## House Amendment 1696

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Amend House File 883 as follows:
            Page 1, by inserting before line 1 the
      3 following:
      4 <Section 1. Section 422.12, subsection 2,
     5 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2007, is amended to read
     6 as follows:
            A tuition credit equal to twenty=five fifty percent
     8 of the first one thousand dollars which the taxpayer
     9 has paid to others for each dependent in grades
    10 kindergarten through twelve, for tuition and textbooks
    11 of each dependent in attending an elementary or
    12 secondary school situated in Iowa, which school is
    13 accredited or approved under section 256.11, which is 14 not operated for profit, and which adheres to the
    15 provisions of the federal Civil Rights Act of 1964 and
    16 chapter 216. As used in this subsection, "textbooks" 17 means books and other instructional materials and
    18 equipment used in elementary and secondary schools in 19 teaching only those subjects legally and commonly
    20 taught in public elementary and secondary schools in 21 this state and does not include instructional books
    22 and materials used in the teaching of religious
    23 tenets, doctrines, or worship, the purpose of which is 24 to inculcate those tenets, doctrines, or worship.
    25 "Textbooks" includes books or materials used for
    26 extracurricular activities including sporting events,
     27 musical or dramatic events, speech activities,
    28 driver's education, or programs of a similar nature.
    29 Notwithstanding any other provision, all other credits
     30 allowed under this section and section 422.12B shall
    31 be deducted before the tuition credit under this
    32 subsection. The department, when conducting an audit
    33 of a taxpayer's return, shall also audit the tuition 34 tax credit portion of the tax return.>
    35 \pm 2. Title page, line 1, by inserting after the 36 words <relating to> the following: <the increase in
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