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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to review by the general assembly of applica-
2 tions for federal funds submitted by state agencies.

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

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. DEFINITIONS. As used in this
2 Act unless the context otherwise requires:

3 1. "State agency" means all state offices, departments,
4 boards, commissions, councils, committees, institutions under
5 the control of the state board of regents, the governor's
6 offices, the courts and offices of the legislative branch
7 of state government.

8 2. "Federal funds" means any financial assistance available
9 to a state agency by the United States government, whether
10 a loan, grant, subsidy, augmentation, reimbursement or in
11 any other form. "Federal funds" does not include federal
12 pass-through funds to local governments and organizations
13 which do not require additional state matching funds.

14 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. REVIEW REQUIRED. A state agency
15 shall at least thirty days prior to the submission of an
16 application for federal funds to the federal government submit
17 a copy of the application to the budget committees of the
18 house and senate meeting jointly for review.

19 The requirements of this section may be waived by the
20 budget committees as necessary to preserve public health,
21 safety or general welfare.

22 Sec. 3. This Act is effective January 1, 1979.

23 EXPLANATION

24 This bill requires review by the budget committees of the
25 house and senate meeting jointly of all applications for
26 federal funds prepared for submission by a state agency at
27 least thirty days prior to the actual submission to the federal
28 government.

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