
 1 34 subsection 1, the director shall develop a
 1 35 telecommuter employment policy for the department or
 1 36 agency and a timeline for initial policy
 1 37 implementation and plans for expanding the number of
 1 38 telecommuting employees. Specific office-based
 1 39 workforce reduction percentages shall be left to the
 1 40 discretion of the director, but the director shall
 1 41 implement a policy by January 1, 2008. The director
 1 42 shall report to the director of the department of
 1 43 administrative services and the members of the general
 1 44 assembly on an annual basis beginning January 1, 2009,
 1 45 the number of telecommuting employees, cost savings
 1 46 achieved by the department or agency, and plans for
 1 47 continued transfer of office-based employees to
 1 48 telecommuter status.>
 1 49 #3. By renumbering as necessary.
 1 50 HF 874.S



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House Amendment 1734

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1 1 Amend Senate File 264, as amended, passed, and
1 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 31, the
1 4 following:
1 5 <___. Notwithstanding any provision of this
1 6 chapter to the contrary, venue for any action to
1 7 establish, enforce, or modify visitation under this
1 8 section shall be in the county where either parent
1 9 resides if no final custody order determination
1 10 relating to the grandchild or great-grandchild has
1 11 been entered by any other court. If a final custody
1 12 order has been entered by any other court, venue shall
1 13 be located exclusively in the county where the most
1 14 recent final custody order was entered. If any other
1 15 custodial proceeding is pending when an action to
1 16 establish, enforce, or modify visitation under this
1 17 section is filed, venue shall be located exclusively
1 18 in the county where the pending custodial proceeding
1 19 was filed.
1 20 ___. Notice of any proceeding to establish,
1 21 enforce, or modify visitation under this section shall
1 22 be personally served upon all parents of a child whose
1 23 interests are affected by a proceeding brought
1 24 pursuant to this section and all grandparents or
1 25 great-grandparents who have previously obtained a
1 26 final order or commenced a proceeding under this
1 27 section.
1 28 ___. The court shall not enter any temporary order
1 29 to establish, enforce, or modify visitation under this
1 30 section.
1 31 ___. An action brought under this section is
1 32 subject to chapter 598B, and in an action brought to
1 33 establish, enforce, or modify visitation under this
1 34 section, each party shall submit in its first pleading
1 35 or in an attached affidavit all information required
1 36 by section 598B.209.
1 37 ___. In any action brought to establish, enforce,
1 38 or modify visitation under this section, the court may
1 39 award attorney fees to the prevailing party in an
1 40 amount deemed reasonable by the court.
1 41 ___. If a proceeding to establish or enforce
1 42 visitation under this section is commenced when a
1 43 dissolution of marriage proceeding is pending
1 44 concerning the parents of the affected minor child,
1 45 the record and evidence of the dissolution action
1 46 shall remain impounded pursuant to section 598.26.
1 47 The impounded information shall not be released or
1 48 otherwise made available to any person who is not the
1 49 petitioner or respondent or an attorney of record in
1 50 the dissolution of marriage proceeding.>



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2 1 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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House Amendment 1735

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1 1 Amend House File 752, as passed by the House, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 4, by inserting after line 28 the
1 4 following:
1 5 <Sec. _____. STATE EMPLOYEE TELECOMMUTING == POLICY
1 6 DEVELOPMENT == IMPLEMENTATION.
1 7 1. The director of a department or state agency to
1 8 which appropriations are made pursuant to the
1 9 provisions of this Act shall assess the extent to
1 10 which job classifications or individual employment
1 11 positions with the department or agency might be
1 12 effectively performed from an employee's residence or
1 13 other remote location through telecommuting, thereby
1 14 increasing office space within the department or
1 15 agency and reducing administrative costs. The
1 16 assessment shall include an estimate of the number of
1 17 department or agency employees whose job
1 18 responsibilities could be effectively performed on a
1 19 telecommuting basis, projected costs of establishing
1 20 and maintaining work stations at an employee's
1 21 residence or other remote location and providing
1 22 telecommuter support, anticipated savings to the
1 23 department or agency through a reduction in the
1 24 office-based workforce, and anticipated time and cost
1 25 savings to telecommuting employees. A report
1 26 summarizing the assessment shall be submitted to the
1 27 director of the department of administrative services,
1 28 and the members of the general assembly, by November
1 29 1, 2007.
1 30 2. Based on the assessment conducted pursuant to
1 31 subsection 1, the director shall develop a
1 32 telecommuter employment policy for the department or
1 33 agency and a timeline for initial policy
1 34 implementation and plans for expanding the number of
1 35 telecommuting employees. Specific office-based
1 36 workforce reduction percentages shall be left to the
1 37 discretion of the director, but the director shall
1 38 implement a policy transferring some number of
1 39 office-based employees to telecommuter status by
1 40 January 1, 2008. The director shall report to the
1 41 director of the department of administrative services
1 42 and the members of the general assembly on an annual
1 43 basis beginning January 1, 2009, the number of
1 44 telecommuting employees, cost savings achieved by the
1 45 department or agency, and plans for continued transfer
1 46 of office-based employees to telecommuter status.>
1 47 #2. Title page, line 4, by inserting after the
1 48 word <fund> the following: <, and related matters>.
1 49 #3. By renumbering as necessary.
1 50 HF 752.S



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House Amendment 1736

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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1598, to Senate File 554, as
1 2 amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate, as
1 3 follows:
1 4 #1. Page 5, by striking lines 7 through 9 and
1 5 inserting the following:
1 6 <#____. Page 14, by striking lines 14 through 35
1 7 and inserting the following:
1 8 <3. A cable service provider or video service
1 9 provider operating under a certificate of franchise
1 10 authority that is using a cable system to provide
1 11 cable services or that is using telecommunication
1 12 facilities to provide video services shall, commencing
1 13 five years after initially obtaining a certificate of
1 14 franchise authority, and every three years thereafter,
1 15 increase by twenty percent the number of households in
1 16 any municipality in its franchise service area to
1 17 which it offers cable service or video service by the
1 18 beginning of the next three-year period, if it has in
1 19 the preceding three-year period offered cable service
1 20 or video service to at least fifteen percent of the
1 21 households in the municipality, until such cable
1 22 service provider or video service provider is capable
1 23 of providing cable service or video service to all
1 24 households in the municipality.>>
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House Amendment 1737

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1 1 Amend House File 890 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 7, by inserting after line 9 the
1 3 following:
1 4 <e. By January 1, 2008, the board shall submit
1 5 recommendations to the governor and the general
1 6 assembly regarding proposed tax incentives for
1 7 targeted small businesses.>
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House Amendment 1738

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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 39 the
1 5 following:
1 6 <<Sec. _____. Section 257.31, Code 2007, is amended
1 7 by adding the following new subsection:
1 8 NEW SUBSECTION. 18. Subject to appropriation of
1 9 sufficient funds by the general assembly, the school
1 10 budget review committee shall establish a grant
1 11 assistance program and application process to provide
1 12 one-time grants to eligible school districts for
1 13 purposes of adding one or more teacher librarians
1 14 pursuant to section 256.11, subsection 9, one or more
1 15 guidance counselors pursuant to section 256.11,
1 16 subsection 9A, or one or more school nurses pursuant
1 17 to section 256.11, subsection 9B.
1 18 a. The committee shall establish criteria to be
1 19 used in evaluating the applications for grant
1 20 assistance submitted by school districts in accordance
1 21 with this subsection. The criteria shall include but
1 22 is not limited to requirements that an eligible school
1 23 district have a cash reserve of twenty-five percent or
1 24 less and a demonstrated need for the funding.
1 25 b. A professional support fund is created in the
1 26 state treasury to be administered by the school budget
1 27 review committee for purposes of this subsection.
1 28 Notwithstanding section 8.33, any balance in the fund
1 29 on June 30 of any fiscal year shall not revert to the
1 30 general fund of the state but shall remain available
1 31 to the committee for purposes of this subsection.
1 32 Notwithstanding section 12C.7, any interest and
1 33 earnings on investments from money in the fund shall
1 34 be credited to the fund.>
1 35 #2. Page 3, by striking lines 20 and 21 and
1 36 inserting the following: <education, the use and
1 37 distribution of the professional>.>
1 38 #3. Page 3, by inserting after line 41 the
1 39 following:
1 40 <#_____. Page 15, line 34, by striking the words
1 41 <four hundred> and inserting the following:
1 42 ~~hundred~~.
1 43 #_____. Page 16, line 7, by inserting after the
1 44 figure <256.45> the following: <and not less than one
1 45 million dollars shall be deposited in the professional
1 46 support fund created pursuant to section 257.31,
1 47 subsection 18, as enacted by this Act>.>
1 48 #4. Page 6, by inserting after line 17 the
1 49 following:
1 50 <#_____. Page 29, by striking line 14 and inserting



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2 1 the following: <173,943,894>.
2 2 #__. Page 29, by striking line 16 and inserting
2 3 the following: <248,943,894>.>
2 4 #5. By renumbering, relettering, or redesignating
2 5 and correcting internal references as necessary.
2 6 SF 277.S
2 7 kh/cc/26



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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1680, to Senate File 485, as
1 2 passed by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 3, line 29, by inserting after the word
1 4 <year> the following: <and a person subject to
1 5 greenhouse gas emissions reduction requirements under
1 6 a scenario shall receive credit for any reductions in
1 7 greenhouse gas emissions achieved prior to the base
1 8 year>.
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House Amendment 1740

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1 1 Amend Senate File 554, as amended, passed, and
1 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 13, line 18, by inserting after the
1 4 figure <76.309> the following: <, and shall maintain
1 5 a local or toll-free telephone number for customer
1 6 service contact>.
1 7 #2. Page 13, by striking lines 23 through 27 and
1 8 inserting the following: <resolved through this
1 9 informal process, a municipality or a customer may, as
1 10 an exclusive and final remedy, request a confidential
1 11 binding arbitration by an arbitrator selected by the
1 12 parties, with the costs of arbitration assessed as
1 13 determined by the arbitrator.>
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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1598, to Senate File 554, as
1 2 amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate, as
1 3 follows:
1 4 #1. Page 1, by striking lines 42 and 43 and
1 5 inserting the following:
1 6 <#____. Page 3, line 28, by striking the words and
1 7 figures <on July 1, 2007> and inserting the following:
1 8 <under a franchise agreement in effect on the
1 9 effective date of this Act, or in effect within the
1 10 two=year period prior to the effective date of this
1 11 Act>.>
1 12 #2. Page 3, by inserting after line 4 the
1 13 following:
1 14 <#____. Page 9, line 13, by inserting after the
1 15 figure <1.> the following: <An incumbent cable
1 16 provider providing cable service to a municipality,
1 17 including public, educational, and governmental access
1 18 channels, on the effective date of this Act shall be
1 19 required to continue providing the public,
1 20 educational, and governmental access channels as
1 21 required by its franchise agreement with that
1 22 municipality, notwithstanding that the franchise
1 23 agreement may have expired prior to the effective date
1 24 of this Act.>
1 25 #____. Page 9, line 23, by striking the words and
1 26 figures <a municipality prior to July 1, 2007> and
1 27 inserting the following: <the municipality, which
1 28 franchise agreement was in effect on the effective
1 29 date of this Act, or in effect within the two=year
1 30 period prior to the effective date of this Act>.
1 31 #____. Page 9, line 29, by inserting after the word
1 32 <thousand.> the following: <The obligation of an
1 33 incumbent cable provider or of a competitive cable
1 34 service provider or competitive video service provider
1 35 to provide public, educational, and governmental
1 36 access channels pursuant to this section shall remain
1 37 in effect during the remaining term of the incumbent
1 38 cable provider's franchise agreement, or for a period
1 39 of ten years after the effective date of this Act,
1 40 whichever is longer.>>
1 41 #3. Page 3, by inserting after line 36 the
1 42 following:
1 43 <#____. Page 13, by inserting after line 2 the
1 44 following:
1 45 <a. This provision applies to any cable operator
1 46 that has a cable franchise agreement in effect on the
1 47 effective date of this Act or that had a franchise
1 48 agreement in effect within the two=year period prior
1 49 to the effective date of this Act. This provision
1 50 also applies to an incumbent cable provider during the



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2 1 remaining term of the provider's franchise agreement,
2 2 regardless of whether the incumbent cable provider
2 3 converts its franchise to a certificate of franchise
2 4 authority, or applies for a period of ten years
2 5 following the effective date of this Act, whichever
2 6 period is longer.

2 7 b. This provision also applies to a competitive
2 8 cable service provider or a competitive video service
2 9 provider that obtains a certificate of franchise
2 10 authority to provide cable service or video service in
2 11 competition with a cable operator or with an incumbent
2 12 cable provider during the period that this provision
2 13 applies to the cable operator or incumbent cable
2 14 provider pursuant to paragraph "a".>>

2 15 #4. Page 3, line 40, by striking the words and
2 16 figures <as of January 1, 2007> and inserting the
2 17 following: <in effect on the effective date of this
2 18 Act or in effect within the two-year period prior to
2 19 the effective date of this Act>.

2 20 #5. By striking page 3, line 50, through page 4,
2 21 line 4, and inserting the following: <network. For
2 22 the purposes of this subsection,>.

2 23 #6. Page 4, by inserting after line 8 the
2 24 following:

2 25 <b. This provision applies to any cable operator
2 26 that has a cable franchise agreement in effect on the
2 27 effective date of this Act or that had a franchise
2 28 agreement in effect within the two-year period prior
2 29 to the effective date of this Act. This provision
2 30 also applies to an incumbent cable provider during the
2 31 remaining term of the provider's franchise agreement,
2 32 regardless of whether the incumbent cable provider
2 33 converts its franchise to a certificate of franchise
2 34 authority, or applies for a period of ten years after
2 35 the effective date of this Act, whichever period is
2 36 longer.

2 37 c. This provision also applies to a competitive
2 38 cable service provider or a competitive video service
2 39 provider that obtains a certificate of franchise
2 40 authority to provide service in competition with a
2 41 cable operator or with an incumbent cable provider
2 42 during the period that this provision applies to the
2 43 cable operator or incumbent cable provider pursuant to
2 44 paragraph "b".>

2 45 #7. Page 4, by striking line 9 and inserting the
2 46 following:

2 47 <d. For purposes of this subsection, the number
2 48 of>.

2 49 #8. Page 4, by striking line 35 and inserting the
2 50 following:



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3 1 <e. This subsection shall not apply if the>.
3 2 #9. By renumbering as necessary.
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House Amendment 1742

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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1598, to Senate File 554, as
 1 2 amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate, as
 1 3 follows:
 1 4 #1. Page 3, by striking lines 5 through 14 and
 1 5 inserting the following:
 1 6 <#____. Page 9, line 30, by striking the word <a.>
 1 7 #____. Page 10, by striking lines 1 through 35 and
 1 8 inserting the following: <such content.
 1 9 2. A competitive cable service provider or
 1 10 competitive video service provider that is a holder of
 1 11 a certificate of franchise authority and an incumbent
 1 12 cable provider shall take all actions necessary to
 1 13 interconnect the cable or video communications network
 1 14 systems of the certificate holder and incumbent cable
 1 15 provider for the purpose of providing public,
 1 16 educational, and governmental programming. A
 1 17 competitive cable service provider or competitive
 1 18 video service provider shall perform any required
 1 19 signal or format conversion necessary to carry public,
 1 20 educational, or governmental programming that
 1 21 originates on the incumbent cable provider's cable
 1 22 system. An incumbent cable provider shall perform any
 1 23 required signal or format conversion necessary to
 1 24 carry public, educational, or governmental programming
 1 25 that originates on the competitive provider's cable or
 1 26 video system. Interconnection may be accomplished by
 1 27 direct cable, microwave link, satellite, or other
 1 28 reasonable method of connection. Neither an incumbent
 1 29 cable provider nor a competitive cable service
 1 30 provider or competitive video service provider shall
 1 31 withhold interconnection of public, educational, or
 1 32 governmental channels.>>
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1 1 Amend the amendment, H=1598, to Senate File 554, as
1 2 amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate, as
1 3 follows:
1 4 #1. Page 1, by striking lines 33 through 35.
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1 1 Amend Senate File 564, as amended, passed, and
1 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1 the
1 4 following:
1 5 <Section 1. Section 163.2, Code 2007, is amended
1 6 by adding the following new subsections:
1 7 NEW SUBSECTION. 2A. "Custody or control" means to
1 8 keep an animal in an enclosed or confined location, in
1 9 a manner that prevents the release or escape of the
1 10 animal from the location including but not limited to
1 11 keeping the animal for breeding, growing, movement, or
1 12 harvesting.
1 13 NEW SUBSECTION. 3A. "Estray" means not to be in
1 14 the custody or control of a person.
1 15 NEW SUBSECTION. 3B. "Game swine" means the same
1 16 as defined in section 171.1.
1 17 Sec. 2. Section 163.30, subsection 5, unnumbered
1 18 paragraph 1, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:
1 19 All swine moved shall be accompanied by a
1 20 certificate of veterinary inspection issued by the
1 21 state of origin and prepared and signed by a
1 22 veterinarian. The certificate shall show the point of
1 23 origin, the point of destination, individual
1 24 identification, immunization status, and, when
1 25 required, any movement permit number assigned to the
1 26 shipment by the department. The certificate of
1 27 veterinary inspection shall state whether the swine
1 28 are game swine, and shall provide any registration
1 29 information as required by section 171.4. All ~~such~~
1 30 movement of swine shall be completed within
1 31 seventy-two hours unless an extension of time for
1 32 movement is granted by the department.
1 33 Sec. 3. NEW SECTION. 163.32 ESTRAY SWINE.
1 34 1. a. Except as provided in subsection 2, a
1 35 person shall not take swine which is estray in this
1 36 state, by capture, wounding, or killing the swine.
1 37 b. A person who captures swine which is estray in
1 38 another state shall not move that swine into this
1 39 state.
1 40 2. The department, or the department in
1 41 cooperation with the department of natural resources,
1 42 or a person authorized by the department of
1 43 agriculture and land stewardship may take swine which
1 44 is estray in this state, by capture, wounding, or
1 45 killing the swine.
1 46 Sec. 4. NEW SECTION. 163.61A PENALTY AND
1 47 DISCIPLINARY ACTION FOR TAKING ESTRAY SWINE.
1 48 1. A person who violates section 163.32 is guilty
1 49 of an aggravated misdemeanor. A person is guilty of a
1 50 separate offense for each swine which is the subject



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2 1 of the violation.
2 2 2. Upon a person's conviction for violating
2 3 section 163.32, the sentencing court may, as part of
2 4 the judgment, revoke or suspend a license issued
2 5 pursuant to chapter 481A or 483A for a definite period
2 6 of time.
2 7 Sec. 5. NEW SECTION. 171.1 DEFINITIONS.
2 8 As used in this chapter, unless the context
2 9 otherwise requires:
2 10 1. "Custody or control" means the same as defined
2 11 in section 163.2.
2 12 2. "Department" means the department of
2 13 agriculture and land stewardship.
2 14 3. "Game swine" means swine that are classified as
2 15 part of the species *sus scrofa linnaeus* which may be
2 16 commonly known as Russian boar or European boar of
2 17 either sex.
2 18 4. "Swine" means an animal belonging to the order
2 19 artiodactyla, and classified as part of the family
2 20 suidae.
2 21 Sec. 6. NEW SECTION. 171.2 RULES.
2 22 The department may adopt rules pursuant to chapter
2 23 17A as necessary to administer this chapter.
2 24 Sec. 7. NEW SECTION. 171.3 IDENTIFICATION.
2 25 A person who has custody or control of game swine
2 26 shall identify the game swine as required by the
2 27 department. Game swine shall at least be identified
2 28 with a numbered metal ear tag affixed to the game
2 29 swine or other method such as installing an electronic
2 30 device onto or beneath the hide of the game swine as
2 31 prescribed by the department. The game swine must be
2 32 identified within ten days following the person's
2 33 acquisition of the game swine, including acquisition
2 34 by transfer or birth.
2 35 Sec. 8. NEW SECTION. 171.4 GAME SWINE
2 36 REGISTRATION SYSTEM.
2 37 The department of agriculture and land stewardship
2 38 shall establish a game swine registration system, in
2 39 cooperation with the department of natural resources.
2 40 1. A person who has custody or control of a game
2 41 swine shall register the game swine within ten days
2 42 following the person's acquisition of the game swine,
2 43 including acquisition by transfer or birth.
2 44 2. The person required to register game swine as
2 45 provided in this section shall provide information
2 46 required by the department which shall at least
2 47 include all of the following:
2 48 a. The number, age, and description of the game
2 49 swine, including its identification number as provided
2 50 in section 171.3.



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3 1 b. The location where the person maintains custody
3 2 or control of the game swine.
3 3 c. The purpose of the person in maintaining
3 4 custody or control of the game swine.
3 5 d. Whether the person has been issued a hunting
3 6 preserve operator's license as required in chapter
3 7 484B.
3 8 3. The department shall to every extent feasible
3 9 provide for registration using the internet, including
3 10 programming, necessary to ensure the convenience,
3 11 completeness, and accuracy of the registrations.
3 12 Sec. 9. NEW SECTION. 171.5 HEALTH REQUIREMENTS.
3 13 Game swine shall be free of an infectious or
3 14 contagious disease as defined in section 163.2. The
3 15 department shall regulate game swine as any other
3 16 swine for purposes of preventing, suppressing, and
3 17 eradicating an infectious or contagious disease
3 18 afflicting swine within the state.
3 19 Sec. 10. NEW SECTION. 171.6 PENALTY.
3 20 A person who violates section 171.3 or 171.4 is
3 21 subject to a civil penalty of not more than one
3 22 hundred dollars. Penalty moneys shall be deposited
3 23 into the general fund of the state.
3 24 Sec. 11. Section 484B.1, Code 2007, is amended by
3 25 adding the following new subsection:
3 26 NEW SUBSECTION. 4A. "Game swine" means the same
3 27 as defined in section 171.1.
3 28 Sec. 12. NEW SECTION. 484B.12A HEALTH AND
3 29 MOVEMENT REQUIREMENTS == GAME SWINE.
3 30 1. All game swine which are purchased, propagated,
3 31 confined, released, or sold by a hunting preserve
3 32 required to be licensed under this chapter shall be
3 33 free of diseases considered significant for wildlife,
3 34 poultry, or livestock. The department of agriculture
3 35 and land stewardship shall provide for the regulation
3 36 of game swine as any other swine for purposes of
3 37 preventing, suppressing, and eradicating an infectious
3 38 or contagious disease afflicting swine within the
3 39 state.
3 40 2. Game swine that are purchased, propagated,
3 41 confined, or sold by a hunting preserve shall only be
3 42 moved in accordance with rules adopted or orders
3 43 issued by the department of agriculture and land
3 44 stewardship.
3 45 Sec. 13. IDENTIFICATION AND REGISTRATION ==
3 46 COMPLIANCE PERIOD. Notwithstanding sections 171.3 and
3 47 171.4, a person required to identify game swine and
3 48 register game swine shall have until September 1,
3 49 2007, to comply with those sections.>
3 50 #2. Page 14, by inserting after line 31, the



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4 1 following:
4 2 <Sec. _____. EFFECTIVE DATE. The sections of the
4 3 Act enacting Chapter 717F, being deemed of immediate
4 4 importance, takes effect upon enactment.>
4 5 #3. Title page, line 3, by inserting after the
4 6 word <penalties> the following: <and an effective
4 7 date>.
4 8 #4. By renumbering as necessary.
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to state and local budgets and taxes by
 2 authorizing a commercial property tax credit for individual
 3 and corporate income tax, reducing the assessment limitation
 4 for commercial and industrial property, repealing
 5 authorization of a city or county to levy property taxes
 6 except for debt service, repealing authorization of a school
 7 district or merged area to levy property taxes except for debt
 8 service, increasing the maximum rate for local hotel and motel
 9 taxes, setting a specific appropriation for and making an
 10 appropriation to the statewide fire and police retirement
 11 system, establishing a legislative property tax study
 12 committee, and including effective and retroactive
 13 applicability date provisions.
 14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
 15 TLSB 2704YH 82
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1 1 DIVISION I
1 2 COMMERCIAL PROPERTY TAX CREDIT
1 3 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 422.11T COMMERCIAL PROPERTY TAX
1 4 CREDIT.
1 5 1. The taxes imposed under this division, less the credits
1 6 allowed under sections 422.12 and 422.12B, shall be reduced by
1 7 a commercial property tax credit. To qualify for this credit,
1 8 the taxpayer shall have paid property tax during the tax year
1 9 levied on property that is assessed as improved commercial
1 10 property for property tax purposes, and the assessed value of
1 11 such improved commercial property owned by the taxpayer does
1 12 not exceed, in the aggregate statewide, three hundred thousand
1 13 dollars.
1 14 For purposes of this section, "improved commercial
1 15 property" means land containing one or more structures that
1 16 are being put to productive use.
1 17 2. The total amount of tax credit that may be claimed by a
1 18 taxpayer equals three hundred twenty dollars.
1 19 3. The amount of the tax credit claimed under this section
1 20 shall not be deducted in computing the taxpayer's taxable
1 21 income for state income tax purposes.
1 22 4. Any credit in excess of the tax liability shall be
1 23 refunded with interest computed under section 422.25. In lieu
1 24 of claiming a refund, a taxpayer may elect to have the
1 25 overpayment shown on the taxpayer's final, completed return
1 26 credited to the tax liability for the following tax year.
1 27 5. An individual may claim the tax credit allowed a
1 28 partnership, limited liability company, S corporation, estate,
1 29 or trust electing to have the income taxed directly to the
1 30 individual. The amount claimed by the individual shall be
1 31 based upon the pro rata share of the individual's earnings of
1 32 the partnership, limited liability company, S corporation,
1 33 estate, or trust.
1 34 6. This section is repealed January 1, 2012, for the tax
1 35 years beginning on or after that date.



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2 1 Sec. 2. Section 422.33, Code 2007, is amended by adding
2 2 the following new subsection:
2 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 24. a. The taxes imposed under this
2 4 division shall be reduced by a commercial property tax credit.
2 5 To qualify for this credit, the taxpayer shall have paid
2 6 property tax during the tax year levied on property that is
2 7 assessed as improved commercial property for property tax
2 8 purposes, and the assessed value of such improved commercial
2 9 property owned by the taxpayer does not exceed, in the
2 10 aggregate statewide, three hundred thousand dollars.
2 11 For purposes of this subsection, "improved commercial
2 12 property" means land containing one or more structures that
2 13 are being put to productive use.
2 14 b. The total amount of credit that may be claimed by a
2 15 taxpayer equals three hundred twenty dollars. For
2 16 corporations that file a consolidated Iowa return in
2 17 accordance with section 422.37, each corporation filing on the
2 18 consolidated return that paid commercial property tax during
2 19 the tax year may claim the maximum tax credit.
2 20 c. The amount of the tax credit claimed under this
2 21 subsection shall not be deducted in computing the taxpayer's
2 22 taxable income for state income tax purposes. For
2 23 corporations that file a consolidated Iowa return in
2 24 accordance with section 422.37, each corporation filing on the
2 25 consolidated return that claimed the credit shall not deduct
2 26 the amount of the tax credit claimed by it for state income
2 27 tax purposes.
2 28 d. Any credit in excess of the tax liability shall be
2 29 refunded with interest computed under section 422.25. In lieu
2 30 of claiming a refund, a taxpayer may elect to have the
2 31 overpayment shown on the taxpayer's final, completed return
2 32 credited to the tax liability for the following tax year.
2 33 e. This subsection is repealed January 1, 2012, for tax
2 34 years beginning on or after that date.
2 35 Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE AND RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY DATES.



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3 1 This division of this Act, being deemed of immediate
3 2 importance, takes effect upon enactment and applies
3 3 retroactively to January 1, 2007, for tax years beginning on
3 4 or after that date.

3 5 DIVISION II

3 6 ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY

3 7 Sec. 4. Section 441.21, subsection 5, Code 2007, is
3 8 amended to read as follows:

3 9 5. For valuations established as of January 1, 1979,
3 10 commercial property and industrial property, excluding
3 11 properties referred to in section 427A.1, subsection 8, shall
3 12 be assessed as a percentage of the actual value of each class
3 13 of property. The percentage shall be determined for each
3 14 class of property by the director of revenue for the state in
3 15 accordance with the provisions of this section. For
3 16 valuations established as of January 1, 1979, the percentage
3 17 shall be the quotient of the dividend and divisor as defined
3 18 in this section. The dividend for each class of property
3 19 shall be the total actual valuation for each class of property
3 20 established for 1978, plus six percent of the amount so
3 21 determined. The divisor for each class of property shall be
3 22 the valuation for each class of property established for 1978,
3 23 as reported by the assessors on the abstracts of assessment
3 24 for 1978, plus the amount of value added to the total actual
3 25 value by the revaluation of existing properties in 1979 as
3 26 equalized by the director of revenue pursuant to section
3 27 441.49. For valuations established as of January 1, 1979,
3 28 property valued by the department of revenue pursuant to
3 29 chapters 428, 433, 437, and 438 shall be considered as one
3 30 class of property and shall be assessed as a percentage of its
3 31 actual value. The percentage shall be determined by the
3 32 director of revenue in accordance with the provisions of this
3 33 section. For valuations established as of January 1, 1979,
3 34 the percentage shall be the quotient of the dividend and
3 35 divisor as defined in this section. The dividend shall be the



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4 1 total actual valuation established for 1978 by the department
4 2 of revenue, plus ten percent of the amount so determined. The
4 3 divisor for property valued by the department of revenue
4 4 pursuant to chapters 428, 433, 437, and 438 shall be the
4 5 valuation established for 1978, plus the amount of value added
4 6 to the total actual value by the revaluation of the property
4 7 by the department of revenue as of January 1, 1979. For
4 8 valuations established as of January 1, 1980, commercial
4 9 property and industrial property, excluding properties
4 10 referred to in section 427A.1, subsection 8, shall be assessed
4 11 at a percentage of the actual value of each class of property.
4 12 The percentage shall be determined for each class of property
4 13 by the director of revenue for the state in accordance with
4 14 the provisions of this section. For valuations established as
4 15 of January 1, 1980, the percentage shall be the quotient of
4 16 the dividend and divisor as defined in this section. The
4 17 dividend for each class of property shall be the dividend as
4 18 determined for each class of property for valuations
4 19 established as of January 1, 1979, adjusted by the product
4 20 obtained by multiplying the percentage determined for that
4 21 year by the amount of any additions or deletions to actual
4 22 value, excluding those resulting from the revaluation of
4 23 existing properties, as reported by the assessors on the
4 24 abstracts of assessment for 1979, plus four percent of the
4 25 amount so determined. The divisor for each class of property
4 26 shall be the total actual value of all such property in 1979,
4 27 as equalized by the director of revenue pursuant to section
4 28 441.49, plus the amount of value added to the total actual
4 29 value by the revaluation of existing properties in 1980. The
4 30 director shall utilize information reported on the abstracts
4 31 of assessment submitted pursuant to section 441.45 in
4 32 determining such percentage. For valuations established as of
4 33 January 1, 1980, property valued by the department of revenue
4 34 pursuant to chapters 428, 433, 437, and 438 shall be assessed
4 35 at a percentage of its actual value. The percentage shall be



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5 1 determined by the director of revenue in accordance with the
5 2 provisions of this section. For valuations established as of
5 3 January 1, 1980, the percentage shall be the quotient of the
5 4 dividend and divisor as defined in this section. The dividend
5 5 shall be the total actual valuation established for 1979 by
5 6 the department of revenue, plus eight percent of the amount so
5 7 determined. The divisor for property valued by the department
5 8 of revenue pursuant to chapters 428, 433, 437, and 438 shall
5 9 be the valuation established for 1979, plus the amount of
5 10 value added to the total actual value by the revaluation of
5 11 the property by the department of revenue as of January 1,
5 12 1980. For valuations established as of January 1, 1981, and
5 13 each year thereafter, the percentage of actual value as
5 14 equalized by the director of revenue as provided in section
5 15 441.49 at which commercial property and industrial property,
5 16 excluding properties referred to in section 427A.1, subsection
5 17 8, shall be assessed shall be calculated in accordance with
5 18 the methods provided herein, except that any references to six
5 19 percent in this subsection shall be four percent. For
5 20 valuations established as of January 1, 2007, and each year
5 21 thereafter, the percentage of actual value as equalized by the
5 22 director of revenue as provided in section 441.49 at which
5 23 commercial property and industrial property, excluding
5 24 properties referred to in section 427A.1, subsection 8, shall
5 25 be assessed shall be calculated in accordance with the methods
5 26 provided herein, except that any references to six percent in
5 27 this subsection shall be one percent. For valuations
5 28 established as of January 1, 1981, and each year thereafter,
5 29 the percentage of actual value at which property valued by the
5 30 department of revenue pursuant to chapters 428, 433, 437, and
5 31 438 shall be assessed shall be calculated in accordance with
5 32 the methods provided herein, except that any references to ten
5 33 percent in this subsection shall be eight percent. Beginning
5 34 with valuations established as of January 1, 1979, and each
5 35 year thereafter, property valued by the department of revenue



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6 1 pursuant to chapter 434 shall also be assessed at a percentage
6 2 of its actual value which percentage shall be equal to the
6 3 percentage determined by the director of revenue for
6 4 commercial property, industrial property, or property valued
6 5 by the department of revenue pursuant to chapters 428, 433,
6 6 437, and 438, whichever is lowest.

6 7 Sec. 5. RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY DATE. This division of
6 8 this Act applies retroactively to assessment years beginning
6 9 on or after January 1, 2007.

6 10 DIVISION III

6 11 REDUCTION IN RELIANCE ON PROPERTY TAX == COUNTIES,
6 12 TOWNSHIPS, AND CITIES

6 13 Sec. 6. Section 331.325, subsection 1, Code 2007, is
6 14 amended to read as follows:

6 15 1. a. The board shall repair and maintain all cemeteries
6 16 under the jurisdiction of the board including pioneer
6 17 cemeteries and pay other expenses of the board or the cemetery
6 18 commission as provided in this section.

6 19 b. As used in this section, "pioneer cemetery" means a
6 20 cemetery where there have been six or fewer burials in the
6 21 preceding fifty years.

6 22 Sec. 7. Section 331.421, subsections 1, 5, and 10, Code
6 23 2007, are amended by striking the subsections.

6 24 Sec. 8. Section 331.422, Code 2007, is amended by striking
6 25 the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

6 26 331.422 COUNTY PROPERTY TAX LEVY.

6 27 For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and subsequent
6 28 fiscal years, a county shall not levy property taxes except
6 29 for a debt service levy to be credited to the debt service
6 30 fund pursuant to section 331.430 for the purposes specified in
6 31 that section. Taxes in the amount necessary for debt service
6 32 shall be levied on all taxable property within the county,
6 33 except as otherwise provided by state law.

6 34 Sec. 9. Section 331.424A, subsection 4, Code 2007, is
6 35 amended to read as follows:



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7 1 4. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, ~~1996~~ 2011, and
7 2 for each subsequent fiscal year, the county shall ~~certify a~~
~~7 3 levy transfer from the general fund to the mental health,~~
7 4 mental retardation, and developmental disabilities services
7 5 fund an amount necessary for payment of services. For each
7 6 fiscal year, county revenues ~~from taxes imposed by the county~~
7 7 credited to the services fund shall not exceed an amount equal
7 8 to the amount of base year expenditures for services as
7 9 defined in section 331.438, less the amount of property tax
7 10 relief to be received pursuant to section 426B.2, in the
7 11 fiscal year for which the budget is certified. The county
7 12 auditor and the board of supervisors shall reduce the amount
7 13 ~~of the levy certified budgeted~~ budgeted for the services fund by the
7 14 amount of property tax relief to be received. ~~A levy~~
~~7 15 certified under this section is not subject to the appeal~~
~~7 16 provisions of section 331.426 or to any other provision in law~~
~~7 17 authorizing a county to exceed, increase, or appeal a property~~
~~7 18 tax levy limit.~~

7 19 Sec. 10. Section 331.424C, Code 2007, is amended to read
7 20 as follows:

7 21 331.424C EMERGENCY SERVICES FUND.

7 22 A county that is providing fire protection service or
7 23 emergency medical service to a township pursuant to section
7 24 331.385 shall establish an emergency services fund and ~~may~~
~~7 25 certify taxes for levy in the township shall transfer from the~~
7 26 rural services fund an amount equivalent to the amount that
7 27 could be raised from a property tax levy that does not ~~to~~
7 28 exceed the amounts authorized in section 359.43. The county
7 29 has the authority to use a portion of the ~~taxes levied and~~
~~7 30 deposited in amount transferred~~ to the fund for the purpose of
7 31 accumulating moneys to carry out the purposes of section
7 32 359.43, subsection 4.

7 33 Sec. 11. Section 331.431, Code 2007, is amended to read as
7 34 follows:

7 35 331.431 ADDITIONAL FUNDS.



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8 1 A county may establish other funds in accordance with
8 2 generally accepted accounting principles. ~~Taxes may be levied~~
~~8 3 for Transfers from the general fund may be made to those funds~~
8 4 as provided by state law. The condition and operations of
8 5 each fund shall be included in the annual financial report
8 6 required in section 331.403.

8 7 Sec. 12. NEW SECTION. 359.53 ABOLITION OF PROPERTY TAX.
8 8 For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and subsequent
8 9 fiscal years, a township shall not levy a property tax to
8 10 provide services under this chapter, notwithstanding section
8 11 359.30, 359.33, or 359.43.

8 12 Sec. 13. NEW SECTION. 360.10 ABOLITION OF PROPERTY TAX.
8 13 For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and subsequent
8 14 fiscal years, a township shall not levy a property tax to
8 15 provide services under this chapter, notwithstanding sections
8 16 360.1, 360.2, and 360.8.

8 17 Sec. 14. Section 384.1, Code 2007, is amended by striking
8 18 the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

8 19 384.1 CITY PROPERTY TAX LEVY.

8 20 For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and subsequent
8 21 fiscal years, a city shall not levy property taxes except for
8 22 a debt service levy to be credited to the debt service fund
8 23 pursuant to section 384.4 for the purposes specified in that
8 24 section. Taxes in the amount necessary for debt service shall
8 25 be levied on all taxable property within the city, except as
8 26 otherwise provided by state law. However, the tax levied by a
8 27 city on tracts of land and improvements thereon used and
8 28 assessed for agricultural or horticultural purposes, shall not
8 29 exceed three dollars and three-eighths cents per thousand
8 30 dollars of assessed value in any year. Improvements located
8 31 on such tracts of land and not used for agricultural or
8 32 horticultural purposes and all residential dwellings are
8 33 subject to the same rate of tax levied by the city on all
8 34 other taxable property within the city.

8 35 Sec. 15. Section 384.3, Code 2007, is amended to read as
9 1 follows:

9 2 384.3 GENERAL FUND.

9 3 All moneys received for city government purposes from taxes
9 4 and other sources must be credited to the general fund of the
9 5 city, except that moneys received for the purposes of the debt
9 6 service fund, ~~the trust and agency funds, the capital~~
~~9 7 improvements reserve fund, the emergency fund and other funds~~
~~9 8 established by state law must be deposited as otherwise~~
~~9 9 required or authorized by state law.~~ All moneys received by a
9 10 city from the federal government must be reported to the
9 11 department of management who shall transmit a copy to the
9 12 legislative services agency.

9 13 Sec. 16. Section 384.6, subsection 1, unnumbered paragraph
9 14 1, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

9 15 Accounting for pension and related employee benefit funds
9 16 as provided by the city finance committee. A city may ~~certify~~
~~9 17 taxes to be levied for each year transfer from the general~~
~~9 18 fund to a trust and agency fund in the an amount necessary to~~
9 19 meet its obligations.

9 20 Sec. 17. Section 384.7, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2007,
9 21 is amended to read as follows:



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9 22 A city may establish a capital improvements reserve fund,
9 23 and may ~~certify taxes~~ transfer from the general fund an amount
9 24 not to exceed in any year the dollar equivalent of a tax of
9 25 sixty-seven and one-half cents per thousand dollars of taxable
9 26 value each year to be levied for the fund for the purpose of
9 27 accumulating moneys for the financing of specified capital
9 28 improvements, or carrying out a specific capital improvement
9 29 plan, including a plan developed under chapter 386.

9 30 Sec. 18. Section 384.7, unnumbered paragraphs 2 and 3,
9 31 Code 2007, are amended by striking the paragraphs.

9 32 Sec. 19. Section 384.8, Code 2007, is amended to read as
9 33 follows:

9 34 384.8 EMERGENCY FUND.

9 35 A city may establish an emergency fund and may ~~certify~~



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~~10 1 taxes transfer from the general fund an amount not to exceed~~
10 2 in any year the dollar equivalent of a tax of twenty-seven
10 3 cents per thousand dollars of taxable value each year to be
~~10 4 levied for the fund. Transfers may be made from the emergency~~
10 5 fund to the general fund as provided in rules promulgated by
10 6 the city finance committee created in section 384.13.

10 7 Sec. 20. Section 384.9, Code 2007, is amended to read as
10 8 follows:

10 9 384.9 ADDITIONAL FUNDS.

10 10 A city may establish other funds and may ~~certify taxes to~~
~~10 11 be levied for the~~ make transfers from the general fund to

10 12 those funds as provided by state law. The status of each
10 13 account or fund must be included in the annual report required
10 14 in section 384.22.

10 15 Sec. 21. Sections 331.423, 331.424, 331.424B, 331.425,
10 16 331.426, 384.12, 386.8, and 386.9 are repealed.

10 17 Sec. 22. EFFECTIVE AND APPLICABILITY DATES. This division
10 18 of this Act takes effect July 1, 2010, and applies to fiscal
10 19 years beginning on or after July 1, 2011.

10 20 DIVISION IV

10 21 REDUCTION IN RELIANCE ON PROPERTY

10 22 TAX == SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITY COLLEGES

10 23 Sec. 23. NEW SECTION. 257.1A ABOLITION OF PROPERTY TAX
10 24 == SCHOOL FOUNDATION PROGRAM.

10 25 For the budget year beginning July 1, 2011, and subsequent
10 26 budget years, a school district shall not levy property taxes
10 27 for purposes of the state school foundation program under this
10 28 chapter. The legislative interim committee appointed to
10 29 conduct a review of the school finance formula pursuant to
10 30 section 257.1, subsection 4, shall include in its report due
10 31 to be submitted to the general assembly no later than January
10 32 1, 2010, recommendations relating to alternatives for funding
10 33 the local share of the state school foundation program.

10 34 Sec. 24. Section 257.19, unnumbered paragraphs 2 and 3,
10 35 Code 2007, are amended to read as follows:



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11 1 Certification of a board's intent to participate for a
11 2 budget year, ~~the method of funding,~~ and the amount to be
11 3 raised shall be made to the department of management not later
11 4 than April 15 of the base year. Funding for the instructional
11 5 support program shall be obtained from instructional support
11 6 state aid and from local funding using ~~either an instructional~~
~~11 7 support property tax or a combination of an instructional~~
~~11 8 support property tax and an instructional support income~~
11 9 surtax.

11 10 ~~The board of directors shall determine whether the~~
~~11 11 instructional support property tax or the combination of the~~
~~11 12 instructional support property tax and instructional support~~
~~11 13 income surtax shall be used for the local funding.~~ Subject to
11 14 the limitation specified in section 298.14, ~~if the board~~
~~11 15 elects to use the combination of the instructional support~~
~~11 16 property tax and instructional support income surtax,~~ for each
11 17 budget year the board shall determine the percent of income
11 18 surtax that will be imposed, expressed as full percentage
11 19 points, not to exceed twenty percent.

11 20 Sec. 25. Section 257.21, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code
11 21 2007, is amended to read as follows:

11 22 The department of management shall establish the amount of
11 23 instructional support ~~property tax to be levied and the amount~~
~~11 24 of instructional support income surtax to be imposed by a~~
11 25 district ~~in accordance with the decision of the board under~~
~~11 26 section 257.19~~ for each school year for which the
11 27 instructional support program is authorized. The department
11 28 of management shall determine these amounts based upon the
11 29 most recent figures available for the district's ~~valuation of~~
~~11 30 taxable property,~~ individual state income tax paid, and budget
11 31 enrollment in the district, and shall certify to the
11 32 district's county auditor the amount of instructional support
~~11 33 property tax, and to the director of revenue the amount of~~
11 34 instructional support income surtax to be imposed ~~if an~~
~~11 35 instructional support income surtax is to be imposed.~~



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12 1 Sec. 26. Section 257.29, unnumbered paragraphs 2, 3, and
12 2 4, Code 2007, are amended to read as follows:
12 3 The educational improvement program shall provide
12 4 additional revenues each fiscal year equal to a specified
12 5 percent of the regular program district cost of the district,
12 6 as determined by the board but not more than the maximum
12 7 percent authorized by the electors if an election has been
12 8 held. Certification of a district's participation for a
12 9 budget year, ~~the method of funding,~~ and the amount to be
12 10 raised shall be made to the department of management not later
12 11 than April 15 of the base year.
12 12 The educational improvement program shall be funded by
12 13 ~~either an educational improvement property tax or by a~~
~~12 14 combination of an educational improvement property tax and an~~
12 15 educational improvement income surtax. ~~The method of raising~~
~~12 16 the educational improvement moneys shall be determined by the~~
~~12 17 board.~~ Subject to the limitation in section 298.14, ~~if the~~
~~12 18 board uses a combination of an educational improvement~~
~~12 19 property tax and an educational improvement income surtax,~~ the
12 20 board shall determine the percent of income surtax to be
12 21 imposed, expressed as full percentage points, not to exceed
12 22 twenty percent.
12 23 The department of management shall establish the amount of
12 24 the educational improvement ~~property tax to be levied or the~~
~~12 25 amount of the combination of the educational improvement~~
~~12 26 property tax to be levied and the amount of the school~~
~~12 27 district~~ income surtax to be imposed for each school year that
12 28 the educational improvement amount is authorized. The
12 29 educational improvement ~~property tax and income surtax, if an~~
~~12 30 income surtax is imposed,~~ shall be levied and imposed,
12 31 collected, and paid to the school district in the manner
12 32 provided for the instructional support program in sections
12 33 257.21 through 257.26. Moneys received by a school district
12 34 under the educational improvement program are miscellaneous
12 35 income.



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13 1 Sec. 27. Section 260C.17, Code 2007, is amended by adding
13 2 the following new unnumbered paragraph:
13 3 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. For the budget year beginning
13 4 July 1, 2011, and subsequent budget years, a merged area board
13 5 of directors shall not levy the property tax specified under
13 6 this section for operation of a community college.

13 7 Sec. 28. Section 260C.22, subsection 1, paragraph a, Code
13 8 2007, is amended to read as follows:

13 9 1. a. ~~In addition to the tax authorized under section~~
~~13 10 260C.17, the~~ The voters in any merged area may at the annual
13 11 school election vote a tax not exceeding twenty and one-fourth
13 12 cents per thousand dollars of assessed value in any one year
13 13 for a period not to exceed ten years for the purchase of
13 14 grounds, construction of buildings, payment of debts
13 15 contracted for the construction of buildings, purchase of
13 16 buildings and equipment for buildings, and the acquisition of
13 17 libraries, for the purpose of paying costs of utilities, and
13 18 for the purpose of maintaining, remodeling, improving, or
13 19 expanding the community college of the merged area. If the
13 20 tax levy is approved under this section, the costs of
13 21 utilities shall be paid from the proceeds of the levy. The
13 22 tax shall be collected by the county treasurers and remitted
13 23 to the treasurer of the merged area as provided in section
13 24 331.552, subsection 29. The proceeds of the tax shall be
13 25 deposited in a separate and distinct fund to be known as the
13 26 voted tax fund, to be paid out upon warrants drawn by the
13 27 president and secretary of the board of directors of the
13 28 merged area district for the payment of costs incurred in
13 29 providing the school facilities for which the tax was voted.

13 30 Sec. 29. Section 260C.22, Code 2007, is amended by adding
13 31 the following new subsection:

13 32 NEW SUBSECTION. 2A. For the budget year beginning July 1,
13 33 2011, and subsequent budget years, a merged area board of
13 34 directors shall not levy property taxes for the purposes
13 35 specified in subsections 1 and 2, except as necessary to pay



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14 1 indebtedness incurred for such purposes.
14 2 Sec. 30. Section 260C.22, Code 2007, is amended by adding
14 3 the following new subsection:
14 4 NEW SUBSECTION. 5. For the budget year beginning July 1,
14 5 2011, and subsequent budget years, a merged area board of
14 6 directors shall not levy property taxes for purposes of the
14 7 cash reserve fund.
14 8 Sec. 31. Section 260C.28, Code 2007, is amended by adding
14 9 the following new subsection:
14 10 NEW SUBSECTION. 4. For the budget year beginning July 1,
14 11 2011, and subsequent budget years, a merged area board of
14 12 directors shall not levy the property tax specified under this
14 13 section for equipment replacement and program sharing for a
14 14 community college except as necessary to pay indebtedness
14 15 incurred for purposes of equipment replacement and program
14 16 sharing.
14 17 Sec. 32. Section 298.2, Code 2007, is amended by adding
14 18 the following new subsection:
14 19 NEW SUBSECTION. 7. For the budget year beginning July 1,
14 20 2011, and subsequent budget years, a school district shall not
14 21 levy physical plant and equipment property taxes except to pay
14 22 indebtedness incurred for any of the purposes authorized in
14 23 section 298.3.
14 24 Sec. 33. Section 298.4, Code 2007, is amended to read as
14 25 follows:
14 26 298.4 DISTRICT MANAGEMENT LEVY.
14 27 1. The board of directors of a school district may certify
14 28 for levy by April 15 of a school year, a tax on all taxable
14 29 property in the school district for a district management
14 30 levy. The revenue from the tax levied in this section shall
14 31 be placed in the district management levy fund of the school
14 32 district. The district management levy shall be expended only
14 33 for the following purposes:
14 34 ~~1-~~ a. To pay the cost of unemployment benefits as provided
14 35 in section 96.31.



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15 1 ~~2.~~ b. To pay the costs of liability insurance and the
15 2 costs of a judgment or settlement relating to liability
15 3 together with interest accruing on the judgment or settlement
15 4 to the expected date of payment.

15 5 ~~3.~~ c. To pay the costs of insurance agreements under
15 6 section 296.7.

15 7 ~~4.~~ d. To pay the costs of a judgment under section 298.16.

15 8 ~~5.~~ e. To pay the cost of early retirement benefits to
15 9 employees under section 279.46.

15 10 2. Unencumbered funds collected from the levies authorized
15 11 in sections 96.31, 279.46, and 296.7 prior to July 1, 1991,
15 12 may be expended for the purposes listed in subsections 1, 3,
15 13 and 5.

15 14 3. For the budget year beginning July 1, 2011, and
15 15 subsequent budget years, a school district shall not levy
15 16 property taxes for purposes of the district management fund
15 17 except to pay indebtedness authorized to be incurred under
15 18 subsection 1, paragraphs "a" through "e".

15 19 Sec. 34. Section 298.10, Code 2007, is amended to read as
15 20 follows:

15 21 298.10 LEVY FOR CASH RESERVE.

15 22 1. The board of directors of a school district may certify
15 23 for levy by April 15 of a school year, a tax on all taxable
15 24 property in the school district in order to raise an amount
15 25 for a necessary cash reserve for a school district's general
15 26 fund. The amount raised for a necessary cash reserve does not
15 27 increase a school district's authorized expenditures as
15 28 defined in section 257.7.

15 29 2. For the budget year beginning July 1, 2011, and
15 30 subsequent budget years, a school district shall not levy
15 31 property taxes for purposes of a general fund cash reserve.

15 32 Sec. 35. Section 298A.14, Code 2007, is amended to read as
15 33 follows:

15 34 298A.14 OTHER FUNDS.

15 35 A school corporation may establish other funds in



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16 1 accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ~~and~~
~~16 2 may certify other taxes to be levied for the funds as provided~~
~~16 3 by state law.~~ The status of each fund must be included in the
16 4 annual report. The treasurer shall keep a separate account
16 5 for each fund, and shall not pay an order that fails to state
16 6 the fund upon which it is drawn and the specific use to which
16 7 it is to be applied.

16 8 Sec. 36. Section 300.2, Code 2007, is amended by adding
16 9 the following new unnumbered paragraph:

16 10 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. For the budget year beginning
16 11 July 1, 2011, and subsequent budget years, a school district
16 12 shall not levy property taxes for purposes of public
16 13 educational and recreational activities authorized under this
16 14 chapter except to pay indebtedness incurred for any of the
16 15 purposes authorized under this chapter.

16 16 Sec. 37. Section 257.3, 257.4, and 257.15, are repealed.

16 17 Sec. 38. EFFECTIVE AND APPLICABILITY DATES. This division
16 18 of this Act takes effect July, 1, 2010, and applies to fiscal
16 19 years beginning on or after July 1, 2011, except that the
16 20 requirement in section 257.1A, as enacted in this Act,
16 21 relating to alternative funding recommendations, takes effect
16 22 upon enactment of this Act.

16 23

DIVISION V

16 24

LOCAL HOTEL AND MOTEL TAX

16 25 Sec. 39. Section 423A.4, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code
16 26 2007, is amended to read as follows:

16 27 A city or county may impose by ordinance of the city
16 28 council or by resolution of the board of supervisors a hotel
16 29 and motel tax, at a rate not to exceed ~~seven~~ nine percent,
16 30 which shall be imposed in increments of one or more full
16 31 percentage points upon the sales price from the renting of
16 32 lodging. The tax when imposed by a city shall apply only
16 33 within the corporate boundaries of that city and when imposed
16 34 by a county shall apply only outside incorporated areas within
16 35 that county.



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18 1 school districts in Iowa, the classification and assessment of
18 2 property for property tax purposes and the impact of the tie
18 3 between residential and agricultural property assessments, the
18 4 level of consistency employed in classifying and assessing
18 5 property for property tax purposes, the various exemptions and
18 6 credits currently available to property taxpayers and the
18 7 impact on local government and state budgets and on other
18 8 taxpayers of providing those credits and exemptions, and the
18 9 use of property taxes as an economic development tool and the
18 10 impact on local and state government budgets and on other
18 11 taxpayers of such use. In its study, the committee shall
18 12 address the goals of property tax simplification and equity.

18 13 2. a. The committee shall be comprised of the following
18 14 voting members:

18 15 (1) Five members who are members of the senate, three of
18 16 whom shall be appointed by the majority leader of the senate
18 17 and two of whom shall be appointed by the minority leader of
18 18 the senate.

18 19 (2) Five members who are members of the house of
18 20 representatives, three of whom shall be appointed by the
18 21 speaker of the house of representatives and two of whom shall
18 22 be appointed by the minority leader of the house of
18 23 representatives.

18 24 b. The committee shall be comprised of the following
18 25 nonvoting members who shall be appointed by the majority
18 26 leader of the senate and the speaker of the house of
18 27 representatives in consultation with the minority leaders of
18 28 the senate and the house of representatives:

18 29 (1) One member from an association representing Iowa
18 30 counties.

18 31 (2) One member from an association representing Iowa
18 32 cities.

18 33 (3) One member from an association representing Iowa
18 34 school boards.

18 35 (4) One member from an association representing
19 1 agricultural property taxpayers.

19 2 (5) One member from an association representing Iowa
19 3 commercial property taxpayers.

19 4 (6) One member from an association representing Iowa
19 5 industrial taxpayers.

19 6 (7) One member representing residential taxpayers.

19 7 (8) Representatives of other interests as designated by
19 8 the legislative council.

19 9 c. The committee shall be comprised of the following
19 10 nonvoting members who shall be appointed by the governor:

19 11 (1) A representative employed by the department of
19 12 management.

19 13 (2) A representative employed by the department of
19 14 revenue.

19 15 (3) A representative employed by the department of
19 16 economic development.

19 17 3. The property tax study committee shall meet during the
19 18 2007 and 2008 legislative interims at the call of the
19 19 chairperson. The committee is authorized to hold as many
19 20 meetings as the committee deems necessary.

19 21 4. The property tax study committee may contract with one



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19 22 or more tax consultants or experts familiar with the Iowa
19 23 property tax system. The legislative council, pursuant to its
19 24 authority in section 2.42, may allocate to the study committee
19 25 funding from moneys available to it in section 2.12 for the
19 26 purpose of contracting with the consultant or expert.

19 27 5. The property tax study committee shall submit a final
19 28 report to the general assembly on or before January 5, 2009.
19 29 The final report shall include but not be limited to findings,
19 30 analyses, and recommendations by the committee.

19 31 EXPLANATION

19 32 This bill makes changes relating to state and local budgets
19 33 and taxes.

19 34 Division I of the bill provides for an individual and
19 35 corporate income tax credit for a certain amount of commercial



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20 1 property tax paid during the tax year. For a taxpayer to
20 2 qualify, the property tax shall have been paid on improved
20 3 commercial property, and the taxpayer owns less than \$300,000
20 4 of improved commercial property in the aggregate statewide.
20 5 The credit is equal to \$320. For corporations included in a
20 6 consolidated Iowa return, each corporation in the consolidated
20 7 return that paid commercial property tax can claim the maximum
20 8 credit. The credit amount is not allowed as a deduction in
20 9 computing Iowa taxable income. Any credit in excess of the
20 10 tax liability is refundable.

20 11 This credit is repealed effective January 1, 2012, for tax
20 12 years beginning on or after that date.

20 13 The division takes effect upon enactment and applies
20 14 retroactively to January 1, 2007, for tax years beginning on
20 15 or after that date.

20 16 Division II of the bill changes the property tax assessment
20 17 limitation percentage for commercial and industrial property
20 18 from 4 percent to 1 percent.

20 19 The division applies retroactively to assessment years
20 20 beginning on or after January 1, 2007.

20 21 Division III of the bill removes the authority of cities
20 22 and counties to levy property taxes for fiscal years beginning
20 23 on or after July 1, 2011, except for purposes of paying
20 24 indebtedness incurred by a city or a county. Conforming
20 25 amendments may be necessary to implement this division.

20 26 Division IV of the bill removes the authority of school
20 27 district boards of directors and merged area boards of
20 28 directors to levy property taxes for budget years beginning on
20 29 or after July 1, 2011, except for purposes of paying
20 30 indebtedness incurred by a school district or a merged area.
20 31 Conforming amendments may be necessary to implement this
20 32 division.

20 33 Division V of the bill increases the maximum local hotel
20 34 and motel tax rate from the present 7 percent to 9 percent.
20 35 Present law requires an election to increase the tax rate.



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21 1 Division VI of the bill amends Code section 411.20 to
21 2 provide that the amount of the state appropriation to the
21 3 statewide fire and police retirement system equals 3.79
21 4 percent of the covered earnable compensation of the members.
21 5 Present law has a standing unlimited appropriation and does
21 6 not specify a dollar or percentage amount.
21 7 The division also appropriates for FY 2007=2008 \$8,541,814
21 8 as the state's cost of police officers' and fire fighters'
21 9 benefits which is estimated to be 3.79 percent of the covered
21 10 earnable compensation of the members of the system.
21 11 Division VII of the bill establishes a legislative property
21 12 tax study committee to conduct a comprehensive review of
21 13 property taxation in Iowa. The committee shall be comprised
21 14 of legislative members and nonvoting members representing
21 15 certain interest groups and state departments. The division
21 16 authorizes the study committee to contract with one or more
21 17 tax consultants or experts familiar with the Iowa property tax
21 18 system. The study committee is to meet during the 2007 and
21 19 2008 legislative interims, and is to submit a final report to
21 20 the general assembly on or before January 5, 2009.
21 21 LSB 2704YH 82
21 22 sc:rj/es/88



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1 8 ALONS, WORTHAN, DE BOEF, DEYOE, T. OLSON,

1 9 GRANZOW, DOLECHECK, ROBERTS, WATTS, HUSEMAN,

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1 11 HOFFMAN, and STRUYK

1 12 A Resolution honoring the activities and commitment of

1 13 the Patriot Guard Riders.

1 14 WHEREAS, the Patriot Guard Riders are a diverse

1 15 organization of motorcycle riders and enthusiasts from

1 16 across the nation united by an unwavering respect for

1 17 members of the armed forces who risk their lives for

1 18 the freedom and security of this nation; and

1 19 WHEREAS, the primary mission of the Patriot Guard

1 20 Riders is to attend funeral services of members of the

1 21 armed forces as invited guests of the members'

1 22 families both as a show of respect and to shield the

1 23 mourning family and their friends from interruptions

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1 26 protestors is accomplished through strictly legal and

1 27 nonviolent means; and

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1 30 fire fighters to pay tribute to their contribution and



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2 4 home and send-off ceremonies for both individual
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2 6 distribution of Patriot Guard Rider flags to armed
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2 10 visiting and supporting wounded soldiers and
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2 16 armed forces, law enforcement, and fire protection
2 17 personnel, and in increasing the morale of individual
2 18 armed forces members and units and supporting the
2 19 families and communities coping with their deployment,
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2 22 LSB 2917HH 82
2 23 rn:rj/je/5



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House Study Bill 310

HOUSE FILE
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
APPROPRIATIONS BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON OLDSON)

Passed House, Date _____ Passed Senate, Date _____
Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes _____ Nays
Approved

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to and making appropriations from the healthy
- 2 Iowans tobacco trust and the tobacco settlement trust fund and
- 3 providing an effective date.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
- 5 TLSB 1137YC 82
- 6 pf/gg/14



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1 1 Section 1. HEALTHY IOWANS TOBACCO TRUST == APPROPRIATIONS
 1 2 TO DEPARTMENTS. There is appropriated from the healthy Iowans
 1 3 tobacco trust created in section 12.65 to the following
 1 4 departments for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and
 1 5 ending June 30, 2008, the following amounts, or so much
 1 6 thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
 1 7 designated:
 1 8 1. To the department of human services:
 1 9 a. To supplement the medical assistance program
 1 10 appropriations for the fiscal year, including for
 1 11 reimbursement of noninstitutional medical assistance providers
 1 12 with the exception of anesthesia and dental providers and to
 1 13 continue the resource-based relative value system of
 1 14 reimbursement based upon the reimbursement rates established
 1 15 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June
 1 16 30, 2008; for reimbursement of dental services, hospitals,
 1 17 home health care services, critical access hospitals,
 1 18 expansion of home health care services and habilitative day
 1 19 care for children with special needs, and expansion of respite
 1 20 care services provided through home and community-based
 1 21 waivers based upon the reimbursement rates established for the
 1 22 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008;
 1 23 and for provision of coverage to women who require treatment
 1 24 for breast or cervical cancer as provided in section 249A.3,
 1 25 subsection 2, paragraph "b":
 1 26 \$ 35,327,368
 1 27 Of the amount appropriated in this paragraph, \$250,000
 1 28 shall be used to continue the efforts of the Iowa chronic care
 1 29 consortium pursuant to 2003 Iowa Acts, chapter 112, section
 1 30 12, as amended by 2003 Iowa Acts, chapter 179, sections 166
 1 31 and 167.
 1 32 b. For child and family services including for
 1 33 reimbursement of adoption, independent living, shelter care,
 1 34 and home studies services providers, and other service
 1 35 providers under the purview of the department of human



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2 1 services:
 2 2 \$ 3,761,677
 2 3 c. To continue supplementation of the state supplementary
 2 4 assistance program including reimbursements for residential
 2 5 care facilities and in-home health services:
 2 6 \$ 182,381
 2 7 d. For general administration of health-related programs:
 2 8 \$ 274,000
 2 9 2. To the Iowa department of public health:
 2 10 a. For the tobacco use prevention and control initiative,
 2 11 including efforts at the state and local levels, as provided
 2 12 in chapter 142A and for not more than the following full-time
 2 13 equivalent positions:
 2 14 \$ 5,928,465
 2 15 FTEs 7.00
 2 16 (1) The director of public health shall dedicate
 2 17 sufficient resources to promote and ensure retailer compliance
 2 18 with tobacco laws and ordinances relating to persons under 18
 2 19 years of age, and shall prioritize the state's compliance in
 2 20 the allocation of available funds to comply with 42 U.S.C. }
 2 21 300x=26 and section 453A.2.
 2 22 (2) Of the full-time equivalent positions funded in this
 2 23 paragraph "a", two full-time equivalent positions shall be
 2 24 utilized to provide for enforcement of tobacco laws,
 2 25 regulations, and ordinances under a chapter 28D agreement
 2 26 entered into between the Iowa department of public health and
 2 27 the alcoholic beverages division of the department of
 2 28 commerce.
 2 29 (3) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "a", not
 2 30 more than \$525,759 shall be expended on administration and
 2 31 management of the program.
 2 32 (4) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "a", not
 2 33 less than 80 percent of the amount expended in the fiscal year
 2 34 beginning July 1, 2001, for community partnerships shall be
 2 35 expended in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, for that



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3 1 purpose.

3 2 b. For additional substance abuse treatment under the

3 3 substance abuse treatment program:

3 4 \$ 13,800,000

3 5 (1) The department shall use funds appropriated in this

3 6 paragraph "b" to enhance the quality of and to expand the

3 7 capacity to provide 24-hour substance abuse treatment

3 8 programs.

3 9 (2) The department shall use funds appropriated in this

3 10 paragraph "b" to expand the length of individual client

3 11 substance abuse treatment plans, as necessary to reduce

3 12 program recidivism.

3 13 (3) The department shall use funds appropriated in this

3 14 paragraph "b" to share research-based best practices for

3 15 treatment with substance abuse treatment facilities.

3 16 (4) The department shall use funds appropriated in this

3 17 paragraph "b" to develop a results-based funding approach for

3 18 substance abuse treatment services.

3 19 (5) The department shall use funds appropriated in this

3 20 paragraph "b" to develop a program to encourage individuals

3 21 who are successfully managing their substance abuse problems

3 22 to serve as role models.

3 23 (6) The department shall submit a report annually by March

3 24 1, to the governor and the general assembly delineating the

3 25 success rates of the substance abuse treatment programs that

3 26 receive funding under this paragraph "b".

3 27 c. For the healthy Iowans 2010 plan within the Iowa

3 28 department of public health and for not more than the

3 29 following full-time equivalent positions:

3 30 \$ 2,509,960

3 31 FTEs 4.00

3 32 (1) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "c", not

3 33 more than \$1,157,482 shall be used for essential public health

3 34 services that promote healthy aging throughout the lifespan,

3 35 contracted through a formula for local boards of health, to



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4 1 enhance health promotion and disease prevention services.
 4 2 (2) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "c", not
 4 3 more than \$387,320 shall be used for the continuation and
 4 4 support of a coordinated system of delivery of trauma and
 4 5 emergency medical services.
 4 6 (3) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "c", not
 4 7 more than \$600,000 shall be used for the state poison control
 4 8 center.
 4 9 (4) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "c", not
 4 10 more than \$288,770 shall be used for the development of
 4 11 scientific and medical expertise in environmental
 4 12 epidemiology.
 4 13 (5) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "c", not
 4 14 more than \$76,388 shall be used for the childhood lead
 4 15 poisoning prevention program.
 4 16 d. For the automated external defibrillator grant program
 4 17 established pursuant to section 135.26:
 4 18 \$ 40,000
 4 19 e. For the center for congenital and inherited disorders
 4 20 established pursuant to section 136A.3:
 4 21 \$ 26,000
 4 22 f. For a grant program to provide substance abuse
 4 23 prevention programming for children:
 4 24 \$ 1,050,000
 4 25 (1) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "f",
 4 26 \$500,000 shall be utilized to provide funding for
 4 27 organizations that provide programming for children by
 4 28 utilizing mentors. Of the amount specified in this
 4 29 subparagraph (1), \$25,000 shall be utilized to provide grants
 4 30 to small community-based organizations that meet the
 4 31 requirements of this subparagraph (1). Programs approved for
 4 32 grants under this subparagraph (1) shall be certified or will
 4 33 be certified within six months of receiving the grant award by
 4 34 the Iowa commission on volunteer services as utilizing the
 4 35 standards for effective practice for mentoring programs.



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5 1 (2) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "f",
 5 2 \$500,000 shall be utilized to provide funding for
 5 3 organizations that provide programming that includes youth
 5 4 development and leadership. Of the amount specified in this
 5 5 subparagraph (2), \$25,000 shall be utilized to provide grants
 5 6 to small community-based organizations that meet the
 5 7 requirements of this subparagraph (2). The programs shall
 5 8 also be recognized as being programs that are scientifically
 5 9 based with evidence of their effectiveness in reducing
 5 10 substance abuse in children.

5 11 (3) The Iowa department of public health shall utilize a
 5 12 request for proposals process to implement the program under
 5 13 this paragraph "f".

5 14 (4) All grant recipients under this paragraph "f" shall
 5 15 participate in a program evaluation as a requirement for
 5 16 receiving grant funds.

5 17 (5) Of the funds appropriated in this paragraph "f",
 5 18 \$50,000 shall be used to administer substance abuse prevention
 5 19 grants and for program evaluations.

5 20 g. For providing grants to individual patients who have
 5 21 phenylketonuria (PKU) to assist with the costs of necessary
 5 22 special foods:

5 23 \$ 100,000

5 24 h. For additional funding to leverage federal funding
 5 25 through the federal Ryan White Care Act, Title II, AIDS drug
 5 26 assistance program supplemental drug treatment grants:

5 27 \$ 275,000

5 28 i. For a grant to an existing national-affiliated
 5 29 organization to provide education, client-centered programs,
 5 30 and client and family support for people living with epilepsy
 5 31 and their families:

5 32 \$ 100,000

5 33 3. To the department of corrections:

5 34 \$ 4,006,474

5 35 a. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$228,216



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6 1 is allocated to the first judicial district department of
6 2 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
6 3 be used for community-based corrections, and \$128,216 shall be
6 4 used to replace expired federal funding for dual diagnosis
6 5 offenders.

6 6 b. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$406,217
6 7 is allocated to the second judicial district department of
6 8 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
6 9 be used for community-based corrections and \$306,217 shall be
6 10 used to replace expired federal funding for day programming
6 11 and to replace expired federal funding for the drug court
6 12 program with \$50,000 of this amount being used for substance
6 13 abuse treatment.

6 14 c. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$200,359
6 15 is allocated to the third judicial district department of
6 16 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
6 17 be used for community-based corrections, and \$100,359 shall be
6 18 used to replace expired federal funding for the drug court
6 19 program.

6 20 d. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$291,731
6 21 is allocated to the fourth judicial district department of
6 22 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
6 23 be used for community-based corrections, and \$191,731 shall be
6 24 used for the drug court program.

6 25 e. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$355,693
6 26 is allocated to the fifth judicial district department of
6 27 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
6 28 be used for community-based corrections, and \$255,693 shall be
6 29 used to replace expired federal funding for the drug court
6 30 program.

6 31 f. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$494,741
6 32 is allocated to the sixth judicial district department of
6 33 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
6 34 be used for community-based corrections, \$64,741 shall be used
6 35 to replace expired federal funding for dual diagnosis



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7 1 offenders, and \$330,000 shall be used to establish drug court
7 2 programs in Johnson and Linn counties.

7 3 g. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$232,232
7 4 is allocated to the seventh judicial district department of
7 5 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
7 6 be used for community-based corrections, and \$132,232 shall be
7 7 used to replace expired federal funding for the drug court
7 8 program.

7 9 h. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$300,000
7 10 is allocated to the eighth judicial district department of
7 11 correctional services. Of the funds allocated, \$100,000 shall
7 12 be used for community-based corrections, and \$200,000 shall be
7 13 used to implement an adult drug court program.

7 14 i. Of the funds appropriated in this subsection,
7 15 \$1,497,285 is allocated to the Fort Madison correctional
7 16 facility for the clinical care unit.

7 17 Sec. 2. PURCHASE OF SERVICE CONTRACT PROVIDERS ==
7 18 REIMBURSEMENT INCREASE. There is appropriated from the
7 19 healthy Iowans tobacco trust created in section 12.65 to the
7 20 property tax relief fund created in section 426B.1 for the
7 21 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008,
7 22 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to
7 23 be used for the purposes designated:

7 24 For assistance to the counties with limited county mental
7 25 health, mental retardation, and developmental disabilities
7 26 services fund balances which were selected in accordance with
7 27 2000 Iowa Acts, chapter 1221, section 3, to receive such
7 28 assistance in the same amount provided during the fiscal year
7 29 beginning July 1, 2000, and ending June 30, 2001, to pay
7 30 reimbursement increases in accordance with 2000 Iowa Acts,
7 31 chapter 1221, section 3:
7 32 \$ 146,750

7 33 Sec. 3. IOWA EMPOWERMENT FUND. There is appropriated from
7 34 the healthy Iowans tobacco trust created in section 12.65, to
7 35 the Iowa empowerment fund created in section 28.9 for the



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8 1 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008,
8 2 for deposit in the school ready children grants account:

8 3 \$ 2,153,250

8 4 Sec. 4. IOWA COMMISSION ON VOLUNTEER SERVICES. There is
8 5 appropriated from the healthy Iowans tobacco trust created in
8 6 section 12.65 to the department of economic development for
8 7 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30,
8 8 2008, the following amount, or so much thereof as is
8 9 necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

8 10 For allocation to the Iowa commission on volunteer services
8 11 for the Iowa's promise and mentoring partnership program and
8 12 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
8 13 positions:

8 14 \$ 125,000

8 15 FTEs 1.00

8 16 Sec. 5. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION. There is appropriated
8 17 from the healthy Iowans tobacco trust created in section
8 18 12.65, to the department of education for the fiscal year
8 19 beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008, the
8 20 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
8 21 used for the purpose designated:

8 22 To continue the competitive grants program to expand the
8 23 availability of before and after school programs as provided
8 24 in section 256.26, if enacted by the Eighty-second General
8 25 Assembly, 2007 Session:

8 26 \$ 305,000

8 27 Sec. 6. ENDOWMENT FOR IOWA'S HEALTH ACCOUNT == TRANSFER.

8 28 In addition to the amount transferred pursuant to section
8 29 12E.12, subsection 1, paragraph "b", subparagraph (2),
8 30 subparagraph subdivision (b), \$9,100,000 is transferred from
8 31 the endowment for Iowa's health account of the tobacco
8 32 settlement trust fund created in section 12E.12 to the healthy
8 33 Iowans tobacco trust created in section 12.65 for the fiscal
8 34 year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008.

8 35 Sec. 7. 2006 Iowa Acts, chapter 1181, section 1,
9 1 subsection 2, paragraph e, is amended to read as follows:

9 2 e. For the automated external defibrillator grant program
9 3 established pursuant to section 135.26:

9 4 \$ 350,000

9 5 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in this
9 6 paragraph "e" that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
9 7 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
9 8 available for expenditure for the purpose designated until the
9 9 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

9 10 Sec. 8. EFFECTIVE DATE. The section of this Act amending
9 11 2006 Iowa Acts, chapter 1181, being deemed of immediate
9 12 importance, takes effect upon enactment.

EXPLANATION

9 14 This bill relates to and makes appropriations from the
9 15 healthy Iowans tobacco trust to the following departments for
9 16 fiscal year 2007=2008:

9 17 To the department of human services:

9 18 1. To supplement the medical assistance appropriation
9 19 including reimbursement for all noninstitutional providers
9 20 with the exception of anesthesia and dental providers and for
9 21 continuation of the resource-based relative value system; for



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9 22 reimbursement for dental services, hospitals, home health
9 23 agencies, critical access hospitals, the expansion of home
9 24 health care services and habilitative day care services, for
9 25 children with special needs, and expansion of respite care
9 26 services provided through home and community-based services
9 27 waivers; and for provision of coverage to women who require
9 28 treatment for breast or cervical cancer. A portion of the
9 29 funds are to be used to continue the chronic care consortium.
9 30 2. For child and family services including for
9 31 reimbursement of adoption, independent living, shelter care,
9 32 and home studies services providers, and other service
9 33 providers under the purview of the department of human
9 34 services.
9 35 3. For supplementation of the state supplementary



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10 1 assistance program.
10 2 4. For general administration of health-related programs.
10 3 To the Iowa department of public health:
10 4 1. For the tobacco use prevention and control initiative
10 5 and for additional substance abuse treatment.
10 6 2. For development of a healthy Iowans 2010 plan for the
10 7 following purposes: for essential public health services that
10 8 promote healthy aging throughout the lifespan, contracted
10 9 through a formula by local boards of health, to enhance health
10 10 promotion and disease prevention services; for the
10 11 implementation and support of a coordinated system of delivery
10 12 of trauma and emergency medical services; for the poison
10 13 control center; for development of scientific and medical
10 14 expertise in environmental epidemiology; and for the childhood
10 15 lead poisoning prevention program.
10 16 3. For the automated external defibrillator grant program.
10 17 4. For the center for congenital and inherited disorders.
10 18 5. For a grant program to provide substance abuse
10 19 prevention programming for children with specific criteria.
10 20 6. For a grant program for individuals with
10 21 phenylketonuria (PKU).
10 22 7. For leveraging of federal funds under the federal Ryan
10 23 White Care Act.
10 24 8. For a grant to provide education, programming, and
10 25 support for people living with epilepsy and their families.
10 26 To the department of corrections: for community-based
10 27 corrections, day programming, the drug court program, and for
10 28 the Fort Madison correctional facility for the clinical care
10 29 unit.
10 30 The bill appropriates funds for fiscal year 2007=2008 to
10 31 the property tax relief fund for the fiscal year beginning
10 32 July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008, for assistance to
10 33 counties with limited county mental health, mental
10 34 retardation, and developmental disabilities services fund
10 35 balances to pay reimbursement increases in the same amount as



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11 1 provided in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000, and ending
11 2 June 30, 2001.

11 3 The bill appropriates funds to the Iowa empowerment fund
11 4 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June
11 5 30, 2008, for deposit in the school ready children grants
11 6 account.

11 7 The bill appropriates funds to the department of economic
11 8 development for fiscal year 2007=2008 for allocation to the
11 9 Iowa commission on volunteer services for the Iowa's promise
11 10 and mentoring partnership program.

11 11 The bill appropriates funds to the department of education
11 12 to continue the competitive grants program to expand the
11 13 availability of before and after school programs.

11 14 The bill provides for the transfer of additional funds from
11 15 the endowment for Iowa's health account to the healthy Iowans
11 16 tobacco trust for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and
11 17 ending June 30, 2008.

11 18 The bill provides for the nonreversion of the appropriation
11 19 for fiscal year 2006=2007 for the automated external
11 20 defibrillator grant program made in 2006 Iowa Acts, chapter
11 21 1181. This provision takes effect upon enactment.

11 22 LSB 1137YC 82

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HOUSE FILE
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
WAYS AND MEANS BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON SHOMSHOR)

Passed House, Date _____ Passed Senate, Date _____
Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes _____ Nays
Approved

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to providing sales, use, and property tax
- 2 exemptions for a certain web search portal business.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
- 4 TLSB 2922HC 82
- 5 mg/gg/14



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1 1 Section 1. Section 423.3, Code 2007, is amended by adding
1 2 the following new subsection:

1 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 92. a. (1) The sales price from the
1 4 sale or rental of computers and equipment that are necessary
1 5 for the maintenance and operation of a web search portal and
1 6 property whether directly or indirectly connected to the
1 7 computers, including but not limited to cooling systems,
1 8 cooling towers, and other temperature control infrastructure;
1 9 power infrastructure for transformation, distribution, or
1 10 management of electricity used for the maintenance and
1 11 operation of the web search portal, including but not limited
1 12 to exterior dedicated business-owned substations, back-up
1 13 power generation systems, battery systems, and related
1 14 infrastructure; and racking systems, cabling, and trays, which
1 15 are necessary for the maintenance and operation of the web
1 16 search portal.

1 17 (2) The sales price of back-up power generation fuel, that
1 18 is purchased by a web search portal business for use in the
1 19 items listed in subparagraph (1).

1 20 (3) The sales price of electricity purchased for use in
1 21 providing a web search portal.

1 22 b. For the purpose of claiming this exemption, all of the
1 23 following requirements shall be met:

1 24 (1) The primary business of the purchaser or renter shall
1 25 be as a provider of a web search portal.

1 26 (2) The web search portal business shall have a physical
1 27 location in the state that is used for the operations and
1 28 maintenance of the web search portal site on the internet
1 29 including but not limited to research and development to
1 30 support capabilities to organize information and to provide
1 31 internet access, navigation, and search.

1 32 (3) The web search portal business shall make a minimum
1 33 investment in an Iowa physical location of two hundred million
1 34 dollars within the first six years of operation in Iowa
1 35 beginning with the date the web search portal business



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2 1 initiates site preparation activities. The minimum investment
2 2 includes the initial investment, including land and subsequent
2 3 acquisition of additional adjacent land and subsequent
2 4 investment at the Iowa location.

2 5 (4) The web search portal business shall purchase, option,
2 6 or lease Iowa land not later than December 31, 2008, for any
2 7 initial investment. However, the December 31, 2008, date
2 8 shall not affect the future purchases of adjacent land and
2 9 additional investment in the initial or adjacent land to
2 10 qualify as part of the minimum investment for purposes of this
2 11 exemption.

2 12 c. This exemption applies from the date of the initial
2 13 investment in or the initiation of site preparation activities
2 14 for the web search portal facility as described in paragraph
2 15 "b". For purposes of claiming this exemption, the
2 16 requirements may be met by aggregating the various investments
2 17 and other requirements of the web search portal business's
2 18 affiliates. This exemption applies to affiliates of the web
2 19 search portal business.

2 20 d. Failure to meet eighty percent of the minimum
2 21 investment amount requirement specified in paragraph "b"
2 22 within the first six years of operation from the date the web
2 23 search portal business initiates site preparation activities
2 24 will result in the web search portal business losing the right
2 25 to claim this exemption and the web search portal business
2 26 shall pay all sales or use tax that would have been due on the
2 27 purchase or rental or use of the items listed in this
2 28 exemption, plus any applicable penalty and interest imposed by
2 29 statute.

2 30 e. For purposes of this subsection:

2 31 (1) "Affiliate" means an entity that directly or
2 32 indirectly controls, is controlled with or by, or is under
2 33 common control with another entity.

2 34 (2) "Control" means any of the following:

2 35 (a) In the case of a United States corporation, the



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3 1 ownership, directly or indirectly, of fifty percent or more of
3 2 the voting power to elect directors.

3 3 (b) In the case of a foreign corporation, if the voting
3 4 power to elect the directors is less than fifty percent, the
3 5 maximum amount allowed by applicable law.

3 6 (c) In the case of an entity other than a corporation,
3 7 fifty percent or more ownership interest in the entity, or the
3 8 power to direct the management of the entity.

3 9 (3) "Web search portal business" means an entity whose
3 10 primary business is to provide a search portal to organize
3 11 information; to access, search, and navigate the internet,
3 12 including research and development to support capabilities to
3 13 organize information; and to provide internet access,
3 14 navigation, and search functionalities.

3 15 Sec. 2. Section 427.1, Code 2007, is amended by adding the
3 16 following new subsection:

3 17 NEW SUBSECTION. 35. a. Property that is utilized by a
3 18 web search portal business as defined in and meeting the
3 19 requirements of section 423.3, subsection 92, including
3 20 computers and equipment that are necessary for the maintenance
3 21 and operation of a web search portal and other property
3 22 whether directly or indirectly connected to the computers,
3 23 including but not limited to cooling systems, cooling towers,
3 24 and other temperature control infrastructure; power
3 25 infrastructure for transformation, distribution, or management
3 26 of electricity, including but not limited to exterior
3 27 dedicated business-owned substations, and power distribution
3 28 systems which are not subject to assessment under chapter
3 29 437A; racking systems, cabling, and trays; and back-up power
3 30 generation systems, battery systems, and related
3 31 infrastructure all of which are necessary for the maintenance
3 32 and operation of the web search portal site.

3 33 b. This exemption applies beginning with the assessment
3 34 year the investment in or construction of the facility
3 35 utilizing the materials, equipment, and systems set forth in



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4 1 paragraph "a" are first assessed. For purposes of claiming
4 2 this exemption, the requirements may be met by aggregating the
4 3 various investments and other requirements of the web search
4 4 portal business's affiliates as allowed under section 423.3,
4 5 subsection 92. This exemption applies to affiliates of the
4 6 web search portal business.

4 7 Sec. 3. IMPLEMENTATION. Section 25B.7 does not apply to
4 8 the property tax exemption enacted in this Act.

4 9 EXPLANATION

4 10 This bill provides a sales and use tax exemption for the
4 11 sale or rental of computers and equipment that are necessary
4 12 for the maintenance and operation of a web search portal and
4 13 property that is directly or indirectly connected to the
4 14 computers; the sale of back-up power generation fuel; and
4 15 electricity used in providing the web search portal.

4 16 To qualify for the sales and use tax exemption, the primary
4 17 business of the purchaser or renter must be as a provider of a
4 18 web search portal, the web search portal business must have a
4 19 physical location in the state that is used for the operations
4 20 and maintenance of the web search portal site on the internet,
4 21 the business must have a minimum investment within the first
4 22 six years of operation in Iowa of \$200 million, and the
4 23 business must purchase, option, or lease land in the state not
4 24 later than December 31, 2008.

4 25 The bill also provides a property tax exemption for
4 26 property utilized by a web search portal business as defined
4 27 in and meeting the qualifications of the provisions for the
4 28 sales and use tax exemption.

4 29 Code section 25B.7 does not apply to the property tax
4 30 exemption in the bill. This Code section requires state
4 31 funding to implement property tax exemption.

4 32 LSB 2922HC 82

4 33 mg/gg/14



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Senate Amendment 3336

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1 1 Amend Senate File 489, as passed by the Senate, as
1 2 follows:
1 3 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 17 the
1 4 following:
1 5 <() A representative of Iowa AARP.
1 6 () A licensed health care provider specializing
1 7 in the practice of gerontology.>
1 8 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
1 9 SF 489.H
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1 1 Amend Senate File 563, as passed by the Senate, as
 1 2 follows:
 1 3 #1. Page 4, by inserting after line 29 the
 1 4 following:
 1 5 <Sec. _____. Section 607A.8, Code 2007, is amended
 1 6 by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof
 1 7 the following:
 1 8 607A.8 FEES AND EXPENSES FOR JURORS.
 1 9 1. A grand juror and a petit juror in all courts
 1 10 shall receive thirty dollars as compensation for each
 1 11 day's service or attendance, including attendance
 1 12 required for the purpose of being considered for
 1 13 service. The supreme court may adopt rules that allow
 1 14 additional compensation for jurors whose attendance
 1 15 and service exceeds seven days.
 1 16 2. A grand juror and a petit juror in all courts
 1 17 shall receive reimbursement for mileage expenses at
 1 18 the rate specified in section 602.1509 for each mile
 1 19 traveled each day to and from the residence of the
 1 20 juror to the place of service or attendance, and shall
 1 21 receive reimbursement for actual expenses of parking,
 1 22 as determined by the clerk of the district court. A
 1 23 juror who is a person with a disability may receive
 1 24 reimbursement for the costs of alternate
 1 25 transportation from the residence of the juror to the
 1 26 place of service or attendance. A juror shall not
 1 27 receive reimbursement for mileage expenses or actual
 1 28 expenses of parking when the juror travels in a
 1 29 vehicle for which another juror is receiving
 1 30 reimbursement for mileage and parking expenses.
 1 31 3. A grand juror or a petit juror in all courts
 1 32 may waive the right of the juror to receive
 1 33 compensation under subsection 1 or reimbursement under
 1 34 subsection 2.
 1 35 Sec. _____. NEW SECTION. 607A.47 JUROR
 1 36 QUESTIONNAIRE.
 1 37 The court may, on its own motion, or upon the
 1 38 motion of a party to the case or upon the request of a
 1 39 juror, order the sealing or partial sealing of a
 1 40 completed juror questionnaire, if the court finds that
 1 41 it is necessary to protect the safety or privacy of a
 1 42 juror or a family member of a juror.>
 1 43 SF 563.H
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Senate Amendment 3338

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1 1 Amend House File 874, as amended, passed, and
 1 2 reprinted by the House, as follows:
 1 3 #1. Page 3, by striking lines 15 and 16 and
 1 4 inserting the following:
 1 5 <..... \$ 1,711,873
 1 6 FTEs 108.00
 1 7 Of the moneys appropriated in this section,
 1 8 \$500,000 shall be used for establishing and operating
 1 9 a government accountability office within the office
 1 10 of the auditor of state.>
 1 11 #2. Page 17, by inserting after line 14 the
 1 12 following:
 1 13 <Sec. ____ . NEW SECTION. 11.42 GOVERNMENT
 1 14 ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICE.
 1 15 1. A government accountability office is
 1 16 established within the office of the auditor of state.
 1 17 The duties of the office shall be to review all
 1 18 service contracts, as defined in section 8F.2, entered
 1 19 into with the state. The auditor of state shall
 1 20 provide administrative support for the office.
 1 21 2. The auditor of state shall appoint the director
 1 22 of the government accountability office, who shall
 1 23 serve at the pleasure of the auditor, subject to
 1 24 confirmation by the senate, in accordance with section
 1 25 2.32. The director is the chief administrator of the
 1 26 government accountability office of the auditor of
 1 27 state. The director's term of office is for four
 1 28 years. The term begins and ends in the same manner as
 1 29 set forth in section 69.19.
 1 30 3. The government accountability office shall
 1 31 submit a report to the legislative government
 1 32 oversight committee on a monthly basis concerning its
 1 33 review of state service contracts.
 1 34 4. This section is repealed June 30, 2012.>
 1 35 #3. By renumbering as necessary.
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 1 41 PAUL McKINLEY
 1 42 DAVE MULDER
 1 43 BRAD ZAUN
 1 44 DAVID JOHNSON
 1 45 PAT WARD
 1 46 LARRY McKIBBEN
 1 47 MARK ZIEMAN
 1 48 DAVID L. HARTSUCH
 1 49 NANCY J. BOETTGER
 1 50 JAMES F. HAHN



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- 2 1 RON WIECK
- 2 2 JOHN PUTNEY
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Senate Amendment 3339

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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
 1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
 1 3 as follows:
 1 4 #1. Page 5, by inserting after line 47 the
 1 5 following:
 1 6 <Sec. ____ . NEW SECTION. 284.15 IOWA JUVENILE
 1 7 HOME == PRACTITIONERS.
 1 8 1. For purposes of this chapter, an individual who
 1 9 holds a practitioner's license issued under chapter
 1 10 272 and who is employed in a nonadministrative
 1 11 position by the department of human services at the
 1 12 Iowa juvenile home shall be considered a teacher if
 1 13 the individual and the Iowa juvenile home meet the
 1 14 requirements of this chapter. If the Iowa juvenile
 1 15 home and a practitioner employed at the Iowa juvenile
 1 16 home are determined by the department to meet the
 1 17 requirements of this chapter, the department shall
 1 18 annually distribute funds to the Iowa juvenile home in
 1 19 the manner prescribed for school districts pursuant to
 1 20 section 284.13.
 1 21 2. The area education agency in which the Iowa
 1 22 juvenile home is located shall work with the Iowa
 1 23 juvenile home to develop a plan for meeting the
 1 24 requirements of this chapter, which shall be submitted
 1 25 to the department of education, the department of
 1 26 human services, and the general assembly by January
 1 27 14, 2008. This subsection is repealed July 1, 2008.>>
 1 28 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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 1 36 HUBERT HOUSER
 1 37 E. THURMAN GASKILL
 1 38 JAMES A. SEYMOUR
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 1 40 PAT WARD
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 1 42 JEFF ANGELO
 1 43 STEVE KETTERING
 1 44 RON WIECK
 1 45 JAMES F. HAHN
 1 46 LARRY MCKIBBEN
 1 47 JERRY BEHN
 1 48 SF 277.518 82
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Senate Amendment 3340

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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 3, by inserting after line 3 the
1 5 following:
1 6 <#____. Page 4, by inserting after line 27 the
1 7 following:
1 8 <Sec. _____. Section 284.3, subsection 1, Code 2007,
1 9 is amended by adding the following new paragraph:
1 10 NEW PARAGRAPH. 0a. Demonstrates effectiveness in
1 11 producing objectively measured student achievement
1 12 gains.>>
1 13 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 17 PAUL MCKINLEY
1 18 JERRY BEHN
1 19 E. THURMAN GASKILL
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1 21 LARRY NOBLE
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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
 1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
 1 3 as follows:
 1 4 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 4 the
 1 5 following:
 1 6 <#____. By striking page 2, line 33, through page
 1 7 3, line 2, and inserting the following: <for which
 1 8 the district has requested a waiver.
 1 9 3. Notwithstanding the waiver and waiver extension
 1 10 deadlines established pursuant to subsection 1, until
 1 11 an appropriation is enacted for distribution to school
 1 12 districts in an amount sufficient to fully offset the
 1 13 school districts' additional costs of complying with
 1 14 the requirements of section 256.11, subsection 9, 9A,
 1 15 or 9B, a school district may apply for a waiver of the
 1 16 requirements of section 256.11, subsection 9, 9A, or
 1 17 9B, and for an extension of that waiver in succeeding
 1 18 school years.>>
 1 19 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 3, by inserting after line 3 the
1 5 following:
1 6 <#____. Page 5, by striking lines 20 through 23 and
1 7 inserting the following: <shall be a comprehensive,
1 8 nondiscriminatory balance of administrators and
1 9 teachers. The>
1 10 #____. Page 5, line 24, by inserting after the word
1 11 <board> the following: <and an equal number of
1 12 teachers shall be selected, without discrimination
1 13 against any teacher based on race, religion, gender,
1 14 or organization affiliation, by the professional
1 15 staff. If a certified employee bargaining
1 16 organization exists, teacher membership on the
1 17 committee shall be in proportion to the number of
1 18 teachers who are members of the certified employee
1 19 bargaining organization and the number of teachers who
1 20 are not members of the certified bargaining
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1 12 teachers shall be selected, without discrimination
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1 14 or organization affiliation, by the professional
1 15 staff. If a certified employee bargaining
1 16 organization exists, teacher membership on the
1 17 committee shall be in proportion to the number of
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1 19 bargaining organization and the number of teachers who
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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
 1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
 1 3 as follows:
 1 4 #1. Page 5, by inserting after line 47 the
 1 5 following:
 1 6 <Sec. ____ . NEW SECTION. 284.15 SCHOOL FOR THE
 1 7 DEAF AND IOWA BRAILLE AND SIGHT SAVING SCHOOL ==
 1 8 PRACTITIONERS.
 1 9 1. For purposes of this chapter, an individual who
 1 10 holds a practitioner's license issued under chapter
 1 11 272 and who is employed in a nonadministrative
 1 12 position at the state school for the deaf or the Iowa
 1 13 braille and sight saving school shall be considered a
 1 14 teacher if the individual and the school in which the
 1 15 individual practices meet the requirements of this
 1 16 chapter. If a school and a practitioner employed at
 1 17 the school are determined by the department to meet
 1 18 the requirements of this chapter, the department shall
 1 19 annually distribute funds to the school in the manner
 1 20 prescribed for school districts pursuant to section
 1 21 284.13.
 1 22 2. The area education agencies in which the
 1 23 schools are located shall work with the schools to
 1 24 develop a plan for meeting the requirements of this
 1 25 chapter, which shall be submitted to the department of
 1 26 education, the state board of regents, and the general
 1 27 assembly by January 14, 2008. This subsection is
 1 28 repealed July 1, 2008.>>
 1 29 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 1 Amend Senate File 578 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 3, line 22, by striking the word <There>
1 3 and inserting the following: <Notwithstanding any
1 4 provision of section 35A.13 to the contrary, there>.
1 5 #2. Page 3, lines 22 and 23, by striking the words
1 6 <general fund of the state> and inserting the
1 7 following: <veterans trust fund created in section
1 8 35A.13>.
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1 12 STEVE WARNSTADT
1 13 SF 578.702 82
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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 1, by inserting after line 39 the
1 5 following:
1 6 <<Sec. _____. Section 257.31, Code 2007, is amended
1 7 by adding the following new subsection:
1 8 NEW SUBSECTION. 18. Subject to appropriation of
1 9 sufficient funds by the general assembly, the school
1 10 budget review committee shall establish a grant
1 11 assistance program and application process to provide
1 12 one-time grants to eligible school districts for
1 13 purposes of adding one or more teacher librarians
1 14 pursuant to section 256.11, subsection 9, one or more
1 15 guidance counselors pursuant to section 256.11,
1 16 subsection 9A, or one or more school nurses pursuant
1 17 to section 256.11, subsection 9B.
1 18 a. The committee shall establish criteria to be
1 19 used in evaluating the applications for grant
1 20 assistance submitted by school districts in accordance
1 21 with this subsection. The criteria shall include but
1 22 is not limited to requirements that an eligible school
1 23 district have a cash reserve of twenty-five percent or
1 24 less and a demonstrated need for the funding.
1 25 b. A professional support fund is created in the
1 26 state treasury to be administered by the school budget
1 27 review committee for purposes of this subsection.
1 28 Notwithstanding section 8.33, any balance in the fund
1 29 on June 30 of any fiscal year shall not revert to the
1 30 general fund of the state but shall remain available
1 31 to the committee for purposes of this subsection.
1 32 Notwithstanding section 12C.7, any interest and
1 33 earnings on investments from money in the fund shall
1 34 be credited to the fund.>
1 35 #2. Page 3, by inserting after line 41 the
1 36 following:
1 37 <#____. Page 15, line 34, by striking the words
1 38 <four hundred> and inserting the following:
1 39 <hundred>.
1 40 #____. Page 16, line 7, by inserting after the
1 41 figure <256.45> the following: <and not less than one
1 42 million dollars shall be deposited in the professional
1 43 support fund created pursuant to section 257.31,
1 44 subsection 18, as enacted by this Act>.>
1 45 #3. Page 6, by inserting after line 17 the
1 46 following:
1 47 <#____. Page 29, by striking line 14 and inserting
1 48 the following: <173,943,894>.
1 49 #____. Page 29, by striking line 16 and inserting
1 50 the following: <248,943,894>.>



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2 1 #4. By renumbering as necessary.
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2 5 FRANK B. WOOD
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2 7 kh/es/8221



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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 3, by striking lines 20 and 21 and
1 5 inserting the following: <education, the use and
1 6 distribution of the professional>.>
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1 11 SF 277.721 82
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1 1 Amend Senate File 585 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 1, line 5, by striking the word
1 3 <twenty=five> and inserting the following:
1 4 <twenty=five>.
1 5 #2. Page 1, line 6, by striking the word
1 6 <seventy=five>.
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1 11 SF 585.201 82
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1 1 Amend the House amendment, S=3298, to Senate File
1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 5, by inserting after line 47 the
1 5 following:
1 6 <Sec. _____. NEW SECTION. 284.15 STATE TRAINING
1 7 SCHOOL == ELDORA == PRACTITIONERS.
1 8 1. For purposes of this chapter, an individual who
1 9 holds a practitioner's license issued under chapter
1 10 272 and who is employed in a nonadministrative
1 11 position by the department of human services at the
1 12 state training school located at Eldora shall be
1 13 considered a teacher if the individual and the school
1 14 meet the requirements of this chapter. If the school
1 15 and a practitioner employed at the school are
1 16 determined by the department to meet the requirements
1 17 of this chapter, the department shall annually
1 18 distribute funds to the school in the manner
1 19 prescribed for school districts pursuant to section
1 20 284.13.
1 21 2. The area education agency in which the state
1 22 training school in Eldora is located shall work with
1 23 the school to develop a plan for meeting the
1 24 requirements of this chapter, which shall be submitted
1 25 to the department of education, the department of
1 26 human services, and the general assembly by January
1 27 14, 2008. This subsection is repealed July 1, 2008.>>
1 28 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 32 LARRY McKIBBEN
1 33 SF 277.520 82
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1 2 277, as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate,
1 3 as follows:
1 4 #1. Page 3, by striking lines 42 through 44.
1 5 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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1 11 DAVE MULDER
1 12 SF 277.236 82
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SENATE FILE
BY COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 1332)

Passed Senate, Date _____

Passed House, Date _____

Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____

Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____

Approved

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to the funding of, the operation of, and
- 2 appropriation of moneys to the college student aid commission,
- 3 the department for the blind, the department of education, and
- 4 the state board of regents, and providing effective dates.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
- 6 TLBS 1129SV 82
- 7 kh/je/5



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1 1 DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLIND

1 2 Section 1. ADMINISTRATION. There is appropriated from the

1 3 general fund of the state to the department for the blind for

1 4 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30,

1 5 2008, the following amount, or so much thereof as is

1 6 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

1 7 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes

1 8 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent

1 9 positions:

1 10	\$	2,404,747
1 11	FTEs	97.00

1 12 COLLEGE STUDENT AID COMMISSION

1 13 Sec. 2. There is appropriated from the general fund of the

1 14 state to the college student aid commission for the fiscal

1 15 year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008, the

1 16 following amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to

1 17 be used for the purposes designated:

1 18 1. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

1 19 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,

1 20 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent

1 21 positions:

1 22	\$	376,053
1 23	FTEs	4.30

1 24 The commission shall conduct a study of the estimated

1 25 family contribution limit eligibility requirement for Iowa

1 26 tuition grants to determine whether the current requirement is

1 27 fair and equitable for prospective recipients and their

1 28 families. The findings and recommendations, which the

1 29 commission shall submit in a report to the general assembly by

1 30 January 14, 2008, shall include transition plans to ensure

1 31 that students with the greatest financial need receive full

1 32 grants.

1 33 2. STUDENT AID PROGRAMS

1 34 For payments to students for the Iowa grant program:

1 35	\$	1,070,976
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2 1 3. DES MOINES UNIVERSITY == OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL CENTER
2 2 a. For forgivable loans to Iowa students attending Des
2 3 Moines university == osteopathic medical center under the
2 4 forgivable loan program pursuant to section 261.19:
2 5 \$ 100,000
2 6 To receive funds appropriated pursuant to this paragraph,
2 7 Des Moines university == osteopathic medical center shall
2 8 match the funds with institutional funds on a dollar=for=
2 9 dollar basis.
2 10 b. For Des Moines university == osteopathic medical center
2 11 for an initiative in primary health care to direct primary
2 12 care physicians to shortage areas in the state:
2 13 \$ 346,451
2 14 4. NATIONAL GUARD EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
2 15 For purposes of providing national guard educational
2 16 assistance under the program established in section 261.86:
2 17 \$ 3,800,000
2 18 5. TEACHER SHORTAGE PROGRAMS
2 19 For the teacher shortage programs established in section
2 20 261.111 and section 261.112, as enacted in this Act:
2 21 \$ 1,000,000
2 22 It is the intent of the general assembly that
2 23 appropriations made for teacher shortage program purposes for
2 24 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and each succeeding
2 25 fiscal year, be distributed under the teacher shortage loan
2 26 forgiveness program created pursuant to section 261.112, as
2 27 enacted by this Act.
2 28 6. ALL IOWA OPPORTUNITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
2 29 For purposes of the all Iowa opportunity assistance
2 30 program, which includes the all Iowa opportunity foster care
2 31 grant program established pursuant to section 261.6, as
2 32 enacted by this Act, and the all Iowa opportunity scholarship
2 33 program established pursuant to section 261.88, as enacted by
2 34 this Act:
2 35 \$ 1,000,000



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3 1 From the funds appropriated pursuant to this subsection, up
3 2 to \$500,000 shall be used for purposes of the all Iowa
3 3 opportunity foster care grant program established pursuant to
3 4 section 261.6, as enacted by this Act, and at least \$500,000
3 5 shall be used for purposes of the all Iowa opportunity
3 6 scholarship program as established in section 261.88, as
3 7 enacted by this Act.

3 8 Sec. 3. WORK=STUDY APPROPRIATION FOR FY 2007=2008.
3 9 Notwithstanding section 261.85, for the fiscal year beginning
3 10 July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008, the amount
3 11 appropriated from the general fund of the state to the college
3 12 student aid commission for the work=study program under
3 13 section 261.85 shall be \$395,600, and from the moneys
3 14 appropriated in this section, \$215,600 shall be allocated to
3 15 institutions of higher education under the state board of
3 16 regents and community colleges and the remaining dollars
3 17 appropriated in this section shall be allocated by the college
3 18 student aid commission on the basis of need as determined by
3 19 the portion of the federal formula for distribution for work=
3 20 study funds that relates to the current need of institutions.

3 21 Sec. 4. REGISTERED NURSE AND NURSE EDUCATOR LOAN
3 22 FORGIVENESS PROGRAM FUNDS. From the funds appropriated for
3 23 tuition grants pursuant to section 261.25, subsection 1, as
3 24 amended in this Act, for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
3 25 2007, up to \$100,000 shall be used to provide loan forgiveness
3 26 as provided in section 261.23, as amended in this Act. The
3 27 college student aid commission shall submit in a report to the
3 28 chairpersons and ranking members of the joint appropriations
3 29 subcommittee on education by January 1, 2009, the number of
3 30 registered nurses and nurse educators who received loan
3 31 forgiveness in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007,
3 32 pursuant to section 261.23, as amended in this Act, and the
3 33 amount paid to each of the registered nurses and nurse
3 34 educators.

3 35 It is the intent of the general assembly that



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4 1 appropriations made for purposes of the registered nurse and
4 2 nurse educator loan forgiveness program for the fiscal year
4 3 beginning July 1, 2007, and each succeeding fiscal year, be
4 4 distributed under the program created pursuant to section
4 5 261.23, as amended in this Act, for registered nurses and
4 6 nurse educators.
4 7 Sec. 5. SCHOLARSHIP AND TUITION GRANT RESERVE FUND
4 8 APPROPRIATION == BARBER SCHOOL AND SCHOOL OF COSMETOLOGY ARTS
4 9 AND SCIENCES TUITION GRANTS. Notwithstanding the maximum
4 10 allowed balance requirement of the scholarship and tuition
4 11 grant reserve fund as provided in section 261.20, there is
4 12 appropriated from the scholarship and tuition grant reserve
4 13 fund to the college student aid commission for the fiscal year
4 14 beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008, an amount up
4 15 to \$100,000 to be used to award Iowa vocational=technical
4 16 tuition grants to residents of Iowa who establish financial
4 17 need and are admitted and in attendance as a full=time or
4 18 part=time student in a course of study at a school of
4 19 cosmetology arts and sciences licensed under chapter 157 or a
4 20 barber school licensed pursuant to section 158.7 and
4 21 accredited by a national accrediting agency recognized by the
4 22 United States department of education. If the grant recipient
4 23 discontinues attendance before the end of any term after
4 24 receiving payment of the grant, the entire amount of any
4 25 refund due that student, up to the amount of any payments made
4 26 under the annual grant, shall be paid by the institution to
4 27 the state. Funds appropriated in this section are in addition
4 28 to funds appropriated in section 261.25, subsection 3, as
4 29 amended in this Act.
4 30 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
4 31 Sec. 6. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
4 32 state to the department of education for the fiscal year
4 33 beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008, the
4 34 following amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to
4 35 be used for the purposes designated:



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5 1 1. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

5 2 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,

5 3 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent

5 4 positions:

5 5	\$ 7,919,382
5 6	FTEs 85.37

5 7 From the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$225,000

5 8 shall be allocated for purposes of conducting, supporting, and

5 9 managing the accreditation of school districts and for

5 10 purposes of various other duties such as conducting

5 11 reorganization feasibility studies.

5 12 Of the full-time equivalent positions authorized in this

5 13 subsection, 10.00 full-time equivalent positions are allocated

5 14 to support management of the community college management

5 15 information system; for the expansion of the state board of

5 16 education model core curriculum; for the development and

5 17 implementation of strategic educational goals; for the

5 18 implementation of the grant request for proposals, technical

5 19 assistance, and monitoring provisions in the student

5 20 advancement policy; for the collection and dissemination of

5 21 resources related to human growth and development curriculum;

5 22 for district sharing incentive purposes; and for the senior

5 23 year plus program study.

5 24 Of the full-time equivalent positions authorized in this

5 25 subsection, 1.00 full-time equivalent position is allocated

5 26 for district sharing incentive purposes and 4.00 full-time

5 27 equivalent positions are allocated for purposes of the student

5 28 achievement and teacher quality program.

5 29 The director of the department of education shall ensure

5 30 that all school districts are aware of the state education

5 31 resources available on the state website for listing teacher

5 32 job openings and shall make every reasonable effort to enable

5 33 qualified practitioners to post their resumes on the state

5 34 website. The department shall administer the posting of job

5 35 vacancies for school districts, accredited nonpublic schools,



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6 1 and area education agencies on the state website. The
6 2 department may coordinate this activity with the Iowa school
6 3 board association or other interested education associations
6 4 in the state. The department shall strongly encourage school
6 5 districts to seek direct claiming under the medical assistance
6 6 program for funding of school district nursing services for
6 7 students.

6 8 2. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION

6 9 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
6 10 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
6 11 positions:

6 12	\$	553,758
6 13	FTEs	13.50

6 14 3. VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES DIVISION

6 15 a. For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
6 16 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
6 17 equivalent positions:

6 18	\$	5,419,890
6 19	FTEs	273.50

6 20 The division of vocational rehabilitation services shall
6 21 seek funding from other sources, such as local funds, for
6 22 purposes of matching the state's federal vocational
6 23 rehabilitation allocation, as well as for matching other
6 24 federal vocational rehabilitation funding that may become
6 25 available.

6 26 Except where prohibited under federal law, the division of
6 27 vocational rehabilitation services of the department of
6 28 education shall accept client assessments, or assessments of
6 29 potential clients, performed by other agencies in order to
6 30 reduce duplication of effort.

6 31 Notwithstanding the full-time equivalent position limit
6 32 established in this lettered paragraph, for the fiscal year
6 33 ending June 30, 2008, if federal funding is received to pay
6 34 the costs of additional employees for the vocational
6 35 rehabilitation services division who would have duties



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7 1 relating to vocational rehabilitation services paid for
 7 2 through federal funding, authorization to hire not more than
 7 3 4.00 additional full-time equivalent employees shall be
 7 4 provided, the full-time equivalent position limit shall be
 7 5 exceeded, and the additional employees shall be hired by the
 7 6 division.

7 7 b. For matching funds for programs to enable persons with
 7 8 severe physical or mental disabilities to function more
 7 9 independently, including salaries and support, and for not
 7 10 more than the following full-time equivalent position:

7 11	\$	54,709
7 12	FTEs	1.00

7 13 The highest priority use for the moneys appropriated under
 7 14 this lettered paragraph shall be for programs that emphasize
 7 15 employment and assist persons with severe physical or mental
 7 16 disabilities to find and maintain employment to enable them to
 7 17 function more independently.

7 18 4. STATE LIBRARY

7 19 a. For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
 7 20 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
 7 21 equivalent positions:

7 22	\$	1,926,761
7 23	FTEs	19.00

7 24 b. For the enrich Iowa program:

7 25	\$	1,948,432
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7 26 5. LIBRARY SERVICE AREA SYSTEM

7 27 For state aid:

7 28	\$	1,586,000
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7 29 6. PUBLIC BROADCASTING DIVISION

7 30 For salaries, support, maintenance, capital expenditures,
 7 31 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following
 7 32 full-time equivalent positions:

7 33	\$	8,854,049
7 34	FTEs	93.00

7 35 7. REGIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COUNCILS



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8 1 For state aid:
8 2 \$ 1,364,525
8 3 The regional telecommunications councils established in
8 4 section 8D.5 shall use the funds appropriated in this
8 5 subsection to provide technical assistance for network
8 6 classrooms, planning and troubleshooting for local area
8 7 networks, scheduling of video sites, and other related support
8 8 activities.
8 9 8. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TO SECONDARY SCHOOLS
8 10 For reimbursement for vocational education expenditures
8 11 made by secondary schools:
8 12 \$ 2,936,904
8 13 Funds appropriated in this subsection shall be used for
8 14 expenditures made by school districts to meet the standards
8 15 set in sections 256.11, 258.4, and 260C.14 as a result of the
8 16 enactment of 1989 Iowa Acts, chapter 278. Funds shall be used
8 17 as reimbursement for vocational education expenditures made by
8 18 secondary schools in the manner provided by the department of
8 19 education for implementation of the standards set in 1989 Iowa
8 20 Acts, chapter 278.
8 21 9. SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE
8 22 For use as state matching funds for federal programs that
8 23 shall be disbursed according to federal regulations, including
8 24 salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes, and
8 25 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
8 26 positions:
8 27 \$ 2,509,683
8 28 FTEs 17.43
8 29 10. IOWA EMPOWERMENT FUND
8 30 For deposit in the school ready children grants account of
8 31 the Iowa empowerment fund created in section 28.9:
8 32 \$ 23,781,594
8 33 a. From the moneys deposited in the school ready children
8 34 grants account for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and
8 35 ending June 30, 2008, not more than \$300,000 is allocated for
9 1 the community empowerment office and other technical
9 2 assistance activities and of that amount, not more than
9 3 \$50,000 shall be used to administer the early childhood
9 4 coordinator's position pursuant to section 28.3, subsection 7,
9 5 and not more than \$50,000 shall be used to promote and provide
9 6 ongoing support to the parent website and to support and
9 7 coordinate a network of websites that provide support and
9 8 resources to parents and the general public. It is the intent
9 9 of the general assembly that regional technical assistance
9 10 teams will be established and will include staff from various
9 11 agencies, as appropriate, including the area education
9 12 agencies, community colleges, and the Iowa state university of
9 13 science and technology cooperative extension service in
9 14 agriculture and home economics. The Iowa empowerment board
9 15 shall direct staff to work with the advisory council to
9 16 inventory technical assistance needs. Funds allocated under
9 17 this lettered paragraph may be used by the Iowa empowerment
9 18 board for the purpose of skills development and support for
9 19 ongoing training of the regional technical assistance teams.
9 20 However, funds shall not be used for additional staff or for
9 21 the reimbursement of staff.



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9 22 b. As a condition of receiving funding appropriated in
9 23 this subsection, each community empowerment area board shall
9 24 report to the Iowa empowerment board progress on each of the
9 25 state indicators approved by the state board, as well as
9 26 progress on local indicators. The community empowerment area
9 27 board must also submit a written plan amendment extending by
9 28 one year the area's comprehensive school ready children grant
9 29 plan developed for providing services for children from birth
9 30 through five years of age and provide other information
9 31 specified by the Iowa empowerment board. The amendment may
9 32 also provide for changes in the programs and services provided
9 33 under the plan. The Iowa empowerment board shall establish a
9 34 submission deadline for the plan amendment that allows a
9 35 reasonable period of time for preparation of the plan



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10 1 amendment and for review and approval or request for
10 2 modification of the plan amendment by the Iowa empowerment
10 3 board. In addition, the community empowerment board must
10 4 continue to comply with reporting provisions and other
10 5 requirements adopted by the Iowa empowerment board in
10 6 implementing section 28.8.
10 7 c. Of the amount appropriated in this subsection for
10 8 deposit in the school ready children grants account of the
10 9 Iowa empowerment fund that is used for distribution to areas,
10 10 \$4,650,000 shall be used to assist low-income parents with
10 11 preschool tuition.
10 12 d. Of the amount appropriated in this subsection for
10 13 deposit in the school ready children grants account of the
10 14 Iowa empowerment fund, \$1,000,000 shall be used for support of
10 15 professional development and training activities for persons
10 16 working in early care, health, and education by the Iowa
10 17 empowerment board in collaboration with representation from
10 18 Iowa state university of science and technology cooperative
10 19 extension service in agriculture and home economics, area
10 20 education agencies, community colleges, child care resource
10 21 and referral services, and community empowerment area boards.
10 22 Expenditures shall be limited to professional development and
10 23 training activities agreed upon by the parties participating
10 24 in the collaboration.
10 25 e. Of the amount appropriated in this subsection for
10 26 deposit in the school ready children grants account of the
10 27 Iowa empowerment fund, \$100,000 shall be allocated to the
10 28 public broadcasting division of the department of education
10 29 for support of community empowerment as a ready-to-learn
10 30 coordinator.
10 31 11. BIRTH TO AGE THREE SERVICES
10 32 For expansion of the federal Individuals With Disabilities
10 33 Education Improvement Act of 2004, Pub. L. No. 108-446, as
10 34 amended to January 1, 2007, birth through age three services
10 35 due to increased numbers of children qualifying for those



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11 1 services:
 11 2 \$ 1,721,400
 11 3 From the funds appropriated in this subsection, \$421,400
 11 4 shall be allocated to the child health specialty clinic at the
 11 5 state university of Iowa to provide additional support for
 11 6 infants and toddlers who are born prematurely, drug=exposed,
 11 7 or medically fragile.
 11 8 12. EARLY HEAD START PILOT PROJECTS
 11 9 For transfer to the department of human services for
 11 10 implementation of early head start pilot projects addressing
 11 11 the comprehensive cognitive, social, emotional, and
 11 12 developmental needs of children from birth to age three,
 11 13 including prenatal support for qualified families:
 11 14 \$ 400,000
 11 15 Early head start pilot projects shall promote healthy
 11 16 prenatal outcomes, healthy family functioning, and strengthen
 11 17 the development of infants and toddlers in low=income
 11 18 families.
 11 19 13. STATEWIDE MANDATORY CHILD CARE REGISTRATION STUDY
 11 20 To transfer to the department of human services for
 11 21 development and implementation of a statewide mandatory child
 11 22 care registration study:
 11 23 \$ 100,000
 11 24 14. FOUR=YEAR=OLD PRESCHOOL PROGRAM
 11 25 For allocation to eligible school districts for the
 11 26 four=year=old preschool program under chapter 256C, if
 11 27 enacted, and for not more than the following full=time
 11 28 equivalent positions:
 11 29 \$ 15,000,000
 11 30 FTEs 3.00
 11 31 From the moneys appropriated pursuant to this subsection,
 11 32 not more than \$330,000 shall be used by the department for
 11 33 administration of the four=year=old preschool program
 11 34 established pursuant to chapter 256C, if enacted.
 11 35 15. TEXTBOOKS OF NONPUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS



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12 1 To provide funds for costs of providing textbooks to each
 12 2 resident pupil who attends a nonpublic school as authorized by
 12 3 section 301.1. The funding is limited to \$20 per pupil and
 12 4 shall not exceed the comparable services offered to resident
 12 5 public school pupils:
 12 6 \$ 664,165
 12 7 16. JOBS FOR AMERICA'S GRADUATES
 12 8 For school districts to provide direct services to the most
 12 9 at-risk senior high school students enrolled in school
 12 10 districts through direct intervention by a jobs for America's
 12 11 graduates specialist:
 12 12 \$ 600,000
 12 13 17. VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE YOUTH ORGANIZATION
 12 14 To assist a vocational agriculture youth organization
 12 15 sponsored by the schools to support the foundation established
 12 16 by that vocational agriculture youth organization and for
 12 17 other youth activities:
 12 18 \$ 50,000
 12 19 Funds appropriated in this subsection shall be allocated
 12 20 only to the extent that the state moneys are matched from
 12 21 other sources by the organization on a dollar-for-dollar
 12 22 basis.
 12 23 18. STATEWIDE EDUCATION DATA WAREHOUSE
 12 24 For the implementation of an educational data warehouse
 12 25 that will be utilized by teachers, parents, school district
 12 26 administrators, area education agency staff, department of
 12 27 education staff, and policymakers, and for not more than the
 12 28 following full-time equivalent positions:
 12 29 \$ 400,000
 12 30 FTEs 4.00
 12 31 The department may use a portion of these funds for
 12 32 administrative purposes.
 12 33 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated under
 12 34 this subsection which remain unobligated or unexpended on June
 12 35 30, 2008, shall not revert but shall remain available to be



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13 1 used for the purposes designated in the following fiscal year.
 13 2 19. ADVANCED PLACEMENT
 13 3 For distribution to the Connie Belin & Jacqueline N. Blank
 13 4 international center for gifted education and talent
 13 5 development located at the state university of Iowa for
 13 6 purposes of increasing student participation in advanced
 13 7 placement courses and exams in Iowa high schools through
 13 8 support of the Iowa online advanced placement academy:
 13 9 \$ 500,000
 13 10 State funds shall not be used by the center for
 13 11 reimbursement of advanced placement examination fees for
 13 12 students participating in advanced placement courses and exams
 13 13 through the online academy.
 13 14 20. SUPPLEMENTAL STRATEGIES AND EDUCATIONAL SERVICES GRANT
 13 15 PROGRAM
 13 16 For purposes of the supplemental strategies and educational
 13 17 services grant program established pursuant to section 279.65,
 13 18 if enacted by this Act:
 13 19 \$ 3,000,000
 13 20 21. BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS
 13 21 For the before and after school grant program established
 13 22 pursuant to section 256.26, if enacted by this Act:
 13 23 \$ 400,000
 13 24 22. BEGINNING ADMINISTRATOR MENTORING AND INDUCTION
 13 25 PROGRAM
 13 26 For purposes of administering the beginning administrator
 13 27 mentoring and induction program established pursuant to
 13 28 chapter 284A:
 13 29 \$ 250,000
 13 30 23. COMMUNITY COLLEGES
 13 31 For general state financial aid to merged areas as defined
 13 32 in section 260C.2 in accordance with chapters 258 and 260C:
 13 33 \$171,962,414
 13 34 Notwithstanding the allocation formula in section 260C.18C,
 13 35 the funds appropriated in this subsection shall be allocated



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14 1 as follows:

14 2	a.	Merged Area I	\$ 8,472,001
14 3	b.	Merged Area II	\$ 9,282,134
14 4	c.	Merged Area III	\$ 8,544,806
14 5	d.	Merged Area IV	\$ 4,200,810
14 6	e.	Merged Area V	\$ 9,408,978
14 7	f.	Merged Area VI	\$ 8,169,643
14 8	g.	Merged Area VII	\$ 12,077,303
14 9	h.	Merged Area IX	\$ 15,025,656
14 10	i.	Merged Area X	\$ 25,854,970
14 11	j.	Merged Area XI	\$ 25,758,739
14 12	k.	Merged Area XII	\$ 9,918,232
14 13	l.	Merged Area XIII	\$ 10,041,096
14 14	m.	Merged Area XIV	\$ 4,251,743
14 15	n.	Merged Area XV	\$ 13,348,554
14 16	o.	Merged Area XVI	\$ 7,607,749

14 17 Sec. 7. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION VOLUNTARY MODEL CORE
 14 18 CURRICULUM REPORT. The department of education shall evaluate
 14 19 the readiness of school districts to adopt and support the
 14 20 voluntary model core curriculum established pursuant to
 14 21 section 256.7, subsection 26; assess the professional
 14 22 development necessary in order for school districts to support
 14 23 teachers in improved instruction; identify the barriers to
 14 24 full adoption of the voluntary model core curriculum by school
 14 25 districts statewide; and develop the technical assistance
 14 26 required to assist all school districts to implement the
 14 27 voluntary model core curriculum. The department shall submit
 14 28 a report summarizing its activities, findings, and
 14 29 recommendations, including recommendations for action by the
 14 30 general assembly, to assist school districts in delivering the
 14 31 voluntary model core curriculum to students, in a report to
 14 32 the general assembly by January 14, 2008.

14 33 Sec. 8. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION == COMMUNITY COLLEGE
 14 34 QUALITY FACULTY WORKING GROUP. The department of education
 14 35 shall convene a working group to study comprehensive community



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15 1 college quality faculty issues. The working group shall
 15 2 include but is not limited to equal numbers of community
 15 3 college faculty and administrators. The director of the
 15 4 department of education may appoint additional education
 15 5 stakeholders if appropriate. The Iowa association of
 15 6 community college trustees shall appoint community college
 15 7 administrators to the working group and the Iowa state
 15 8 education association shall appoint college faculty to the
 15 9 working group. The working group shall submit its findings
 15 10 and recommendations in a report to the general assembly by
 15 11 January 14, 2008.

STATE BOARD OF REGENTS

15 13 Sec. 9. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
 15 14 state to the state board of regents for the fiscal year
 15 15 beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008, the
 15 16 following amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to
 15 17 be used for the purposes designated:

15 18 1. OFFICE OF STATE BOARD OF REGENTS

15 19 a. For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
 15 20 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
 15 21 equivalent positions:

15 22	\$ 1,167,137
15 23	FTEs 16.00

15 24 The state board of regents, the department of management,
 15 25 and the legislative services agency shall cooperate to
 15 26 determine and agree upon, by November 15, 2007, the amount
 15 27 that needs to be appropriated for tuition replacement for the
 15 28 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2008.

15 29 The state board of regents shall submit a monthly financial
 15 30 report in a format agreed upon by the state board of regents
 15 31 office and the legislative services agency.

15 32 The state board of regents shall not circumvent the
 15 33 requirements of section 270.10 and as the board develops any
 15 34 plan regarding the Iowa braille and sight saving school, it
 15 35 shall comply with the requirements of section 270.10 and shall



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16 1 report monthly to the legislative standing committee on
 16 2 government oversight during the legislative interim.
 16 3 b. For allocation by the state board of regents to the
 16 4 state university of Iowa, the Iowa state university of science
 16 5 and technology, and the university of northern Iowa to
 16 6 reimburse the institutions for deficiencies in their operating
 16 7 funds resulting from the pledging of tuitions, student fees
 16 8 and charges, and institutional income to finance the cost of
 16 9 providing academic and administrative buildings and facilities
 16 10 and utility services at the institutions:
 16 11 \$ 13,975,431
 16 12 Notwithstanding section 8.33, funds appropriated for the
 16 13 purposes in this lettered paragraph remaining unencumbered or
 16 14 unobligated at the end of the fiscal year shall not revert but
 16 15 shall be available for expenditure for the purposes specified
 16 16 in this lettered paragraph during the subsequent fiscal year.
 16 17 c. For funds to be allocated to the southwest Iowa
 16 18 graduate studies center:
 16 19 \$ 105,956
 16 20 d. For funds to be allocated to the siouxland interstate
 16 21 metropolitan planning council for the tristate graduate center
 16 22 under section 262.9, subsection 21:
 16 23 \$ 77,941
 16 24 e. For funds to be allocated to the quad-cities graduate
 16 25 studies center:
 16 26 \$ 157,144
 16 27 f. For funds for regents universities general operating
 16 28 budgets for strategic operating initiatives that enhance
 16 29 salaries, support, maintenance, equipment, and for
 16 30 miscellaneous purposes:
 16 31 \$ 25,000,000
 16 32 g. For funds to be distributed to the midwestern higher
 16 33 education compact to pay Iowa's member state annual
 16 34 obligation:
 16 35 \$ 90,000



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17 1 2. STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA
 17 2 a. General university, including lakeside laboratory
 17 3 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
 17 4 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following
 17 5 full-time equivalent positions:
 17 6 \$230,843,903
 17 7 FTEs 5,058.55
 17 8 b. Psychiatric hospital
 17 9 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
 17 10 miscellaneous purposes, for the care, treatment, and
 17 11 maintenance of committed and voluntary public patients, and
 17 12 for not more than the following full-time equivalent
 17 13 positions:
 17 14 \$ 7,043,056
 17 15 FTEs 269.65
 17 16 c. Center for disabilities and development
 17 17 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
 17 18 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
 17 19 positions:
 17 20 \$ 6,363,265
 17 21 FTEs 130.37
 17 22 From the funds appropriated in this lettered paragraph,
 17 23 \$200,000 shall be allocated for purposes of the employment
 17 24 policy group.
 17 25 d. Oakdale campus
 17 26 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
 17 27 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
 17 28 positions:
 17 29 \$ 2,657,335
 17 30 FTEs 38.25
 17 31 e. State hygienic laboratory
 17 32 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
 17 33 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
 17 34 positions:
 17 35 \$ 3,849,461



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18	1	FTEs	102.50
18	2	f. Family practice program		
18	3	For allocation by the dean of the college of medicine, with		
18	4	approval of the advisory board, to qualified participants, to		
18	5	carry out chapter 148D for the family practice program,		
18	6	including salaries and support, and for not more than the		
18	7	following full-time equivalent positions:		
18	8	.....	\$	2,075,948
18	9	.....	FTEs	190.40
18	10	g. Child health care services		
18	11	For specialized child health care services, including		
18	12	childhood cancer diagnostic and treatment network programs,		
18	13	rural comprehensive care for hemophilia patients, and the Iowa		
18	14	high-risk infant follow-up program, including salaries and		
18	15	support, and for not more than the following full-time		
18	16	equivalent positions:		
18	17	.....	\$	649,066
18	18	.....	FTEs	57.97
18	19	h. Statewide cancer registry		
18	20	For the statewide cancer registry, and for not more than		
18	21	the following full-time equivalent positions:		
18	22	.....	\$	178,739
18	23	.....	FTEs	2.10
18	24	i. Substance abuse consortium		
18	25	For funds to be allocated to the Iowa consortium for		
18	26	substance abuse research and evaluation, and for not more than		
18	27	the following full-time equivalent position:		
18	28	.....	\$	64,871
18	29	.....	FTEs	1.00
18	30	j. Center for biocatalysis		
18	31	For the center for biocatalysis, and for not more than the		
18	32	following full-time equivalent positions:		
18	33	.....	\$	881,384
18	34	.....	FTEs	6.28
18	35	k. Primary health care initiative		
19	1	For the primary health care initiative in the college of		
19	2	medicine and for not more than the following full-time		
19	3	equivalent positions:		
19	4	.....	\$	759,875
19	5	.....	FTEs	5.89
19	6	From the funds appropriated in this lettered paragraph,		
19	7	\$330,000 shall be allocated to the department of family		
19	8	practice at the state university of Iowa college of medicine		
19	9	for family practice faculty and support staff.		
19	10	l. Birth defects registry		
19	11	For the birth defects registry and for not more than the		
19	12	following full-time equivalent position:		
19	13	.....	\$	44,636
19	14	.....	FTEs	1.00
19	15	m. Larned A. Waterman Iowa nonprofit resource center		
19	16	For the Larned A. Waterman Iowa nonprofit resource center:		
19	17	.....	\$	200,000
19	18	n. Agricultural health and safety programs		
19	19	For a program for farmers with disabilities:		
19	20	\$	130,000
19	21	Funds appropriated for purposes of this lettered paragraph		



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19 22 shall be used for a grant to a national nonprofit organization
19 23 with over eighty years of experience in assisting children and
19 24 adults with disabilities and special needs and their families
19 25 through services that include medical rehabilitation, job
19 26 training and employment services, child care, adult day
19 27 services, and camping and recreation. The appropriation
19 28 replaces expired federal funding for a nationally recognized
19 29 program that has been replicated in at least thirty other
19 30 states, but which is not available through any other entity in
19 31 this state, that provides assistance to farmers with
19 32 disabilities in all 99 counties to allow the farmers to remain
19 33 in their own homes and be gainfully engaged in farming through
19 34 provision of agricultural worksite and home modification
19 35 consultations, peer support services, services to families,



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20 1 information and referral, and equipment loan services.
20 2 3. IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
20 3 a. General university
20 4 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
20 5 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following
20 6 full-time equivalent positions:
20 7 \$180,198,164
20 8 FTEs 3,647.42
20 9 b. Agricultural experiment station
20 10 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
20 11 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
20 12 positions:
20 13 \$ 32,984,653
20 14 FTEs 546.98
20 15 c. Cooperative extension service in agriculture and home
20 16 economics
20 17 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
20 18 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
20 19 positions:
20 20 \$ 21,232,579
20 21 FTEs 383.34
20 22 d. Leopold center
20 23 For agricultural research grants at Iowa state university
20 24 under section 266.39B, and for not more than the following
20 25 full-time equivalent positions:
20 26 \$ 464,319
20 27 FTEs 11.25
20 28 e. Livestock disease research
20 29 For deposit in and the use of the livestock disease
20 30 research fund under section 267.8:
20 31 \$ 220,708
20 32 4. UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA
20 33 a. General university
20 34 For salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,
20 35 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following



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21 1 full=time equivalent positions:
 21 2 \$ 82,701,063
 21 3 FTEs 1,449.48
 21 4 b. Recycling and reuse center
 21 5 For purposes of the recycling and reuse center, and for not
 21 6 more than the following full=time equivalent positions:
 21 7 \$ 211,858
 21 8 FTEs 3.00
 21 9 5. STATE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF
 21 10 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
 21 11 and for not more than the following full=time equivalent
 21 12 positions:
 21 13 \$ 9,530,007
 21 14 FTEs 126.60
 21 15 6. IOWA BRAILLE AND SIGHT SAVING SCHOOL
 21 16 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
 21 17 and for not more than the following full=time equivalent
 21 18 positions:
 21 19 \$ 5,332,607
 21 20 FTEs 62.87
 21 21 7. TUITION AND TRANSPORTATION COSTS
 21 22 For payment to local school boards for the tuition and
 21 23 transportation costs of students residing in the Iowa braille
 21 24 and sight saving school and the state school for the deaf
 21 25 pursuant to section 262.43 and for payment of certain
 21 26 clothing, prescription, and transportation costs for students
 21 27 at these schools pursuant to section 270.5:
 21 28 \$ 15,020
 21 29 Sec. 10. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and
 21 30 ending June 30, 2008, the state board of regents may use
 21 31 notes, bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness issued under
 21 32 section 262.48 to finance projects that will result in energy
 21 33 cost savings in an amount that will cause the state board to
 21 34 recover the cost of the projects within an average of six
 21 35 years.



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22 1 Sec. 11. Notwithstanding section 270.7, the department of
22 2 administrative services shall pay the state school for the
22 3 deaf and the Iowa braille and sight saving school the moneys
22 4 collected from the counties during the fiscal year beginning
22 5 July 1, 2007, for expenses relating to prescription drug costs
22 6 for students attending the state school for the deaf and the
22 7 Iowa braille and sight saving school.

22 8 Sec. 12. STATE EMPLOYEE TELECOMMUTING == POLICY
22 9 DEVELOPMENT == IMPLEMENTATION.

22 10 1. The director of a department or state agency to which
22 11 appropriations are made pursuant to the provisions of this Act
22 12 shall assess the extent to which job classifications or
22 13 individual employment positions with the department or agency
22 14 might be effectively performed from an employee's residence or
22 15 other remote location through telecommuting, thereby
22 16 increasing office space within the department or agency and
22 17 reducing administrative costs. The assessment shall include
22 18 an estimate of the number of department or agency employees
22 19 whose job responsibilities could be effectively performed on a
22 20 telecommuting basis, projected costs of establishing and
22 21 maintaining work stations at an employee's residence or other
22 22 remote location and providing telecommuter support,
22 23 anticipated savings to the department or agency through a
22 24 reduction in the office-based workforce, and anticipated time
22 25 and cost savings to telecommuting employees. A report
22 26 summarizing the assessment shall be submitted to the director
22 27 of the department of administrative services, and the members
22 28 of the general assembly, by November 1, 2007.

22 29 2. Based on the assessment conducted pursuant to
22 30 subsection 1, the director shall develop a telecommuter
22 31 employment policy for the department or agency and a timeline
22 32 for initial policy implementation and plans for expanding the
22 33 number of telecommuting employees. Specific office-based
22 34 workforce reduction percentages shall be left to the
22 35 discretion of the director, but the director shall implement a



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23 1 policy by January 1, 2008. The director shall report to the
23 2 director of the department of administrative services and the
23 3 members of the general assembly on an annual basis beginning
23 4 January 1, 2009, the number of telecommuting employees, cost
23 5 savings achieved by the department or agency, and plans for
23 6 continued transfer of office-based employees to telecommuter
23 7 status.

23 8 Sec. 13. Section 256.7, subsection 26, Code 2007, is
23 9 amended to read as follows:

23 10 26. ~~Set a goal of increasing to eighty percent the number~~
~~23 11 of students graduating from all secondary schools in school~~
~~23 12 districts in this state who have successfully completed the~~
~~23 13 core curriculum recommended by the college testing service~~
~~23 14 whose college entrance examination is taken by the majority of~~
~~23 15 Iowa's high school students. The state goal shall be~~
~~23 16 exclusive of students who have special or alternative means~~
~~23 17 for satisfying graduation requirements under individualized~~
~~23 18 educational plans developed for the students. The state board~~
~~23 19 shall require each school district to annually report,~~
~~23 20 beginning with the 2006==2007 school year, the percentage of~~
~~23 21 students graduating from high school in the school district~~
~~23 22 who complete the core curriculum. The school district shall~~
~~23 23 report, in the comprehensive school improvement plan submitted~~
~~23 24 in accordance with subsection 21, how the district plans to~~
~~23 25 increase the number of students completing the recommended~~
~~23 26 core curriculum. Taking into consideration the~~
~~23 27 recommendations of the college testing service whose college~~
~~23 28 entrance examination is taken by the majority of Iowa's high~~
~~23 29 school students, Adopt rules that establish a voluntary model~~
23 30 core curriculum and requiring, beginning with the students in
23 31 the 2010==2011 school year graduating class, the requirements
~~23 32 for high school graduation requirements for all students in~~
23 33 school districts shall be and accredited nonpublic schools
23 34 that include at a minimum satisfactory completion of four
23 35 years of English and language arts, three years of



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24 1 mathematics, three years of science, and three years of social
24 2 studies. The voluntary model core curriculum adopted shall
24 3 address the core content standards in subsection 27 and the
24 4 skills and knowledge students need to be successful in the
24 5 twenty-first century. The voluntary model core curriculum
24 6 shall include social studies and twenty-first century learning
24 7 skills which include but are not limited to civic literacy,
24 8 health literacy, technology literacy, financial literacy, and
24 9 employability skills; and shall address the curricular needs
24 10 of students in kindergarten through grade twelve in those
24 11 areas. The state board shall continue the inclusive process
24 12 begun during the initial development of a voluntary model core
24 13 curriculum for grades nine through twelve including
24 14 stakeholder involvement, including but not limited to
24 15 representatives from the private sector and the business
24 16 community, and alignment of the voluntary model core
24 17 curriculum to other recognized sets of national and
24 18 international standards. The state board shall also recommend
24 19 quality assessments to school districts and accredited
24 20 nonpublic schools to measure the voluntary model core
24 21 curriculum.

24 22 Sec. 14. Section 256.7, Code 2007, is amended by adding
24 23 the following new subsection:
24 24 NEW SUBSECTION. 27. Adopt a set of core content standards
24 25 applicable to all students in kindergarten through grade
24 26 twelve in every school district and accredited nonpublic
24 27 school. For purposes of this subsection, "core content
24 28 standards" includes reading, mathematics, and science. The
24 29 core content standards shall be identical to the core content
24 30 standards included in Iowa's approved 2006 standards and
24 31 assessment system under Title I of the federal Elementary and
24 32 Secondary Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. } 6301 et seq., as
24 33 amended by the federal No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, Pub.
24 34 L. No. 107-110. School districts and accredited nonpublic
24 35 schools shall include, at a minimum, the core content



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25 1 standards adopted pursuant to this subsection in any set of
25 2 locally developed content standards. School districts and
25 3 accredited nonpublic schools are strongly encouraged to
25 4 include the voluntary model core curriculum or set higher
25 5 expectations in local standards. As changes in federal law or
25 6 regulation occur, the state board is authorized to amend the
25 7 core content standards as appropriate.

25 8 Sec. 15. NEW SECTION. 256.26 BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL
25 9 GRANT PROGRAM.

25 10 1. There is established a before and after school grant
25 11 program to provide competitive grants to school districts and
25 12 other public and private organizations to expand the
25 13 availability of before and after school programs, including
25 14 but not limited to summer programs.

25 15 2. Grant applications shall be assessed by the department
25 16 based on the targeted student population and whether the
25 17 application meets all of the following conditions:

25 18 a. Demonstrates partnerships and collaboration with
25 19 not-for-profit community organizations.

25 20 b. Indicates that the applicant has a plan for continually
25 21 improving quality in the program.

25 22 c. Provides for a safe and engaging environment.

25 23 d. Combines academic, enrichment, cultural, and
25 24 recreational activities.

25 25 e. Provides for not less than a twenty percent match of
25 26 any state funds received for purposes of the program.

25 27 f. Demonstrates that the applicant is able to sustain the
25 28 program after the grant is exhausted.

25 29 3. Activities supported by an applicant may include but
25 30 are not limited to tutoring and supplementing instruction in
25 31 basic skills, such as reading, math, and science; drug and
25 32 violence prevention curricula and counseling; youth leadership
25 33 activities; volunteer and service learning opportunities;
25 34 career and vocational awareness preparation; courses and
25 35 enrichment in arts and culture; computer instruction;



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26 1 character development and civic participation; language
26 2 instruction, including English as a second language;
26 3 mentoring; positive interaction with law enforcement;
26 4 supervised recreation programs; and health and nutrition
26 5 programs.

26 6 4. The department shall make every effort to award grants
26 7 to a balance of rural and urban programs.

26 8 5. The department shall make every effort to leverage
26 9 additional funding from other public and private sources to
26 10 support the grant program.

26 11 6. From funds appropriated for a fiscal year for purposes
26 12 of this section, not more than one hundred thousand dollars
26 13 may be used to retain a contractor to work with the department
26 14 on long-term planning and development of a statewide
26 15 infrastructure to provide coordination, support, and technical
26 16 assistance to before and after school programs. The
26 17 contractor shall be qualified to provide services in policy
26 18 development, before and after school funding mechanisms,
26 19 public and private partnerships, data collection, the
26 20 promotion of quality, and working with various state and local
26 21 interests.

26 22 Sec. 16. Section 257.11, subsection 6, Code 2007, is
26 23 amended by striking the subsection and inserting in lieu
26 24 thereof the following:

26 25 6. SHARED CLASSES DELIVERED OVER THE IOWA COMMUNICATIONS
26 26 NETWORK.

26 27 a. A school district that provides a class to a pupil in
26 28 another school district via the Iowa communications network
26 29 and a school district receiving that class for a pupil from
26 30 the other school district via the Iowa communications network
26 31 shall each receive a supplemental funding weighting of
26 32 one-twentieth of the percentage of the pupil's school day
26 33 during which the pupil attends the virtual class.

26 34 b. Fifty percent of the funding the school district
26 35 providing the virtual class receives as a result of this



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27 1 subsection shall be reserved as additional pay for the virtual
27 2 class instructor.

27 3 c. A school district receiving a community college class
27 4 for a pupil via the Iowa communications network, which class
27 5 meets the sharing agreement requirements in section 257.11,
27 6 subsection 3, shall receive a supplemental funding weighting
27 7 of one-twentieth of the percentage of the pupil's school day
27 8 during which the pupil attends the virtual class.

27 9 Sec. 17. Section 260C.36, subsection 1, unnumbered
27 10 paragraph 1, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

27 11 ~~By October 1, 2002, the~~ The community college
27 12 administration shall establish a committee consisting of
27 13 instructors and administrators, equally representative of the
27 14 arts and sciences faculty and the vocational-technical
27 15 faculty, which has no more than a simple majority of members
27 16 of the same gender. The faculty members shall be appointed by
27 17 the certified employee organization if one exists and if not,
27 18 by the college administration. The administrators shall be
27 19 appointed by the college administration. The committee shall
27 20 develop and maintain a plan for hiring and developing quality
27 21 faculty that includes all of the following:

27 22 Sec. 18. Section 260C.36, subsection 3, Code 2007, is
27 23 amended by striking the subsection.

27 24 Sec. 19. Section 260C.48, subsection 1, unnumbered
27 25 paragraph 1, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

27 26 The state board shall develop standards and rules for the
27 27 accreditation of community college programs. Except as
27 28 provided in this subsection and subsection 4, standards
27 29 developed shall be general in nature so as to apply to more
27 30 than one specific program of instruction. With regard to
27 31 community college-employed instructors, the standards adopted
27 32 shall at a minimum require that ~~full-time~~ community college
27 33 instructors who are under contract for at least half-time or
27 34 more meet the following requirements:

27 35 Sec. 20. Section 261.2, subsection 6, Code 2007, is



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28 1 amended to read as follows:

28 2 6. Develop and implement, in cooperation with the
28 3 department of human services and the judicial branch, a
28 4 program to assist juveniles who are sixteen years of age or
28 5 older and who have a case permanency plan under chapter 232 or
28 6 237 or are otherwise under the jurisdiction of chapter 232 in
28 7 applying for federal and state aid available for higher
28 8 education. The commission shall also develop and implement
28 9 the all Iowa opportunity foster care grant program in
28 10 accordance with section 261.6.

28 11 Sec. 21. NEW SECTION. 261.6 ALL IOWA OPPORTUNITY FOSTER
28 12 CARE GRANT PROGRAM.

28 13 1. The commission shall develop and implement, in
28 14 cooperation with the department of human services and the
28 15 judicial branch, the all Iowa opportunity foster care grant
28 16 program in accordance with this section.

28 17 2. The program shall provide financial assistance for
28 18 postsecondary education or training to persons who have a high
28 19 school diploma or a high school equivalency diploma under
28 20 chapter 259A, are age eighteen through twenty-three, and are
28 21 described by any of the following:

28 22 a. On the date the person reached age eighteen or during
28 23 the thirty calendar days preceding or succeeding that date,
28 24 the person was in a licensed foster care placement pursuant to
28 25 a court order entered under chapter 232 under the care and
28 26 custody of the department of human services or juvenile court
28 27 services.

28 28 b. On the date the person reached age eighteen or during
28 29 the thirty calendar days preceding or succeeding that date,
28 30 the person was under a court order under chapter 232 to live
28 31 with a relative or other suitable person.

28 32 c. The person was in a licensed foster care placement
28 33 pursuant to an order entered under chapter 232 prior to being
28 34 legally adopted after reaching age sixteen.

28 35 d. On the date the person reached age eighteen or during
29 1 the thirty calendar days preceding or succeeding that date,
29 2 the person was placed in the state training school or the Iowa
29 3 juvenile home pursuant to a court order entered under chapter
29 4 232 under the care and custody of the department of human
29 5 services.

29 6 3. The program requirements shall include but are not
29 7 limited to all of the following:

29 8 a. Program assistance shall cover a program participant's
29 9 expenses associated with attending an approved postsecondary
29 10 education or training program in this state. The expenses
29 11 shall include tuition and fees, books and supplies, child
29 12 care, transportation, housing, and other expenses approved by
29 13 the commission. If a participant is attending on less than a
29 14 full-time basis, assistance provisions shall be designed to
29 15 cover tuition and fees and books and supplies, and assistance
29 16 for other expenses shall be prorated to reflect the hours
29 17 enrolled.

29 18 b. If the approved education or training program is more
29 19 than one year in length, the program assistance may be
29 20 renewed. To renew the assistance, the participant must
29 21 annually reapply for the program and meet the academic



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29 22 progress standards of the postsecondary educational
29 23 institution or make satisfactory progress toward completion of
29 24 the training program.

29 25 c. A person shall be less than age twenty-three upon both
29 26 the date of the person's initial application for the program
29 27 and the start date of the education or training program for
29 28 which the assistance is provided. Eligibility for program
29 29 assistance shall end upon the participant reaching age
29 30 twenty-four.

29 31 d. Assistance under the program shall not be provided for
29 32 expenses that are paid for by other programs for which funding
29 33 is available to assist the participant.

29 34 e. The commission shall implement assistance provisions in
29 35 a manner to ensure that the total amount of assistance



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30 1 provided under the program remains within the funding
30 2 available for the program.
30 3 4. The commission shall develop and implement a tracking
30 4 system that maintains a record of the postsecondary and
30 5 workforce participation for those assisted under the program.
30 6 The system shall maintain a record for each participant for up
30 7 to ten years after the first year of assistance. The
30 8 commission shall deliver a report on the outcomes of the
30 9 program to the governor and general assembly by January 1
30 10 annually.

30 11 Sec. 22. Section 261.23, Code 2007, is amended by striking
30 12 the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

30 13 261.23 REGISTERED NURSE AND NURSE EDUCATOR LOAN
30 14 FORGIVENESS PROGRAM.

30 15 1. A registered nurse and nurse educator loan forgiveness
30 16 program is established to be administered by the commission.
30 17 The program shall consist of loan forgiveness for eligible
30 18 federally guaranteed loans for registered nurses and nurse
30 19 educators who practice or teach in this state. For purposes
30 20 of this section, unless the context otherwise requires, "nurse
30 21 educator" means a registered nurse who holds a master's degree
30 22 or doctorate degree and is employed as a faculty member who
30 23 teaches nursing as provided in 655 IAC 2.6(152) at an
30 24 accredited private institution or an institution of higher
30 25 education governed by the state board of regents.

30 26 2. Each applicant for loan forgiveness shall, in
30 27 accordance with the rules of the commission, do the following:

30 28 a. Complete and file an application for registered nurse
30 29 or nurse educator loan forgiveness. The individual shall be
30 30 responsible for the prompt submission of any information
30 31 required by the commission.

30 32 b. File a new application and submit information as
30 33 required by the commission annually on the basis of which the
30 34 applicant's eligibility for the renewed loan forgiveness will
30 35 be evaluated and determined.



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31 1 c. Complete and return on a form approved by the
31 2 commission an affidavit of practice verifying that the
31 3 applicant is a registered nurse practicing in this state or a
31 4 nurse educator teaching at an accredited private institution
31 5 or an institution of higher learning governed by the state
31 6 board of regents.

31 7 3. a. The annual amount of registered nurse loan
31 8 forgiveness for a registered nurse who completes a course of
31 9 study which leads to a baccalaureate or associate degree of
31 10 nursing, diploma in nursing, or a graduate or equivalent
31 11 degree in nursing, and who practices in this state, shall not
31 12 exceed the resident tuition rate established for institutions
31 13 of higher learning governed by the state board of regents for
31 14 the first year following the registered nurse's graduation
31 15 from a nursing education program approved by the board of
31 16 nursing pursuant to section 152.5, or twenty percent of the
31 17 registered nurse's total federally guaranteed Stafford loan
31 18 amount under the federal family education loan program or the
31 19 federal direct loan program, including principal and interest,
31 20 whichever amount is less. A registered nurse shall be
31 21 eligible for the loan forgiveness program for not more than
31 22 five consecutive years.

31 23 b. The annual amount of nurse educator loan forgiveness
31 24 shall not exceed the resident tuition rate established for
31 25 institutions of higher learning governed by the state board of
31 26 regents for the first year following the nurse educator's
31 27 graduation from an advanced formal academic nursing education
31 28 program approved by the board of nursing pursuant to section
31 29 152.5, or twenty percent of the nurse educator's total
31 30 federally guaranteed Stafford loan amount under the federal
31 31 family education loan program or the federal direct loan
31 32 program, including principal and interest, whichever amount is
31 33 less. A nurse educator shall be eligible for the loan
31 34 forgiveness program for not more than five consecutive years.

31 35 4. A registered nurse and nurse educator loan forgiveness



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32 1 repayment fund is created for deposit of moneys appropriated
32 2 to or received by the commission for use under the program.
32 3 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys deposited in the fund
32 4 shall not revert to any fund of the state at the end of any
32 5 fiscal year but shall remain in the loan forgiveness repayment
32 6 fund and be continuously available for loan forgiveness under
32 7 the program. Notwithstanding section 12C.7, subsection 2,
32 8 interest or earnings on moneys deposited in the fund shall be
32 9 credited to the fund.

32 10 5. The commission shall submit in a report to the general
32 11 assembly by January 1, annually, the number of individuals who
32 12 received loan forgiveness pursuant to this section, where the
32 13 participants practiced or taught, the amount paid to each
32 14 program participant, and other information identified by the
32 15 commission as indicators of outcomes from the program.

32 16 6. The commission shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter
32 17 17A to administer this section.

32 18 Sec. 23. Section 261.25, subsections 1, 2, and 3, Code
32 19 2007, are amended to read as follows:

32 20 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
32 21 state to the commission for each fiscal year the sum of
32 22 ~~forty-six~~ forty-eight million ~~five~~ three hundred ~~six~~
32 23 seventy-three thousand ~~two~~ seven hundred eighteen dollars for
32 24 tuition grants.

32 25 2. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
32 26 state to the commission for each fiscal year the sum of five
32 27 million ~~one~~ three hundred ~~sixty-seven~~ seventy-four thousand
32 28 ~~three~~ eight hundred fifty-eight dollars for tuition grants for
32 29 students attending for-profit accredited private institutions
32 30 located in Iowa. A for-profit institution which, effective
32 31 March 9, 2005, purchased an accredited private institution
32 32 that was exempt from taxation under section 501(c) of the
32 33 Internal Revenue Code, shall be an eligible institution under
32 34 the tuition grant program. In the case of a qualified student
32 35 who was enrolled in such accredited private institution that



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33 1 was purchased by the for-profit institution effective March 9,
33 2 2005, and who continues to be enrolled in the eligible
33 3 institution in succeeding years, the amount the student
33 4 qualifies for under this subsection shall be not less than the
33 5 amount the student qualified for in the fiscal year beginning
33 6 July 1, 2004. For purposes of the tuition grant program,
33 7 "for-profit accredited private institution" means an
33 8 accredited private institution which is not exempt from
33 9 taxation under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code
33 10 but which otherwise meets the requirements of section 261.9,
33 11 subsection 1, paragraph "b", and whose students were eligible
33 12 to receive tuition grants in the fiscal year beginning July 1,
33 13 2003.

33 14 3. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
33 15 state to the commission for each fiscal year the sum of two
33 16 million ~~five seven hundred thirty-three~~ eighty-three thousand
33 17 one hundred fifteen dollars for vocational-technical tuition
33 18 grants.

33 19 Sec. 24. NEW SECTION. 261.88 ALL IOWA OPPORTUNITY
33 20 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM AND FUND.

33 21 1. DEFINITIONS. As used in this division, unless the
33 22 context otherwise requires:

33 23 a. "Commission" means the college student aid commission.

33 24 b. "Eligible institution" means a community college
33 25 established under chapter 260C or an institution of higher
33 26 learning governed by the state board of regents.

33 27 c. "Financial need" means the difference between the
33 28 student's financial resources available, including those
33 29 available from the student's parents as determined by a
33 30 completed parents' confidential statement, and the student's
33 31 anticipated expenses while attending an eligible institution.

33 32 d. "Full-time resident student" means an individual
33 33 resident of Iowa who is enrolled at an eligible institution in
33 34 a program of study including at least twelve semester hours or
33 35 the trimester or quarter equivalent.



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34 1 e. "Part-time resident student" means an individual
34 2 resident of Iowa who is enrolled at an eligible institution in
34 3 a program of study including at least three semester hours or
34 4 the trimester or quarter equivalent.

34 5 f. "Qualified student" means a resident student who has
34 6 established financial need and who is meeting all program
34 7 requirements.

34 8 2. PROGRAM == ELIGIBILITY. An all Iowa opportunity
34 9 scholarship program is established to be administered by the
34 10 commission. The awarding of scholarships under the program is
34 11 subject to appropriations made by the general assembly. A
34 12 person who meets all of the following requirements is eligible
34 13 for the program:

34 14 a. Is a resident of Iowa and a citizen of the United
34 15 States or a lawful permanent resident.

34 16 b. Achieves a cumulative high school grade point average
34 17 upon graduation of at least two point five on a four-point
34 18 grade scale, or its equivalent if another grade scale is used.

34 19 c. Applies in a timely manner for admission to an eligible
34 20 institution and is accepted for admission.

34 21 d. Applies in a timely manner for any federal or state
34 22 student financial assistance available to the student to
34 23 attend an eligible institution.

34 24 e. Files a new application and parents' confidential
34 25 statement, as applicable, annually on the basis of which the
34 26 applicant's eligibility for a renewed scholarship will be
34 27 evaluated and determined.

34 28 f. Maintains satisfactory academic progress during each
34 29 term for which a scholarship is awarded.

34 30 g. Begins enrollment at an eligible institution within two
34 31 academic years of graduation from high school and continuously
34 32 receives awards as a full-time or part-time student to
34 33 maintain eligibility. However, the student may defer
34 34 participation in the program for up to two years in order to
34 35 pursue obligations that meet conditions established by the



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35 1 commission by rule or to fulfill military obligations.

35 2 3. EXTENT OF SCHOLARSHIP.

35 3 a. A qualified student at a two-year eligible institution
35 4 may receive scholarships for not more than the equivalent of
35 5 four full-time semesters of undergraduate study, or the
35 6 trimester or quarter equivalent.

35 7 b. A qualified student at a four-year eligible institution
35 8 may receive scholarships for not more than the equivalent of
35 9 two full-time semesters of undergraduate study, or the
35 10 trimester or quarter equivalent.

35 11 c. Scholarships awarded pursuant to this section shall not
35 12 exceed the student's financial need, as determined by the
35 13 commission, the average resident tuition rate and mandatory
35 14 fees established for institutions of higher learning governed
35 15 by the state board of regents, or the resident tuition and
35 16 mandatory fees charged for the program of enrollment by the
35 17 eligible institution at which the student is enrolled,
35 18 whichever is least.

35 19 4. DISCONTINUANCE OF ATTENDANCE == REMITTANCE. If a
35 20 student receiving a scholarship pursuant to this section
35 21 discontinues attendance before the end of any academic term,
35 22 the entire amount of any refund due to the student, up to the
35 23 amount of any payments made by the state, shall be remitted by
35 24 the eligible institution to the commission. The commission
35 25 shall deposit refunds paid to the commission in accordance
35 26 with this subsection into the fund established pursuant to
35 27 subsection 5.

35 28 5. FUND ESTABLISHED. An all Iowa opportunity scholarship
35 29 fund is created in the state treasury as a separate fund under
35 30 the control of the commission. All moneys deposited or paid
35 31 into the fund are appropriated and made available to the
35 32 commission to be used for scholarships for students meeting
35 33 the requirements of this section. Notwithstanding section
35 34 8.33, any balance in the fund on June 30 of each fiscal year
35 35 shall not revert to the general fund of the state, but shall



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36 1 be available for purposes of this section in subsequent fiscal
36 2 years.

36 3 Sec. 25. Section 261.111, subsection 9, Code 2007, is
36 4 amended to read as follows:

36 5 9. The commission shall submit in a report to the
36 6 ~~chairpersons and ranking members of the joint appropriations~~
~~36 7 subcommittee on education~~ general assembly by January 1,
36 8 annually, the number of students who received forgivable loans
36 9 pursuant to this section, which institutions the students were
36 10 enrolled in, and the amount paid to each of the institutions
36 11 on behalf of the students who received forgivable loans
36 12 pursuant to this section and the total amount of loans
36 13 outstanding, including a schedule of years remaining on the
36 14 outstanding loans.

36 15 Sec. 26. Section 261.111, subsection 10, Code 2007, is
36 16 amended by striking the subsection.

36 17 Sec. 27. NEW SECTION. 261.112 TEACHER SHORTAGE LOAN
36 18 FORGIVENESS PROGRAM.

36 19 1. A teacher shortage loan forgiveness program is
36 20 established to be administered by the commission. A teacher
36 21 is eligible for the program if the teacher is practicing in a
36 22 teacher shortage area as designated by the department of
36 23 education pursuant to subsection 2. For purposes of this
36 24 section, "teacher" means an individual holding a
36 25 practitioner's license issued under chapter 272, who is
36 26 employed in a nonadministrative position in a designated
36 27 shortage area by a school district or area education agency
36 28 pursuant to a contract issued by a board of directors under
36 29 section 279.13.

36 30 2. The director of the department of education shall
36 31 annually designate the geographic or subject areas
36 32 experiencing teacher shortages. The director shall
36 33 periodically conduct a survey of school districts, accredited
36 34 nonpublic schools, and approved practitioner preparation
36 35 programs to determine current shortage areas.



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37 1 3. Each applicant for loan forgiveness shall, in
37 2 accordance with the rules of the commission, do the following:
37 3 a. Complete and file an application for teacher shortage
37 4 loan forgiveness. The individual shall be responsible for the
37 5 prompt submission of any information required by the
37 6 commission.
37 7 b. File a new application and submit information as
37 8 required by the commission annually on the basis of which the
37 9 applicant's eligibility for the renewed loan forgiveness will
37 10 be evaluated and determined.
37 11 c. Complete and return on a form approved by the
37 12 commission an affidavit of practice verifying that the
37 13 applicant is a teacher in an eligible teacher shortage area.
37 14 4. The annual amount of teacher shortage loan forgiveness
37 15 shall not exceed the resident tuition rate established for
37 16 institutions of higher learning governed by the state board of
37 17 regents for the first year following the teacher's graduation
37 18 from an approved practitioner preparation program, or twenty
37 19 percent of the teacher's total federally guaranteed Stafford
37 20 loan amount under the federal family education loan program or
37 21 the federal direct loan program, including principal and
37 22 interest, whichever amount is less. A teacher shall be
37 23 eligible for the loan forgiveness program for not more than
37 24 five consecutive years.
37 25 5. A teacher shortage loan forgiveness repayment fund is
37 26 created for deposit of moneys appropriated to or received by
37 27 the commission for use under the program. Notwithstanding
37 28 section 8.33, moneys deposited in the fund shall not revert to
37 29 any fund of the state at the end of any fiscal year but shall
37 30 remain in the loan forgiveness repayment fund and be
37 31 continuously available for loan forgiveness under the program.
37 32 Notwithstanding section 12C.7, subsection 2, interest or
37 33 earnings on moneys deposited in the fund shall be credited to
37 34 the fund.
37 35 6. The commission shall submit in a report to the general



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38 1 assembly by January 1, annually, the number of individuals who
38 2 received loan forgiveness pursuant to this section, which
38 3 shortage areas the teachers taught in, the amount paid to each
38 4 program participant, and other information identified by the
38 5 commission as indicators of outcomes from the program.

38 6 7. The commission shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter
38 7 17A to administer this section.

38 8 Sec. 28. Section 262.9, subsection 18, Code 2007, is
38 9 amended to read as follows:

38 10 18. a. Not less than thirty days prior to action by the
38 11 board on any proposal to increase tuition, fees, or charges at
38 12 one or more of the institutions of higher education under its
38 13 control, send written notification of the amount of the
38 14 proposed increase including a copy of the proposed tuition
38 15 increase docket memorandum prepared for its consideration to
38 16 the presiding officers of the student government organization
38 17 of the affected institutions. The final decision on an
38 18 increase in tuition or mandatory fees charged to all students
38 19 at an institution for a fiscal year shall be made at a regular
38 20 meeting and shall be reflected in a final docket memorandum
38 21 that states the estimated total cost of attending each of the
38 22 institutions of higher education under the board's control.
38 23 The regular meeting shall be held in Ames, Cedar Falls, or
38 24 Iowa City and shall not be held during a period in which
38 25 classes have been suspended for university holiday or break.

38 26 b. Authorize, at its discretion, each institution of
38 27 higher education to retain the student fees and charges it
38 28 collects to further the institution's purposes as authorized
38 29 by the board. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary,
38 30 student fees and charges, as defined in section 262A.2, shall
38 31 not be considered repayment receipts as defined in section
38 32 8.2.

38 33 Sec. 29. Section 275.15, subsection 4, Code 2007, is
38 34 amended to read as follows:

38 35 4. The administrator shall at once publish the decision in
39 1 the same newspaper in which the original notice was published.
39 2 Within twenty days after the publication, the decision
39 3 rendered by the area education agency board may be appealed to
39 4 the district court in the county involved by any school
39 5 district affected. For purposes of appeal, only those school
39 6 districts who filed reorganization petitions are school
39 7 districts affected. An appeal from a decision of an area
39 8 education agency board or joint area education agency boards
39 9 under section 275.4, 275.16, or this section is subject to
39 10 appeal procedures under this chapter and is not subject to
39 11 appeal under ~~procedures set forth in~~ chapter 290.

39 12 Sec. 30. Section 279.61, Code 2007, is amended to read as
39 13 follows:

39 14 279.61 STUDENT PLAN FOR PROGRESS TOWARD UNIVERSITY
39 15 ADMISSIONS == REPORT.

39 16 1. For the school year beginning July 1, ~~2006~~ 2007, and
39 17 each succeeding school year, the board of directors of each
39 18 school district shall cooperate with each student enrolled in
39 19 grade eight to develop for the student a core curriculum plan
39 20 to guide the student toward the goal of successfully
39 21 completing, at a minimum, the voluntary model core curriculum



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39 22 developed by the state board of education pursuant to section
39 23 256.7, subsection 26, by the time the student graduates from
39 24 high school. The plan shall include career options and shall
39 25 identify the coursework needed in grades nine through twelve
39 26 to support the student's postsecondary education and career
39 27 options. ~~If the pupil is under eighteen years of age, the~~
~~39 28 pupil's~~ The student's parent or guardian shall sign the core
39 29 curriculum plan developed with the student and the signed plan
39 30 shall be included in the student's cumulative records.
39 31 2. For the school year beginning July 1, ~~2006~~ 2007, and
39 32 each succeeding school year, the board of directors of each
39 33 school district shall report annually to each student enrolled
39 34 in grades nine through twelve in the school district, and, if
39 35 the student is under the age of eighteen, to each student's



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40 1 parent or guardian, the student's progress toward meeting the
40 2 goal of successfully completing the ~~model core curriculum~~
~~40 3 developed by high school graduation requirements adopted by~~
40 4 the state board of education pursuant to section 256.7,
40 5 subsection 26.
40 6 Sec. 31. NEW SECTION. 279.65 STUDENT ADVANCEMENT POLICY
40 7 == FINDINGS == SUPPLEMENTAL STRATEGIES AND EDUCATIONAL
40 8 SERVICES GRANT PROGRAM.
40 9 1. The general assembly finds and declares that students
40 10 should be able to meet or exceed the expectations established
40 11 by the school district of enrollment in order to advance to
40 12 the next grade level.
40 13 2. The board of directors of each school district shall
40 14 adopt a student advancement policy which provides for the
40 15 following:
40 16 a. Supplemental strategies to be provided to all students
40 17 in kindergarten through grade five who do not meet the grade
40 18 level expectations established by the school district for
40 19 English=language arts, social studies, mathematics, and
40 20 science.
40 21 b. A requirement that students in grades six through eight
40 22 who fail one or more of the core courses make up deficiencies
40 23 before advancing to the next level in the subject area. "Core
40 24 course", for purposes of this section, means a course in the
40 25 following subject areas: English=language arts, social
40 26 studies, mathematics, and science.
40 27 c. Opportunities for students to meet the school
40 28 district's expectations as provided in paragraphs "a" and "b"
40 29 which shall include but not be limited to supplemental
40 30 educational services such as tutoring that may be offered
40 31 before and after school or during the summer and that may be
40 32 provided by private service providers.
40 33 3. If a student in kindergarten through grade eight does
40 34 not meet the grade level core course expectations established
40 35 by the school district as provided in this section, the school



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41 1 district shall develop a plan for supplemental strategies or
41 2 supplemental educational services, and for measuring student
41 3 progress, in consultation with the student's parent or
41 4 guardian.

41 5 4. In deciding student placement and advancement, the
41 6 board of directors of a school district shall make every
41 7 effort to reach agreement with parents and guardians.

41 8 5. A supplemental strategies and educational services
41 9 grant program is established to be administered by the
41 10 department of education to award grants to school districts
41 11 for purposes of providing supplemental strategies and
41 12 educational services to students who do not meet the grade
41 13 level expectations established by the school district for
41 14 English=language arts, social studies, mathematics, and
41 15 science. The department shall develop the criteria and a
41 16 process for awarding supplemental strategies and educational
41 17 services grants to school districts when moneys are
41 18 appropriated for the grant program. By January 15 of the
41 19 fiscal year following each fiscal year for which the general
41 20 assembly appropriated funds to the department of education for
41 21 purposes of this subsection, the department shall assess the
41 22 effectiveness of the program and shall submit its findings and
41 23 recommendations in a report to the general assembly.

41 24 Sec. 32. Section 284A.3, Code 2007, is amended to read as
41 25 follows:

41 26 284A.3 BEGINNING ADMINISTRATOR MENTORING AND INDUCTION
41 27 PROGRAM APPROPRIATION == PROGRAM FUNDS.

41 28 ~~1. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2006, and each~~
~~41 29 succeeding fiscal year, there is appropriated from the general~~
~~41 30 fund of the state to the department of education the sum of~~
~~41 31 two hundred fifty thousand dollars for purposes of~~
~~41 32 administering the beginning administrator mentoring and~~
~~41 33 induction program established pursuant to this chapter.~~

41 34 2. A To the extent moneys are available, a school district
41 35 shall receive one thousand five hundred dollars per beginning



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42 1 administrator participating in the program. If the funds
42 2 appropriated for the program are insufficient to pay mentors
42 3 and school districts as provided in this ~~subsection~~ section,
42 4 the department shall prorate the amount distributed to school
42 5 districts based upon the amount appropriated. Moneys received
42 6 by a school district pursuant to this ~~subsection~~ section shall
42 7 be expended to provide each mentor with an award of five
42 8 hundred dollars per semester, at a minimum, for participation
42 9 in the school district's beginning administrator mentoring and
42 10 induction program; to implement the plan; and to pay any
42 11 applicable costs of the employer's share of contributions to
42 12 federal social security and the Iowa public employees'
42 13 retirement system or a pension and annuity retirement system
42 14 established under chapter 294, for such amounts paid by the
42 15 district.

~~42 16 3. Notwithstanding section 8.33, any moneys remaining
42 17 unobligated or unexpended from the moneys appropriated under
42 18 subsection 1 shall not revert, but shall remain available in
42 19 the succeeding fiscal year for expenditure for the purposes
42 20 designated. The provisions of section 8.39 shall not apply to
42 21 the funds appropriated pursuant to this section.~~

42 22 Sec. 33. Section 321.178, subsection 1, paragraph c, Code
42 23 2007, is amended to read as follows:

42 24 c. Every public school district in Iowa shall offer or
42 25 make available to all students residing in the school district
42 26 or Iowa students attending a nonpublic school in the district
42 27 an approved course in driver education. The receiving
42 28 district shall be the school district responsible for making
42 29 driver education available to a student participating in open
42 30 enrollment under section 282.18. The courses may be offered
42 31 at sites other than at the public school, including nonpublic
42 32 school facilities within the public school districts. An
42 33 approved course offered during the summer months, on
42 34 Saturdays, after regular school hours during the regular terms
42 35 or partly in one term or summer vacation period and partly in



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43 1 the succeeding term or summer vacation period, as the case may
43 2 be, shall satisfy the requirements of this section to the same
43 3 extent as an approved course offered during the regular school
43 4 hours of the school term. A student who successfully
43 5 completes and obtains certification in an approved course in
43 6 driver education or an approved course in motorcycle education
43 7 may, upon proof of such fact, be excused from any field test
43 8 which the student would otherwise be required to take in
43 9 demonstrating the student's ability to operate a motor
43 10 vehicle. A student shall not be excused from any field test
43 11 if a parent, guardian, or instructor requests that a test be
43 12 administered. Street or highway driving instruction may be
43 13 provided by a person qualified as a classroom driver education
43 14 instructor or a person certified by the department and
43 15 authorized by the board of educational examiners. A person
43 16 shall not be required to hold a current Iowa teacher or
43 17 administrator license at the elementary or secondary level or
43 18 to have satisfied the educational requirements for an Iowa
43 19 teacher license at the elementary or secondary level in order
43 20 to be certified by the department or authorized by the board
43 21 of educational examiners to provide street or highway driving
43 22 instruction. A final field test prior to a student's
43 23 completion of an approved course shall be administered by a
43 24 person qualified as a classroom driver education instructor.
43 25 The department shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A to
43 26 provide for certification of persons qualified to provide
43 27 street or highway driving instruction. The board of
43 28 educational examiners shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter
43 29 17A to provide for authorization of persons certified by the
43 30 department to provide street or highway driving instruction.
43 31 Sec. 34. 2006 Iowa Acts, chapter 1157, section 18, is
43 32 amended to read as follows:
43 33 SEC. 18. EARLY CARE, HEALTH, AND EDUCATION PROGRAMS == FY
43 34 2007=2008 AND 2008=2009.
43 35 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the



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44 1 state to the department of education for deposit in the school
44 2 ready children grants account of the Iowa empowerment fund for
44 3 each fiscal year of the fiscal period beginning July 1, 2007,
44 4 and ending June 30, 2009, the following amount, or so much
44 5 thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
44 6 designated:

44 7 For early care, health, and education and preschool
44 8 programs, to continue programs and initiatives developed
44 9 pursuant to the appropriation made in this division of this
44 10 Act for this purpose for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
44 11 2006:

44 12	\$ 15,000,000
44 13	<u>10,000,000</u>

44 14 2. ~~Expenditure of the amounts~~ Funds appropriated in this
44 15 section is subject to enactment of law specifying how the
~~44 16 amounts are to be distributed. It is the intent of the~~
~~44 17 general assembly that the increase in funding provided by this~~
~~44 18 section of \$5,000,000 over the amount appropriated in this~~
~~44 19 division of this Act for the same purpose for the fiscal year~~
~~44 20 beginning July 1, 2006, will be designated for the expansion~~
~~44 21 of the initiatives implemented pursuant to the business~~
~~44 22 community investment advisory council recommendations adopted~~
~~44 23 pursuant to this Act shall be allocated in the same manner as~~
44 24 provided in section 17.

44 25 Sec. 35. 2006 Iowa Acts, chapter 1180, section 6,
44 26 subsection 14, is amended to read as follows:

44 27 14. READING INSTRUCTION PILOT PROJECT GRANT PROGRAM
44 28 For the implementation of the reading instruction pilot
44 29 project grant program, if enacted by this Act:

44 30	\$ 250,000
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44 31 From the funds appropriated pursuant to this subsection,
44 32 \$62,500 shall be allocated equally amongst five pilot projects
44 33 for purposes of teacher training in descubriendo la lectura,
44 34 the reconstruction of reading recovery in Spanish, including
44 35 books and materials for teaching, travel expenses, and



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45 1 professional development; and \$187,500 shall be allocated to
45 2 the Iowa empowerment fund for implementation of the business
45 3 community investment advisory council report and
45 4 recommendations.

45 5 Sec. 36. Section 256.25, Code 2007, is repealed.

45 6 Sec. 37. EFFECTIVE DATES.

45 7 1. The sections of this Act amending 2006 Iowa Acts,
45 8 chapters 1157 and 1180, being deemed of immediate importance,
45 9 take effect upon enactment.

45 10 2. The section of this Act amending section 262.9, being
45 11 deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

45 12 EXPLANATION

45 13 This bill appropriates moneys for fiscal year 2007=2008
45 14 from the general fund of the state to the college student aid
45 15 commission, the department for the blind, the department of
45 16 education, and the state board of regents and its
45 17 institutions.

45 18 The bill appropriates to the department for the blind for
45 19 its administration.

45 20 The bill includes appropriations to the college student aid
45 21 commission for general administrative purposes, student aid
45 22 programs, an initiative directing primary care physicians to
45 23 areas of the state experiencing physician shortages,
45 24 forgivable loans for Des Moines university == osteopathic
45 25 medical center students, the national guard educational
45 26 assistance program, the teacher shortage programs, for the
45 27 registered nurse loan and nurse educator forgiveness program,
45 28 and for the all Iowa opportunity assistance program created in
45 29 the bill.

45 30 The bill reduces the \$2.75 million standing appropriation
45 31 for the Iowa work=study program for fiscal year 2007=2008 to
45 32 \$395,600. In statute, the bill provides for modest increases
45 33 to the tuition grant program for not=for=profit and for=profit
45 34 postsecondary institutions and for vocational=technical
45 35 grants. The bill appropriates funds from the scholarship and



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46 1 tuition grant reserve fund for barber school and school of
46 2 cosmetology arts and sciences tuition grants.
46 3 The bill creates an all Iowa opportunity foster care grant
46 4 program and an all Iowa opportunity scholarship program and
46 5 fund under the purview of the college student aid commission.
46 6 The grant program provides financial assistance for
46 7 postsecondary education or training for young adults age 18
46 8 through 23 who were involved with the state's foster care or
46 9 juvenile justice programs. A young adult must apply for the
46 10 financial assistance program and commence the education or
46 11 training prior to becoming age 23. The scholarship program
46 12 provides grants to pay the tuition and mandatory fee costs for
46 13 resident students attending Iowa's community colleges and
46 14 regents universities.
46 15 The bill appropriates moneys to the department of education
46 16 for purposes of the department's general administration,
46 17 vocational education administration, division of vocational
46 18 rehabilitation services, independent living, state library for
46 19 general administration and the enrich Iowa program, library
46 20 service area system, public broadcasting division, regional
46 21 telecommunications councils, vocational education to secondary
46 22 schools, school food service, Iowa empowerment fund, textbooks
46 23 for nonpublic school pupils, statewide education data
46 24 warehouse, advanced placement, vocational agriculture youth
46 25 organizations, jobs for America's graduates specialist, and
46 26 community colleges.
46 27 The bill also appropriates money for a four-year-old
46 28 preschool program, expansion of the federal Individuals With
46 29 Disabilities Education Improvement Act birth through age three
46 30 services, a before and after school grant program established
46 31 by the bill, a beginning administrator mentoring and induction
46 32 program, and a statewide education data warehouse.
46 33 The bill amends 2006 Iowa Acts to reallocate a portion of
46 34 the funds from the reading instruction pilot project grant
46 35 program for teacher training and the reconstruction of reading



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47 1 recovery in Spanish program and for the Iowa empowerment fund
47 2 for implementation of the business community investment
47 3 advisory council report and recommendations. The bill also
47 4 amends 2006 Iowa Acts to reduce from \$15 million to \$10
47 5 million the appropriation for early care, health, and
47 6 education and preschool programs and initiatives for FY
47 7 2007=2008 and FY 2008=2009. These provisions take effect upon
47 8 enactment.

47 9 The bill also appropriates funds to the department of
47 10 education for transfer to the department of human services for
47 11 early head start pilot projects, a statewide mandatory child
47 12 care registration study, and state child care assistance
47 13 eligibility extension.

47 14 The bill also expands the standards for community college
47 15 instructors by providing that all instructors who are under
47 16 contract for at least half-time or more must meet the
47 17 standards, not just the full-time faculty.

47 18 The bill makes contingent appropriations for the
47 19 supplemental strategies and educational services grant program
47 20 established in the bill, and for the implementation of the
47 21 core contents standards and establishment of the voluntary
47 22 model core curriculum which the bill directs the state board
47 23 of education in statute, to adopt.

47 24 Also in statute, the bill permits an appeal to a
47 25 reorganization decision by an area education agency board to
47 26 be appealed to the state board of education, requires school
47 27 districts to adopt a student advancement policy, and makes a
47 28 student's receiving district responsible for making driver
47 29 education available to a student participating in open
47 30 enrollment. The bill also repeals the reading instruction
47 31 pilot project grant program, which was scheduled for repeal
47 32 June 30, 2008, and for which the department of education
47 33 failed to receive applications from school districts.

47 34 The bill treats virtual shared classes like other types of
47 35 shared classes that receive supplemental funding by providing



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48 1 that both the school district that provides the class and the
48 2 instructor and the school district that receives the class
48 3 over the Iowa communications network receive supplemental
48 4 funding of one-twentieth of the percentage of a student's
48 5 school day spent in the virtual class. The bill provides the
48 6 same percentage of supplemental funding for a school district
48 7 that receives a community college class meeting the criteria
48 8 under Code section 257.11, subsection 3, over the Iowa
48 9 communications network. The bill provides for a teacher
48 10 incentive, requiring that the school district that provides
48 11 the instructor and class reserves 50 percent of the
48 12 supplemental funding it receives for extra pay to the
48 13 instructor.

48 14 The bill requires the department of education to evaluate
48 15 the readiness of school districts to adopt and support the
48 16 voluntary model core curriculum; and to convene a community
48 17 college faculty working group; and to submit its findings and
48 18 recommendations in reports to the general assembly by January
48 19 14, 2008.

48 20 The bill appropriates moneys to the state board of regents
48 21 for the board office, for tuition replacement, universities'
48 22 general operating budgets, the southwest Iowa graduate studies
48 23 center, the tristate graduate center, the quad-cities graduate
48 24 studies center, Iowa's obligation as a member of the
48 25 midwestern higher education compact, the state university of
48 26 Iowa, Iowa state university of science and technology, the
48 27 university of northern Iowa, the Iowa school for the deaf, the
48 28 Iowa braille and sight saving school, and for tuition and
48 29 transportation costs for students residing in the Iowa Braille
48 30 and sight saving school and the Iowa school for the deaf. The
48 31 bill also funds the Larned A. Waterman Iowa nonprofit
48 32 resources center at the state university of Iowa.

48 33 The bill includes a provision that requires the director of
48 34 a department or agency to which appropriations are made under
48 35 the bill to assess employment positions that could be
49 1 effectively performed via telecommuting, to report assessment
49 2 results to the director of administrative services and the
49 3 general assembly by November 1, 2007, and to implement a
49 4 policy by January 1, 2008, and begin submitting annual reports
49 5 to the department of administrative services and the general
49 6 assembly beginning January 1, 2009.

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1 1 SENATE RESOLUTION NO.
1 2 BY HARTSUCH
1 3 A Resolution to declare the third week of October,
1 4 2007, Disability History Week in Iowa.
1 5 WHEREAS, on July 26, 2006, Americans celebrated the
1 6 16th anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities
1 7 Act (ADA); and
1 8 WHEREAS, since the ADA was enacted into law in
1 9 1990, many changes have been made, creating a more
1 10 accessible environment for America's approximately
1 11 51.2 million people with disabilities; and
1 12 WHEREAS, there are almost 400,000 persons with
1 13 disabilities living in Iowa, according to the 2000
1 14 United States Census; and
1 15 WHEREAS, this number qualifies persons with
1 16 disabilities as Iowa's largest minority group; and
1 17 WHEREAS, Americans with disabilities face a 44
1 18 percent unemployment rate; and
1 19 WHEREAS, public attitudes continue to stigmatize
1 20 people with disabilities as being less capable than
1 21 those without disabilities; and
1 22 WHEREAS, many people with disabilities feel that
1 23 stigma and therefore are not comfortable talking about
1 24 their disability; and
1 25 WHEREAS, attitudes are formed at a young age; and
1 26 WHEREAS, the curriculum in many Iowa schools
1 27 includes information about the civil rights movement
1 28 and women's rights movement, exposing students to the
1 29 accomplishments of other minority groups; and
1 30 WHEREAS, individuals with disabilities have



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2 1 achieved similar victories as a result of the
2 2 disability rights movement; and
2 3 WHEREAS, many famous people, including Ludwig Von
2 4 Beethoven, Alexander Graham Bell, and Franklin Delano
2 5 Roosevelt have been people with disabilities; and
2 6 WHEREAS, students are not typically exposed to the
2 7 disability rights movement; and
2 8 WHEREAS, many Iowa teachers believe that their
2 9 students should learn about the history and
2 10 accomplishments of individuals with disabilities; and
2 11 WHEREAS, Iowans with disabilities are eager to
2 12 share their history and accomplishments with young
2 13 people; and
2 14 WHEREAS, such education will improve public
2 15 attitudes toward individuals with disabilities for
2 16 generations to come; NOW THEREFORE,
2 17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, That the third week
2 18 of October, 2007, be declared Disability History Week
2 19 in Iowa; and
2 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Iowa Department of
2 21 Education is requested to encourage schools to conduct
2 22 disability awareness activities during this week and
2 23 to work with Iowa disability organizations to develop
2 24 and disseminate a list of curriculum resources and
2 25 presenters to assist schools in carrying out these
2 26 activities.
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