

SENATE/HOUSE FILE _____
BY (PROPOSED DEPARTMENT OF
CORRECTIONS BILL)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the designation of additional orientation
2 and classification units within the department of
3 corrections.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 904.108, Code 2015, is amended by adding
2 the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 7. In addition to the Iowa medical
4 and classification center, the director may designate any
5 other unit of a correctional institution to also serve
6 as a classification unit for purposes of orientation and
7 classification before placement of inmates in the most
8 appropriate correctional institution.

9 Sec. 2. Section 904.201, subsection 4, Code 2015, is amended
10 to read as follows:

11 4. The classification unit, or any other unit of a
12 correctional institution designated by the director, shall
13 admit inmates for purposes of orientation and classification
14 before placement in the most appropriate correctional
15 institutions.

16 EXPLANATION

17 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
18 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

19 This bill relates to the designation of an additional
20 classification unit within the department of corrections.

21 The bill specifies that in addition to the Iowa medical
22 and classification center, the director of the department of
23 corrections may designate any other unit of a correctional
24 institution to also serve as a classification unit for purposes
25 of orientation and classification before placement of inmates
26 in the most appropriate correctional institution.