

applicable to inmates, whether substitute guidelines should be adopted governing inmate worker safety, including guidelines on the reporting and investigation of unsafe conditions, and the legal consequences of any proposed recommendation or new guideline. The department of corrections shall submit the findings and any recommendations of the study to the general assembly by January 1, 2000.

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CHAPTER 183

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT — FEES PAID BY COMMUNITY COLLEGES

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AN ACT relating to the workforce development fund account and fees paid by community colleges and generated by the funding of new jobs training programs.

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

Section 1. Section 15.251, subsection 2, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

2. The department may charge, within thirty days following the sale of certificates under chapter 260E, the board of directors of the merged area a fee of up to one percent of the gross sale amount of the certificates issued. The amount of this fee shall be deposited ~~into and~~ allowed to accumulate in a job training fund created in the department ~~and may be used by the department to cover the costs of management of chapter 260E and to support other efforts by the community colleges related to providing productivity and quality enhancement training.~~ Funds At the end of each fiscal year, all funds deposited under this subsection into the job training fund during a the fiscal year ~~which are not expended by the department in that fiscal year are available for use by the department under this subsection for subsequent fiscal years shall be transferred to the workforce development fund account established in section 15.342A.~~

Sec. 2. Section 15.342A, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

15.342A WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT.

A workforce development fund account is established in the office of the treasurer of state under the control of the department. The account shall receive funds pursuant to section 422.16A up to a maximum of ten million dollars per year. The account shall also receive funds pursuant to section 15.251 with no dollar limitation.

Sec. 3. Section 15.343, subsection 2, Code 1999, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. e. To cover the costs of the administration of workforce development programs and services available through the department. A portion of these funds may be used to support efforts by the community colleges to provide workforce services to Iowa employers.

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