

CHAPTER 1044

SOCIAL SERVICES STUDY

S. F. 1124

AN ACT making an appropriation to carry out a study of operational aspects of the department of social services which relate to title XIX of the United States Social Security Act.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
2 legislative council the sum of thirty thousand (30,000) dollars, or so much thereof
3 as is necessary, for the use of the joint senate-house appropriations subcommittees
4 on human resources for the purpose of carrying out a study and review of certain
5 operational aspects of the department of social services which relate to the title
6 nineteen (XIX) program of the United States Social Security Act. The joint
7 senate-house appropriation subcommittees on human resources may employ
8 consultants, request staff assistance from the legislative fiscal bureau, and use
9 other necessary legislative staff to aid in carrying out the study authorized by this
10 Act. Unencumbered or unobligated funds appropriated by this Act which remain
11 on June 30, 1977 shall revert to the general fund of the state.

12 Notice of meetings of the joint senate-house appropriation subcommittees on
13 human resources and copies of minutes shall be forwarded to the governor and to
14 the medical assistance advisory council on a timely basis.

15 A final report, accompanied by legislation designed to carry out
16 recommendations of the joint subcommittees shall be made to the governor, the
17 medical assistance advisory council, the appropriations committees of the house
18 and senate, and to the general assembly meeting in the year 1977. The final report
19 shall be made as soon as completed to each of the entities specified.

20 The secretary of the senate and chief clerk of the house shall in consultation
21 with the legislative council provide administrative services for the administration
22 of funds appropriated by this Act.

1 SEC. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect
2 and be in force from and after its publication in the Quad-City Times, a
3 newspaper published in Davenport, Iowa, and in the Lake Mills Graphic, a
4 newspaper published in Lake Mills, Iowa.

Approved May 20, 1976

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 1124, was published in the Quad-City Times, Davenport, Iowa on May 25, 1976, and in the Lake Mills Graphic, Lake Mills, Iowa on May 26, 1976.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State*