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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to transfer of patients to the university
 2 hospital.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
 4 Section 1. Section two hundred fifty-five point twenty-
 5 eight (255.28), Code 1973, is amended to read as follows:
 6 255.28 TRANSFER OF PATIENTS FROM STATE INSTITUTIONS.
 7 The commissioner of the department of social services and
 8 the director of any of the divisions of such department,
 9 and the board in control of the Iowa braille and sight-
 10 saving school, and the Iowa school for the deaf, may,
 11 respectively, send any inmate of any of said institutions,
 12 or any person committed or applying for admission thereto,
 13 to the hospital of the medical college of the state
 14 university for treatment and care as provided in this
 15 chapter, without securing the order of court required in
 16 other cases. Said state department of social services, and
 17 board in control of the Iowa braille and sight-saving school
 18 and the Iowa school for the deaf, shall respectively pay the
 19 traveling expenses of any patient thus committed, and when
 20 necessary the traveling expenses of an attendant for such
 21 patient, out of funds appropriated for the use of the
 22 institution from which he is sent.

EXPLANATION

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 24 This bill allows the state board of regents in its
 25 capacity as the board in control of the Iowa braille and

1 sight-saving school, and the Iowa school for the deaf, to
2 transfer patients to the hospital of the medical college
3 of the state university for treatment and care without
4 obtaining an order of court.

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