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Vote: Ayes 43 Nays 0 Vote: Ayes 89 Nays 0

Approved May 16, 1985

A BILL FOR

1 An Act to provide for the time required for action on
2 gubernatorial appointments which require confirmation
3 by the senate and are submitted to the senate during
4 the last thirty days prior to adjournment sine die
5 and providing an effective date by publication.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 2.32, subsection 3, unnumbered
2 paragraph 1, Code 1985, is amended to read as follows:

3 If an appointment is submitted pursuant to subsection 1,
4 the senate shall by April 15 of that year either approve,
5 disapprove or by resolution defer consideration of
6 confirmation of the appointment. If an appointment is
7 submitted pursuant to subsection 2, the senate shall either
8 approve, disapprove or by resolution defer consideration of
9 confirmation of the appointment within thirty days after
10 receiving the appointment from the governor. The senate may
11 defer consideration of an appointment until a later time
12 during that session, but the senate shall not adjourn that
13 session until all appointments submitted pursuant to this
14 section before the last thirty days of the session are
15 approved or disapproved. If a nomination is submitted during
16 the last thirty days of the session, the senate may by
17 resolution defer consideration of the appointment until the
18 next regular session of the general assembly and the
19 nomination shall be considered as though made during the
20 legislative interim.

21 Sec. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance,
22 takes effect from and after its publication in The Des Moines
23 Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and in
24 the Ames Daily Tribune, a newspaper published in Ames, Iowa.

25 EXPLANATION

26 This bill provides that the senate may by resolution defer
27 on a confirmation of a gubernatorial appointment submitted
28 during the last 30 days of a regular session and the nomina-
29 tion shall be considered during the next regular session as
30 though the nomination had been made during the legislative
31 interim. The bill takes effect upon publication.

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AN ACT

TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME REQUIRED FOR ACTION ON GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENTS WHICH REQUIRE CONFIRMATION BY THE SENATE AND ARE SUBMITTED TO THE SENATE DURING THE LAST THIRTY DAYS PRIOR TO ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE BY PUBLICATION.

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

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If an appointment is submitted pursuant to subsection 1, the senate shall by April 15 of that year either approve, disapprove or by resolution defer consideration of confirmation of the appointment. If an appointment is submitted pursuant to subsection 2, the senate shall either approve, disapprove or by resolution defer consideration of confirmation of the appointment within thirty days after receiving the appointment from the governor. The senate may defer consideration of an appointment until a later time during that session, but the senate shall not adjourn that session until all appointments submitted pursuant to this section before the last thirty days of the session are approved or disapproved. If a nomination is submitted during the last thirty days of the session, the senate may by resolution defer consideration of the appointment until the next regular session of the general assembly and the nomination shall be considered as though made during the legislative interim.

Sec. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect from and after its publication in The Des Moines

ROBERT T. ANDERSON
President of the Senate

DONALD D. AVENSON
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 584, Seventy-first General Assembly.

K. MARIE THAYER
Secretary of the Senate

Approved *May 16* 1985

TERRY E. BRANSTAD
Governor