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BY COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS,  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND  
TRADE

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Approved April 11, 1991

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HSB 119

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ROBERT C. ARNOULD  
Speaker of the House

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JOE J. WELSH  
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 322, Seventy-fourth General Assembly.

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JOSEPH O'HERN  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved April 11, 1991

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TERRY E. BRANSTAD  
Governor