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Senate File 2216

State Government: Hoffmann-Bright, Chair; Anderson of Audubon, Anderson of TE FILE 2216
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BY COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT

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Vote: Ayes 41 Nays 0 Vote: Ayes 90 Nays 0

Approved May 10, 1982

Repassed Senate as amended by House & further amended by Senate
4-16-82 (p. 1249)

Repassed House as amended by Senate
4-21-82 (p. 1617)
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring the governor to establish within the office
2 for planning and programming an Iowa youth corps pro-
3 gram.

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

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1 Section 1. Chapter 7A, Code 1981, is amended by adding
2 the following new section:

3 NEW SECTION. IOWA YOUTH CORPS.

4 1. The governor is directed to establish an Iowa youth
5 corps program to be administered by the office for planning
6 and programming. The objectives of the program are to provide
7 meaningful and productive public service jobs for youth,
8 assist youth in securing unsubsidized employment, and develop
9 opportunities for youth to engage in community service
10 volunteer activities. The office for planning and programming
11 shall adopt rules for the purpose of determining the
12 eligibility of youth to participate in the program. The
13 program shall be open to youth from both sexes. If paid wages
14 or stipends through the Iowa youth corps, the youth must be
15 at least fourteen years of age and no older than nineteen
16 years six months at the time of their enrollment. Both the
17 paid work experience and the volunteer service activities
18 of the participating youth shall emphasize projects related
19 to soil conservation, land management, energy savings,
20 community improvement activities, economic development, and
21 work benefiting human service programs.

22 2. The Iowa youth corps shall consist of three program
23 components:

24 a. An in-school public service employment program for
25 disadvantaged and handicapped youth.

26 b. A summer employment program for youth from all social
27 and economic classifications.

28 c. A year-round youth volunteer program.

29 3. Participating nonprofit private and public agencies
30 operating a local Iowa youth corps project may be required
31 by the office for planning and programming to contribute up
32 to thirty-five percent of the total project budget as their
33 share of the program costs. These contributions may be in
34 the form of cash or in-kind services or a combination of both
35 cash and in-kind services.

1 4. The office for planning and programming may apply for
2 appropriate federal funds to be used with appropriated state
3 program funds, shall adopt any necessary rules to carry out
4 this section, and shall prepare an annual report for submission
5 to the general assembly on January 15.

6 EXPLANATION

7 This bill directs the governor to consolidate existing
8 youth programs by establishing an Iowa youth corps program
9 under the direction of the office for planning and programming
10 and establishes guidelines for the operation of the program.

11 This Act takes effect July 1 following enactment.

SENATE FILE 2216
FISCAL NOTE

REQUESTED BY SENATOR GALLAGHER

In compliance with a written request there is hereby submitted a
Fiscal Note for Senate File 2216 pursuant to Joint Rule 16.

S.F. 2216 is An Act that consolidates existing youth programs by establishing
an Iowa youth corps program under the direction of the office for planning
and programming and establishes guidelines for the operation.

The fiscal effect of this bill will be determined by the amount of the appropri-
ation. The Governor has recommended \$808,220 for FY '83 to be used as grants
for the Youth Corp and \$73,220 for administration.

FILED:
MARCH 3, 1982

BY GERRY RANKIN, FISCAL DIRECTOR

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SENATE FILE 2216

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2 as follows:

3 1. By striking all after the enacting clause and
4 inserting in lieu thereof the following:

5 "Section 1. Chapter 7A, Code 1981, is amended
6 by adding sections 2 through 4 of this Act.

7 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. GOVERNOR'S YOUTH CORPS
8 ESTABLISHED. A governor's youth corps is established
9 in this state. The objectives of the youth corps
10 are to provide meaningful and productive public service
11 jobs for youth, assist youth in securing unsubsidized
12 employment, and develop opportunities for youth to
13 engage in volunteer community service activities.
14 The general assembly intends that participation in
15 the youth corps will provide youth with an opportunity
16 to explore careers, gain needed work experience, and
17 contribute to the general welfare of their communities
18 and state. The youth corps shall provide the following
19 programs:

20 1. A public service employment program for
21 disadvantaged and handicapped youth attending school.

22 2. A summer employment program for youth of all
23 social and economic classifications.

24 3. A youth volunteer program.

25 Sec. 3. NEW SECTION. ADMINISTRATION. The office
26 for planning and programming shall administer the
27 governor's youth corps and shall adopt rules governing
28 its operation and eligibility for participation.
29 The programs of the governor's youth corps shall be
30 open to both sexes. A person must be at least fourteen
31 years of age and not older than nineteen years six
32 months at the time of enrollment to receive wages
33 or stipends through the youth corps. The office for
34 planning and programming shall submit an annual report
35 to the general assembly on the governor's youth corps
36 by January 15 of each year.

37 Sec. 4. NEW SECTION. EMPHASIS AND CONTRIBUTIONS.
38 The governor's youth corps shall give emphasis in
39 its employment and volunteer programs to projects
40 related to soil conservation, land management, energy
41 savings, community improvement activities, economic
42 development, and work benefiting human service
43 programs. The office for planning and programming
44 may require participating nonprofit private or public
45 agencies operating a youth corps project to contribute
46 at least thirty-five percent of the total project
47 budget. The contribution may be in the form of cash
48 or services.

49 Sec. 5. Section 7A.3, Code 1981, is amended by
50 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof

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1 the following:

2 7A.3 PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY. The primary
3 responsibility of the office for planning and
4 programming is to coordinate the development of state
5 and local government programs in order to promote
6 efficient and economic use of federal, state, local,
7 and private resources. To carry out this
8 responsibility, the office shall:

9 1. Provide technical and financial assistance
10 to local and regional government organizations in
11 Iowa, analyze intergovernmental relations in Iowa,
12 and recommend policies to state agencies, local
13 governments, the governor, and the general assembly.

14 2. Provide coordination of state policy planning,
15 management of interagency programs of the state, and
16 recommend policies to the governor and the general
17 assembly.

18 3. Maintain and make available demographic and
19 other information useful for state and local planning.

20 4. Prepare and submit economic reports appraising
21 the economic condition, growth and development of
22 the state.

23 5. Analyze the quality and quantity of services
24 required for the orderly growth of the state, taking
25 into consideration the relationship of activities,
26 capabilities, and future plans of private enterprise,
27 the local, state and federal governments, and regional
28 units established under any state or federal
29 legislation, and make recommendations to the governor
30 and the general assembly for the establishment and
31 improvement of such services.

32 6. Apply for, receive, administer, and use federal
33 or other funds available for achieving the purposes
34 of this chapter.

35 7. Inquire into methods of planning and program
36 development, and the conduct of affairs of state
37 government; prescribe adequate systems of records
38 for planning and programming; establish standards
39 for effective planning and programming; and exercise
40 all other powers necessary in discharging the powers
41 and duties of this chapter.

42 8. Analyze the relationship of federal and private
43 aid programs to state and locally financed programs
44 and make recommendations to state agencies, local
45 governments, the governor, and the general assembly
46 on means of avoiding duplication of activity and of
47 increasing efficiency.

48 9. Carry out any other duties consistent with
49 this chapter as directed by the governor or the general
50 assembly.

1 Sec. 6. Section 103A.4, Code 1981, is amended
2 to read as follows:

3 103A.4. COMMISSIONER. ~~The director of the division~~
4 ~~of municipal affairs, in the office for planning and~~
5 ~~programming shall~~ commissioner of public safety, in
6 addition to ~~his~~ other duties, shall serve as the state
7 building code commissioner, or may designate a building
8 code commissioner.

9 Sec. 7. Section 249B.19, Code 1981, is amended
10 to read as follows:

11 249B.19 ALLOCATION OF FUNDS. All funds
12 appropriated to the commission from the general fund
13 for the elderly care program shall be allocated
14 initially to the area agencies on aging on the basis
15 of population over sixty-five years of age, double-
16 weighted for the low income population over sixty-
17 five years of age. Area agencies on aging may apply
18 for grants of funds not to exceed the amount allocated
19 to the area by this method. Area agency on aging
20 applications shall consist of grant requests from
21 local, public and private organizations recommended
22 and ~~prioritized~~ given priority ranking by the area
23 agency to the commission based upon area wide needs
24 assessment for elderly low income Iowans and
25 compatibility with the comprehensive aging plan for
26 the area. The interagency co-ordinating committee
27 shall review the grant applications of area agencies
28 on aging and make recommendations to the commission
29 regarding the awarding of grants to area agencies
30 on aging. The commission shall have final
31 responsibility for awarding grants to the area agencies
32 on aging. The funds allocated to area agencies on
33 the basis of population and income and not granted
34 by the commission to the area agencies by December
35 1 and the funds granted by the commission to the area
36 agencies by December 1 which the commission determines
37 will not be expended during the fiscal year shall
38 be considered excess funds and shall be transferred
39 to a reallocation pool. The reallocation pool shall
40 be reallocated to area agencies on aging by a method
41 recommended by the interagency co-ordinating committee
42 and approved by the commission. Area agencies on
43 aging may apply for grants of funds from the
44 reallocation pool. The interagency co-ordinating
45 committee shall review these applications and make
46 recommendations to the commission regarding the
47 awarding of reallocation grants. The commission shall
48 ~~have~~ has final authority for awarding reallocation
49 grants. Excess funds not reallocated or granted by
50 January 31 may be transferred to the ~~office for~~

1 ~~planning-and-programming~~ energy policy council to
2 be used to assist the low income elderly in the payment
3 of winter utility bills.

4 Sec. 8. Section 7A.7, Code 1981, is repealed.

5 Sec. 9. PRIOR ACTIONS. A rule adopted, permit
6 or order issued, or approval given under chapter 103A
7 before the effective date of this Act, by the director
8 of the division of municipal affairs or the director's
9 designated state building code commissioner, and
10 effective immediately prior to the effective date
11 of this Act, remains effective until modified or
12 rescinded by action of the commissioner of public
13 safety or the commissioner's designated state building
14 code commissioner as provided in chapter 103A.

15 Sec. 10. TRANSFER OF EMPLOYEES.

16 1. The employees of the division of municipal
17 affairs of the office for planning and programming
18 who are employed in the administration of the state
19 building code are transferred to the department of
20 public safety. However, an employee of the division
21 of municipal affairs whose duty assignment will be
22 terminated because of section 6 of this Act may be
23 reassigned to other duties or may be transferred to
24 the department of public safety. An employee shall
25 not lose benefits, including but not limited to salary,
26 retirement, vacation, or sick leave because of
27 reassignment or transfer provided in this section.

28 2. The records, equipment, and other property
29 used in the administration of the state building code
30 by the division of municipal affairs are transferred
31 to the department of public safety.

32 Sec. 11. TRANSITION TO MERIT SYSTEM.

33 1. An employee transferred to the department of
34 public safety under section 10 of this Act who holds
35 a position covered by chapter 19A as of the effective
36 date of this Act, and who has held the position or
37 another position covered by chapter 19A for six months
38 or more preceding the effective date of this Act,
39 shall be given permanent appointment in the merit
40 system in either of the following cases:

41 a. If the employee is certified by the director
42 of the Iowa merit employment department as having
43 met the minimum qualifications established for the
44 classification of the position held and the employee
45 is recommended by the appointing authority as having
46 given satisfactory service during the prior period
47 of employment.

48 b. If the employee does not meet the minimum
49 qualifications established for the classification
50 of the position held but is recommended by the

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1 appointing authority as having given satisfactory
2 service during the prior period of service and is
3 certified by the director of the Iowa merit employment
4 department as having passed a qualifying examination
5 for the position.

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7 public safety under section 10 of this Act, who holds
8 a position covered by chapter 19A as of the effective
9 date of this Act, and who fails to obtain permanent
10 status by either of the options provided in paragraphs
11 a and b of subsection 1 or who has been employed for
12 less than six months before the effective date of
13 this Act, may apply for the position held or any other
14 position covered by chapter 19A through the qualifying
15 and examining procedures established under chapter
16 19A and may be appointed to the position on a
17 noncompetitive basis.

18 3. This section does not preclude the
19 reclassification or reallocation of a position held
20 by an incumbent as provided in chapter 19A."

21 2. Amend the title, by striking lines 1 through
22 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "An
23 Act relating to the duties of the office for planning
24 and programming."

H-5392 FILED
MARCH 11, 1982

BY COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT
SWEARINGEN, Chair

*Adopted as amended by 5573
3/29 (p. 1064)*

SENATE FILE 2216

H-5573

1 Amend amendment H-5392 to Senate File 2216 as
2 follows:
3 1. Page 1, line 23, by striking the words "social
4 and".

H-5573 FILED MARCH 25, 1982

BY SPEAR of Lee

Adopted 3/29 (p. 1063)

S-5420

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24 and programming."

S-5420 FILED
MARCH 31, 1982

RECEIVED FROM THE HOUSE

Senate amended & concurred 4/16 (p. 1249)

SENATE FILE 2216

S-5562

1 Amend the House Amendment S-5420 to Senate File
2 2216, as passed by the Senate, as follows:
3 1. Page 1, line 7, by striking the word "GOVERNOR'S"
4 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "IOWA".
5 2. Page 1, line 8, by striking the word "governor's"
6 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Iowa".
7 3. Page 1, line 27, by striking the word "governor's"
8 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Iowa".
9 4. Page 1, line 29, by striking the word "governor's"
10 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Iowa".
11 5. Page 1, line 35, by striking the word "governor's"
12 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Iowa".
13 6. Page 1, line 38, by striking the word "governor's"
14 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Iowa".

S-5562 FILED
APRIL 13, 1982

BY FORREST V. SCHWENGELS
JAMES GALLAGHER

Adopted 4/16 (p. 1249)

SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE AMENDMENT TO SENATE FILE 2216

H-5897

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- 14 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Iowa".

H-5897 FILED APRIL 20, 1982

RECEIVED FROM THE SENATE

House concurred 4/21 (p. 1617)

SENATE FILE 2216

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3. Maintain and make available demographic and other information useful for state and local planning.
4. Prepare and submit economic reports appraising the economic condition, growth and development of the state.
5. Analyze the quality and quantity of services required for the orderly growth of the state, taking into consideration the relationship of activities, capabilities, and future plans of private enterprise, the local, state and federal governments, and regional units established under any state or federal legislation, and make recommendations to the governor and the general assembly for the establishment and improvement of such services.

6. Apply for, receive, administer, and use federal or other funds available for achieving the purposes of this chapter.

7. Inquire into methods of planning and program development, and the conduct of affairs of state government; prescribe adequate systems of records for planning and programming; establish standards for effective planning and programming; and exercise all other powers necessary in discharging the powers and duties of this chapter.

8. Analyze the relationship of federal and private aid programs to state and locally financed programs and make recommendations to state agencies, local governments, the governor, and the general assembly on means of avoiding duplication of activity and of increasing efficiency.

9. Carry out any other duties consistent with this chapter as directed by the governor or the general assembly.

Sec. 6. Section 103A.4, Code 1981, is amended to read as follows:

103A.4 COMMISSIONER. The ~~director-of-the-division-of municipal-affairs,-in-the-office-for-planning-and-programming shall~~ commissioner of public safety, in addition to his other duties, shall serve as the state building code commissioner, or may designate a building code commissioner.

Sec. 7. Section 249B.19, Code 1981, is amended to read as follows:

249B.19 ALLOCATION OF FUNDS. All funds appropriated to the commission from the general fund for the elderly care program shall be allocated initially to the area agencies on aging on the basis of population over sixty-five years of age, double-weighted for the low income population over sixty-five years of age. Area agencies on aging may apply for grants of funds not to exceed the amount allocated to the area by this method. Area agency on aging applications shall consist of grant requests from local, public and private organizations recommended and ~~prioritized~~ given priority ranking by the area agency to the commission based upon area wide needs assessment for elderly low income Iowans and

compatibility with the comprehensive aging plan for the area. The interagency co-ordinating committee shall review the grant applications of area agencies on aging and make recommendations to the commission regarding the awarding of grants to area agencies on aging. The commission shall have final responsibility for awarding grants to the area agencies on aging. The funds allocated to area agencies on the basis of population and income and not granted by the commission to the area agencies by December 1 and the funds granted by the commission to the area agencies by December 1 which the commission determines will not be expended during the fiscal year shall be considered excess funds and shall be transferred to a reallocation pool. The reallocation pool shall be reallocated to area agencies on aging by a method recommended by the interagency co-ordinating committee and approved by the commission. Area agencies on aging may apply for grants of funds from the reallocation pool. The interagency co-ordinating committee shall review these applications and make recommendations to the commission regarding the awarding of reallocation grants. The commission ~~shall~~ has final authority for awarding reallocation grants. Excess funds not reallocated or granted by January 31 may be transferred to the ~~office-for-planning-and-programming~~ energy policy council to be used to assist the low income elderly in the payment of winter utility bills.

Sec. 8. Section 7A.7, Code 1981, is repealed.

Sec. 9. PRIOR ACTIONS. A rule adopted, permit or order issued, or approval given under chapter 103A before the effective date of this Act, by the director of the division of municipal affairs or the director's designated state building code commissioner, and effective immediately prior to the effective date of this Act, remains effective until modified or rescinded by action of the commissioner of public safety or the commissioner's designated state building code commissioner as provided in chapter 103A.

Sec. 10. TRANSFER OF EMPLOYEES.

1. The employees of the division of municipal affairs of the office for planning and programming who are employed in the administration of the state building code are transferred to the department of public safety. However, an employee of the division of municipal affairs whose duty assignment will be terminated because of section 6 of this Act may be reassigned to other duties or may be transferred to the department of public safety. An employee shall not lose benefits, including but not limited to salary, retirement, vacation, or sick leave because of reassignment or transfer provided in this section.

2. The records, equipment, and other property used in the administration of the state building code by the division of municipal affairs are transferred to the department of public safety.

Sec. 11. TRANSITION TO MERIT SYSTEM.

1. An employee transferred to the department of public safety under section 10 of this Act who holds a position covered by chapter 19A as of the effective date of this Act, and who has held the position or another position covered by chapter 19A for six months or more preceding the effective date of this Act, shall be given permanent appointment in the merit system in either of the following cases:

a. If the employee is certified by the director of the Iowa merit employment department as having met the minimum qualifications established for the classification of the position held and the employee is recommended by the appointing authority as having given satisfactory service during the prior period of employment.

b. If the employee does not meet the minimum qualifications established for the classification of the position held but is recommended by the appointing authority as having given satisfactory service during the prior period of service and is certified by the director of the Iowa merit employment department as having passed a qualifying examination for the position.

2. An employee transferred to the department of public safety under section 10 of this Act, who holds a position covered by chapter 19A as of the effective date of this Act, and who fails to obtain permanent status by either of the options provided in paragraphs a and b of subsection 1 or who has been employed for less than six months before the effective date of this Act, may apply for the position held or any other position covered by chapter 19A through the qualifying and examining procedures established under chapter 19A and may be appointed to the position on a noncompetitive basis.

3. This section does not preclude the reclassification or reallocation of a position held by an incumbent as provided in chapter 19A.

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I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2216, Sixty-ninth General Assembly.

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Secretary of the Senate

Approved May 10, 1982

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