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April 26, 2004

The Honorable Chester Culver  
Secretary of State  
State Capitol Building  
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

**Senate File 2153**, an Act relating to the funding of efforts to alleviate a public health emergency or disaster.

**House File 265**, an Act relating to the withdrawal of blood without a warrant from a person under arrest for an operating-while-intoxicated offense when the arrest results from a traffic accident resulting in death or personal injury reasonably likely to cause death.

**House File 561**, an Act creating the crime of invasion of privacy, and providing a penalty.

**House File 2193**, an Act relating to determining compliance with course of study requirements regarding cosmetology licensure.

**House File 2207**, an Act relating to statutory corrections which may adjust language to reflect current practices, insert earlier omissions, delete redundancies and inaccuracies, delete temporary language, resolve inconsistencies and conflicts, update ongoing provisions, or remove ambiguities, and including effective and retroactive applicability date provisions.

**House File 2230**, an Act relating to safe deposit box access by a trustee of a trust created by the deceased owner or lessee of the safe deposit box.

**House File 2262**, an Act relating to public retirement systems and other employee benefit related matters, including the public safety peace officers' retirement, accident, and disability system, the Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System, the statewide fire and police retirement system, and the judicial retirement system, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates.

**House File 2269**, an Act providing for the regulation of business entities, including businesses providing for cemetery and funeral merchandising and services, business



promotions and contracts, and businesses providing continuing care or adult congregate living services, and providing penalties.

**House File 2281**, an Act relating to licensing of nonresident bait dealers and providing an effective date.

**House File 2367**, an Act relating to various issues under the purview of the department of corrections including the creation of an inmate labor fund.

**House File 2447**, an Act relating to equipment and installation safety programs administered by the division of labor services of the department of workforce development, and providing an effective date.

**House File 2467**, an Act relating to the quorum requirement for the IowaAccess Advisory Council.

**House File 2480**, an Act prohibiting the award of pets, or advertisement thereof, in certain circumstances, and providing a penalty.

**House File 2489**, an Act relating to the regulation of various industries by the insurance division, including modifications related to the interstate insurance product regulation compact; investigations and penalties; procedures and contempt orders; insurance company investments; insurance producer licensing; individual health insurance programs; coverage obligations of the Iowa comprehensive health insurance associations; refunds of unearned premium; coverage of federal trade adjustment act recipients; penalties and discipline applicable to holders of establishment and sales permits for cemetery and funeral merchandise and services; and providing and applying penalties.

**House File 2530**, an Act relating to the assessment of surcharges in criminal proceedings.

The above House Files and Senate File are hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

  
Thomas J. Vilsack  
Governor

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cc: Secretary of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House



SENATE FILE 2153

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF EFFORTS TO ALLEVIATE A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY OR DISASTER.

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

Section 1. Section 135.144, Code Supplement 2003, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 11. If a public health disaster or other public health emergency situation exists which poses an imminent threat to the public health, safety, and welfare, the department, in conjunction with the governor, may provide financial assistance, from funds appropriated to the department that are not otherwise encumbered, to political subdivisions as needed to alleviate the disaster or the emergency. If the department does not have sufficient encumbered funds, the governor may request that the executive council, pursuant to the authority of section 7D.29, commit sufficient funds, up to one million dollars, that are not otherwise encumbered from the general fund, as needed and available, for the disaster or the emergency. If additional

financial assistance is required in excess of one million dollars, approval by the legislative council is also required.



JEFFREY M. LAMBERTI  
President of the Senate



CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2153, Eightieth General Assembly.



MICHAEL E. MARSHALL  
Secretary of the Senate

Approved April 26, 2004



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