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KIM REYNOLDS

March 10, 2017

The Honorable Paul Pate Secretary of State of Iowa State Capitol Building LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

House File 293, an Act concerning state purchasing from prison industries for products manufactured in this state.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

Terry E. Branstad

Governor

cc:

Secretary of the Senate

Clerk of the House



House File 293

AN ACT

CONCERNING STATE PURCHASING FROM PRISON INDUSTRIES FOR PRODUCTS MANUFACTURED IN THIS STATE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 8A.311, Code 2017, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 12A. The director shall adopt rules which provide that a department or agency is not required to comply with the requirements of section 904.808 for the purchase of a product if the department or agency can verify that the product is manufactured within the state. However, the rules shall provide that if a department or agency is not required to comply with the requirements of section 904.808, Iowa state

industries, as defined in section 904.802, shall be allowed to submit a bid/to provide the product to be purchased.

LINDA UPMEYER

Speaker of the House

JACK WHITVER

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 293, Eighty-seventh General Assembly.

CARMINE BOAL

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved March 10, 2017

TERRY E. BRANSTAD

Governor