

March 25, 1969

HOUSE FILE 664

Place on Calendar

Judiciary 4-15, Pass 4-17

By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Passed House, Date 4-11-69 Passed Senate, Date 5-1-69

Vote: Ayes 74 Nays 37 Vote: Ayes 46 Nays 3

Approved 5-12-69

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to establishment of county legal aid programs.
- 2 *Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*
- 3 Section 1. Section two hundred fifty-two point twenty-
- 4 seven (252.27), Code 1966, as amended by chapter two hundred
- 5 twenty-five (225), section one (1), Acts of the Sixty-second
- 6 General Assembly, is hereby further amended as follows:
- 7 1. By inserting in line three (3) after the word
- 8 "attendance," the words "civil legal aid,"
- 9 2. By inserting in line four (4) after the period the
- 10 following:
- 11 "Legal aid authorized herein shall be provided only
- 12 through a legal aid program approved by the county board of
- 13 supervisors."
- 14 Sec. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance,
- 15 shall take effect and be in force from and after its publica-
- 16 tion in The Cedar Rapids Gazette, a newspaper published in
- 17 Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and in The Mount Vernon Herald-Record &
- 18 Lisbon Herald, a newspaper published in Mount Vernon, Iowa.

EXPLANATION OF HOUSE FILE 664

This bill permits counties to finance legal aid programs for indigents involved in civil litigation, and requires that the program approved by the board of supervisors.

- 1 Amend House File 664 as follows:
- 2 1. By striking the period in line eight (8) and
- 3 inserting in lieu thereof the words "in counties of
- 4 over one hundred thousand population."

Filed and lost
April 11, 1969

RADL of Linn