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April 26, 2006

The Honorable Chester Culver
Secretary of State
State Capitol Building
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

House File 2331, an Act to eliminate certain restrictions on the authority of a physician assistant to prescribe certain Schedule II controlled substances.

House File 2361, an Act relating to energy conservation standards included in the state building code for new single-family or two-family residential construction.

House File 2463, an Act relating to adoption and termination of jurisdiction of a court involving prior child support and custody proceedings.

The above House Files are hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas J. Vilsack".

Thomas J. Vilsack
Governor

TJV:jmc

cc: Secretary of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House





HOUSE FILE 2331

AN ACT

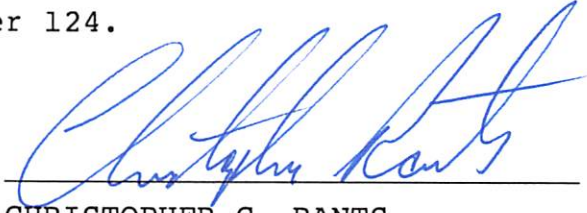
TO ELIMINATE CERTAIN RESTRICTIONS ON THE AUTHORITY OF A
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT TO PRESCRIBE CERTAIN SCHEDULE II
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.

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

Section 1. Section 147.107, subsection 5, Code 2005, is amended to read as follows:

5. Notwithstanding subsection 1 and any other provision of this section to the contrary, a physician may delegate the function of prescribing drugs, controlled substances, and medical devices to a physician assistant licensed pursuant to chapter 148C. When delegated prescribing occurs, the supervising physician's name shall be used, recorded, or otherwise indicated in connection with each individual prescription so that the individual who dispenses or administers the prescription knows under whose delegated authority the physician assistant is prescribing. Rules relating to the authority of physician assistants to prescribe drugs, controlled substances, and medical devices pursuant to this subsection shall be adopted by the board of physician assistant examiners, after consultation with the board of medical examiners and the board of pharmacy examiners. However, the rules shall prohibit the prescribing of schedule

II controlled substances which are listed as ~~stimulants-or~~
depressants pursuant to chapter 124.



CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS

Speaker of the House



JEFFREY M. LAMBERTI

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and
is known as House File 2331, Eighty-first General Assembly.



MARGARET THOMSON

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved April 26, 2006



THOMAS J. VILSACK
Governor