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March 30, 2016

The Honorable Paul Pate  
Secretary of State of Iowa  
State Capitol Building  
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

House File 2377, an Act relating to the rural Iowa primary care and the rural Iowa advanced registered nurse practitioner and physician assistant loan repayment programs.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Terry E. Branstad".

Terry E. Branstad  
Governor

cc: Secretary of the Senate  
Clerk of the House



House File 2377

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE RURAL IOWA PRIMARY CARE AND THE RURAL IOWA  
ADVANCED REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONER AND PHYSICIAN  
ASSISTANT LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAMS.

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

Section 1. Section 261.113, subsection 5, paragraph a, Code 2016, is amended to read as follows:

a. The amount of loan repayment an eligible student who enters into an agreement pursuant to subsection 3 shall receive if in compliance with obligations under the agreement shall not exceed ~~fifty~~ forty thousand dollars annually for an eligible loan. Payments under this section may be made for each year of eligible practice during a period of five consecutive years and shall not exceed a total of two hundred thousand dollars.

Sec. 2. Section 261.114, subsection 5, Code 2016, is amended to read as follows:

5. *Loan repayment amounts.*

~~a.~~ The amount of loan repayment an eligible student who enters into an agreement pursuant to subsection 3 shall receive if in compliance with obligations under the agreement shall not exceed ~~five~~ four thousand dollars annually for an eligible loan. Payments under this section may be made for each year of eligible practice during a period of five consecutive years and shall not exceed a total of twenty thousand dollars.

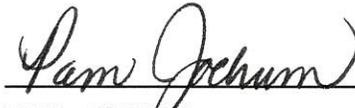
~~b. The commission shall not enter into more than fifteen program agreements annually, with the exception of agreements~~

~~providing for additional loan repayment with surplus funds in  
accordance with subsection 7.~~



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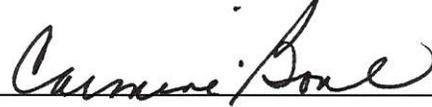
Speaker of the House



PAM JOCHUM

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and  
is known as House File 2377, Eighty-sixth General Assembly.



CARMINE BOAL

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved March 30, 2016



TERRY E. BRANSTAD

Governor