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May 20, 2005

The Honorable Chester Culver  
Secretary of State  
State Capitol Building  
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

**House File 685**, an Act establishing the Child Identification and Protection Act, which prohibits the fingerprinting of children, and providing for exceptions.

**House File 718**, an Act allowing a refund of unexpired motor vehicle registration fees to a vehicle owner who moves out of state.

**House File 859**, an Act relating to the establishment of a form of business association referred to as a cooperative, and providing for fees and tax credits, providing penalties, and providing an effective date.

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

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cc: Secretary of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House





HOUSE FILE 718

AN ACT

ALLOWING A REFUND OF UNEXPIRED MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEES TO A VEHICLE OWNER WHO MOVES OUT OF STATE.

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

Section 1. Section 321.126, Code 2005, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 6A. If the owner of the motor vehicle moves out of state, the owner may make a claim for a refund by returning the Iowa registration plates, along with evidence of the vehicle's registration in another jurisdiction, to the county treasurer of the county in which the motor vehicle was registered within six months of the out-of-state registration. For purposes of section 321.127, the unexpired months remaining in the registration year shall be calculated on the basis of the effective date of the out-of-state registration. However, for the purpose of timely issuance of the refund, the claim for a refund under this subsection is considered to be

filed on the date the registration documents are received by the county treasurer.



CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS  
Speaker of the House



JOHN P. KIBBIE  
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 718, Eighty-first General Assembly.



MARGARET THOMSON  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved May 20, 2005



THOMAS J. VILSACK  
Governor