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AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
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Approved April 15, 1992 (p. 1123)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to distribution of funds within, payments made
2 by, and payments made to the department of economic
3 development.

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

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SF 2217

1 Section 1. Section 15.108, subsection 9, Code Supplement
2 1991, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. e. At the director's discretion, accept
4 payment by credit card of any fees, interest, penalties,
5 subscriptions, registrations, purchases, or other payments, or
6 any portion of such payments, which are due or collected by
7 the department. The department may adjust the amount of the
8 payment to reflect the costs of processing the payment as
9 determined by the treasurer of state and the payment by credit
10 card shall include, in addition to all other charges, any
11 discount charged by the credit card issuer.

12 Sec. 2. Section 15.308, subsection 2, Code Supplement
13 1991, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

14 NEW PARAGRAPH. h. The federal home investment
15 partnerships program of the Cranston-Gonzalez National
16 Affordable Housing Act of 1990, Pub. L. No. 101-625.

17 EXPLANATION

18 This bill provides that the department may accept payments
19 from clients by credit card. The bill also provides that
20 recipients of awards under the HOME Investment Partnership Act
21 be required to complete a community builder plan.

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SSB 2174
SMALL BUSINESS + ECONOMIC
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SENATE/HOUSE FILE 2217
BY (PROPOSED DEPARTMENT OF
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BILL)

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to distribution of funds within, payments made
2 by, and payments made to the department of economic
3 development and providing an effective date.

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1 Section 1. Section 11.5B, subsection 7, Code 1991, is
2 amended by striking the subsection.

3 Sec. 2. Section 15.108, subsection 9, Code Supplement
4 1991, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

5 NEW PARAGRAPH. e. At the director's discretion, accept
6 payment by credit card of any fees, interest, penalties,
7 subscriptions, registrations, purchases, or other payments, or
8 any portion of such payments, which are due or collected by
9 the department. The department may adjust the amount of the
10 payment to reflect the costs of processing the payment as
11 determined by the treasurer of state and the payment by credit
12 card shall include, in addition to all other charges, any
13 discount charged by the credit card issuer.

14 Sec. 3. Section 15.287, Code Supplement 1991, is amended
15 by adding the following new unnumbered paragraphs:

16 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. For the fiscal year beginning
17 July 1, 1992, and ending June 30, 1993, the director may
18 allocate from the revolving fund up to three hundred thousand
19 dollars for infrastructure planning under section 15.286A.

20 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Notwithstanding the restrictions
21 on the use of the revolving fund in this section, the director
22 may use unallocated repayments to the revolving fund to pay
23 for the administration of the federal Home Ownership Made Easy
24 (HOME) Investment Partnership Act.

25 Sec. 4. Section 15.308, subsection 2, Code Supplement
26 1991, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

27 NEW PARAGRAPH. h. The federal Home Ownership Made Easy
28 (HOME) Investment Partnership Act.

29 Sec. 5. 1991 Iowa Acts, chapter 267, section 301,
30 subsection 1, paragraph b, unnumbered paragraph 3, is amended
31 to read as follows:

32 As a condition, limitation, and qualification of the
33 appropriation under this subsection, \$425,000 shall be
34 allocated to the rural enterprise fund, and \$140,000 shall be
35 allocated for rural community leadership. Notwithstanding

1 section 8.33, moneys obligated or committed to grantees under
2 contract that remain unexpended on June 30, 1992, shall not
3 revert but shall be available for expenditure for purposes of
4 the contract during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1992.

5 Sec. 6. 1991 Iowa Acts, chapter 267, section 301,
6 subsection 2, paragraph c, is amended to read as follows:

7 c. Federal procurement office

8 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
9 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
10 positions:

11	\$	100,000
12	FTEs	3.00

13 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys remaining unencumbered
14 or unobligated on June 30, 1992, shall not revert and shall be
15 available for expenditure during the fiscal year beginning
16 July 1, 1992, for the same purposes.

17 Sec. 7. Sections 5 and 6 of this Act, being deemed of
18 immediate importance, take effect upon enactment.

19 EXPLANATION

20 This bill provides that the department of economic
21 development is no longer required to reimburse the auditor of
22 state for audits of state-funded programs. The bill provides
23 that the department may accept payments from clients by credit
24 card. The bill also provides that up to \$300,000 of
25 repayments to the rural community 2000 revolving fund may be
26 used to fund infrastructure planning, that unallocated
27 repayments to the revolving fund may be redirected to fund the
28 administration of the federal HOME Investment Partnership Act,
29 and that recipients of awards under the HOME Investment
30 Partnership Act be required to complete a community builder
31 plan. Finally, the bill provides that appropriations to the
32 department for rural resource coordination and for the federal
33 procurement office shall not revert at the end of the 1991-
34 1992 fiscal year.

35 BACKGROUND STATMENT

1 development loan program (ICDL) accruing as repayments to the
2 RC2000 revolving fund may be used for a statewide
3 infrastructure assessment to establish for Iowa a long-term
4 plan for infrastructure development.

5 Section 4: The bill also provides that if sufficient funds
6 are not provided for administration of the federally
7 authorized HOME program that will be providing new housing
8 initiatives for Iowa, the IDED may use a portion of the RC2000
9 revolving fund for administration of HOME. Due to the state
10 receiving notification of the anticipated HOME allotment after
11 the initial budget for FY 1993 had been prepared, it is
12 anticipated that additional funds will be needed to operate
13 the HOME program. Since the RC2000 program also funds
14 infrastructure programs, it is requested that unallocated
15 repayments be allowed for administration of the HOME program.

16 Currently, many of the department's financial assistance
17 programs, including similar infrastructure programs, require
18 completion of a community builder plan under section 15.308.
19 Since IDED has found this planning process to be a valuable
20 tool for community development, it is recommended that awards
21 under the HOME program also be subject to the community
22 builder program.

23 Section 5: The IDED receives funds for several programs
24 which provide grants to communities or local organizations for
25 community development and job training programs which extend
26 beyond the end of the state's fiscal year. Most of these
27 programs already include language in the annual appropriations
28 bill to allow funds to nonrevert so that the local grantees
29 may continue to operate the programs pursuant to their
30 contracts. It is requested that the necessary language to
31 allow this be added to appropriations language for the rural
32 enterprise fund, the community leadership program, and the
33 work force investment program.

34 Section 6: Iowa's federal procurement office receives
35 funds on a 12-month cycle beginning November 1 annually.

1 Because of the way Iowa's federal grant is written and to
2 assure the appropriate state match for this program,
3 nonreversion language for funds for the procurement office is
4 necessary.

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NEW PARAGRAPH. h. The federal home investment partnerships program of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act of 1990, Pub. L. No. 101-625.

SENATE FILE 2217

AN ACT

RELATING TO DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS WITHIN, PAYMENTS MADE BY,
AND PAYMENTS MADE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT.

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

Section 1. Section 15.108, subsection 9, Code Supplement 1991, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. e. At the director's discretion, accept payment by credit card of any fees, interest, penalties, subscriptions, registrations, purchases, or other payments, or any portion of such payments, which are due or collected by the department. The department may adjust the amount of the payment to reflect the costs of processing the payment as determined by the treasurer of state and the payment by credit card shall include, in addition to all other charges, any discount charged by the credit card issuer.

Sec. 2. Section 15.308, subsection 2, Code Supplement 1991, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

MICHAEL E. GRONSTAL
President of the Senate

ROBERT C. ARNOULD
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2217, Seventy-fourth General Assembly.

JOHN F. DWYER
Secretary of the Senate
Approved April 15, 1992

TERRY E. BRANSTAD
Governor