

House File 812  
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Coleman, Chairman  
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Place On Calendar

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BY COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT

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Vote: Ayes 77 Nays 8 Vote: Ayes 30 Nays 17

Approved 4-7-76  
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29-16

## A BILL FOR

1 An Act to allow the governor to appoint the directors of  
2 certain commissions.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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S-5075

1 Amend House File 812 as passed by the House as  
2 follows:

3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 6 through 9 and  
4 inserting in lieu thereof the words "officer of the  
5 commission. The executive director shall serve at  
6 the pleasure of the governor. Notwithstanding the  
7 provisions of section 49A.37 the executive director  
8 shall be subject to the state merit system in matters  
9 related to salary and benefits."

10 2. Page 1, line 14, by inserting after the word  
11 "commission." the words "The director shall serve  
12 at the pleasure of the governor."

S-5075 FILED - adopted 2/9 (218)  
FEBRUARY 4, 1976

BY COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT  
EUGENE M. HILL, Chairperson

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1 Section 1. Section two hundred forty-nine B point five  
2 (249B.5), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

3 249B.5 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. The ~~commission~~ governor with  
4 the consent of two-thirds of the members of the senate shall  
5 appoint an executive director who shall serve as executive  
6 officer of the commission. Notwithstanding the provisions  
7 of section 19A.3, the executive director shall be subject  
8 to the state merit system in matters related to salary and  
9 benefits.

10 Sec. 2. Section six hundred one A point three (601A.3),  
11 Code 1975, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

12 NEW PARAGRAPH. The governor with the consent of two-thirds  
13 of the members of the senate shall appoint a director who shall  
14 serve as the executive officer of the commission.

15 Sec. 3. Section six hundred one A point five (601A.5),  
16 subsection one (1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

17 1. To ~~appoint-and~~ prescribe the duties of a director and  
18 appoint and prescribe the duties of such investigators and  
19 other employees and agents as the commission shall deem  
20 necessary for the enforcement of this chapter.

21 EXPLANATION

22 The bill allows the governor with the consent of two-thirds  
23 of the senate to appoint the directors of the commission on  
24 the aging and state civil rights commission.

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1 Amend House File 812 as passed by the House  
2 as follows:

3 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 20, the  
4 following:

5 "Sec. 4. Section seven A point one (7A.1),  
6 Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

7 7A.1 OFFICE CREATED. There is hereby creat-  
8 ed the office for planning and programming which  
9 will be directly attached to and a part of the  
10 office of the governor. ~~The~~ During each term the  
11 governor may shall appoint a director of planning  
12 and programming and confirmed by a two-thirds vote  
13 of the senate. The director shall appoint other  
14 necessary personnel. Employees ~~The director and~~  
15 employees of the office shall serve at the pleasure  
16 of the governor. Where required by federal statutes,  
17 employees shall be covered under the provisions of  
18 chapter 19A.

19 Sec. 2 The term of the incumbent director of  
20 the office for planning and programming shall expire  
21 at the effective date of this Act. However, the in-  
22 cumbent shall hold over until his successor is ap-  
23 pointed and confirmed, in accordance with this Act,  
24 and qualified. The governor shall submit an appoint-  
25 ment of the successor within two weeks after the  
26 effective date of this Act. Nothing in this Act  
27 shall prevent the governor from appointing the in-  
28 cumbent to succeed himself.

29 Sec. 3 Sections one (1) and two (2) of this  
30 Act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall  
31 take effect and be in force from and after its  
32 publication in The Union, a newspaper published in  
33 West Union, Iowa, and The Dunlap Reporter, a news-  
34 paper published in Dunlap, Iowa."

S-5093 FILED - *Killebrew 2/9 (318)*  
FEBRUARY 6, 1976

BY LOUIS P. CULVER

1 Amend House File 812, as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 9.

3 2. Page 1, line 10, by striking the word and  
4 figure "Sec.2." and inserting in lieu thereof the  
5 word and figure "Section 1."

6 3. Page 1, line 15, by striking the figure  
7 "3." and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "2."

S-5098 FILED & ADOPTED *(321)*  
FEBRUARY 9, 1976

BY BASS VAN GILST  
JAMES BRILES

SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE FILE 812

H-5191

1 Amend House File 812 as passed by the House as  
2 follows:

3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 9.

4 2. Page 1, line 10, by striking the word and  
5 figure "Sec.2." and inserting in lieu thereof the  
6 word and figure "Section 1.".

7 3. Page 1, line 14, by inserting after the  
8 word "commission." the words "The director shall  
9 serve at the pleasure of the governor.".

10 4. Page 1, line 15, by striking the figure  
11 "3." and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "2.".

H-5191 FILED

RECEIVED FROM SENATE

FEBRUARY 11, 1976

*House refused to concur 2/25 (p. 666)*  
*Senate receded 3/30 (1104)*

HOUSE FILE 812

H-5201

1 Amend the Senate amendment H-5191 to House File  
2 812, as passed by the House, as follows:

3 1. By striking all of lines 4 through 11 and  
4 inserting in lieu thereof the following:

5 "2. Page 1 by striking all of lines 10 through  
6 20 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

7 Section 1. The legislative council shall appoint  
8 an interim study committee to study the structure  
9 of the civil rights commission."

H-5201 FILED - Lost 2/25

BY BRANDT of Black Hawk

FEBRUARY 12, 1976

HOUSE FILE 812

AN ACT  
TO ALLOW THE GOVERNOR TO APPOINT THE DIRECTORS OF CERTAIN  
COMMISSIONS.

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

Section 1. Section two hundred forty-nine B point five (249B.5), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

249B.5 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. The ~~commission~~ governor with the consent of two-thirds of the members of the senate shall appoint an executive director who shall serve as executive officer of the commission. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 19A.3, the executive director shall be subject to the state merit system in matters related to salary and benefits.

Sec. 2. Section six hundred one A point three (601A.3), Code 1975, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:  
NEW PARAGRAPH. The governor with the consent of two-thirds of the members of the senate shall appoint a director who shall serve as the executive officer of the commission.

Sec. 3. Section six hundred one A point five (601A.5), subsection one (1), Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

1. To ~~appoint-and~~ prescribe the duties of a director and appoint and prescribe the duties of such investigators and

other employees and agents as the commission shall deem necessary for the enforcement of this chapter.

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DALE M. COCHRAN  
Speaker of the House

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ARTHUR A. NEU  
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 812, Sixty-sixth General Assembly.

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DAVID L. WRAY  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved 4/7, 1976

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ROBERT D. RAY  
Governor