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May 11, 2017

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

House File 523, an Act providing medical examiners access to information in the drug prescribing and dispensing information program.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Terry E. Branstad".

Terry E. Branstad
Governor

cc: Secretary of the Senate
Clerk of the House



House File 523

AN ACT

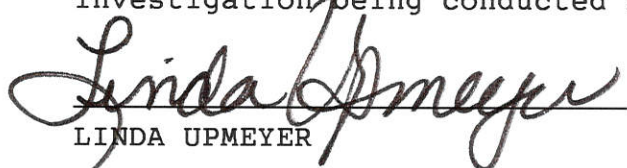
PROVIDING MEDICAL EXAMINERS ACCESS TO INFORMATION IN THE DRUG
PRESCRIBING AND DISPENSING INFORMATION PROGRAM.

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

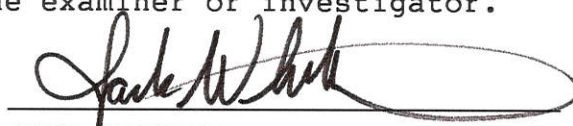
Section 1. Section 124.553, subsection 1, Code 2017, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. *f.* The state medical examiner or a county medical examiner as appointed pursuant to section 331.801 or 691.5 or a medical examiner investigator recognized by the office of the state medical examiner when the information

requested by the examiner or investigator relates to an investigation being conducted by the examiner or investigator.



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 523, Eighty-seventh General Assembly.



CARMINE BOAL
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved May 11, 2017



TERRY E. BRANSTAD
Governor