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March 26, 2014

The Honorable Matt Schultz
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

Senate File 2255, an Act designating registered architects and licensed professional engineers employees of the state for specified purposes under the Iowa Tort Claims Act.

The above Senate File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Terry E. Branstad", written over a horizontal line.

Terry E. Branstad
Governor

cc: Secretary of the Senate
Clerk of the House



Senate File 2255

AN ACT

DESIGNATING REGISTERED ARCHITECTS AND LICENSED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE FOR SPECIFIED PURPOSES UNDER THE IOWA TORT CLAIMS ACT.

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

Section 1. Section 669.2, subsection 4, Code 2014, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. *c.* "Employee of the state" also includes an architect registered pursuant to chapter 544A or a professional engineer licensed pursuant to chapter 542B who voluntarily and without compensation provides initial structural or building systems inspection services for the purposes of determining human occupancy at the scene of a disaster as defined in section 29C.2, subsection 4. To be considered an employee of the state, the architect or engineer shall be acting at the request and under the direction of the commissioner of public safety and in coordination with the local emergency management

commission. For purposes of this paragraph, "compensation" does not include reimbursement for expenses.



PAM JOCHEM

President of the Senate



KRAIG PAULSEN

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2255, Eighty-fifth General Assembly.



MICHAEL E. MARSHALL

Secretary of the Senate

Approved March 26, 2014



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