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HOUSE FILE 150
BY COMMITTEE ON TECHNOLOGY

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 10)

Passed House, ^(P.1258) Date 4/5/95 Passed Senate, Date _____
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act authorizing cities and counties access to the Iowa
2 communications network, and providing an effective date.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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2 amended to read as follows:

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7 provided in chapter 256, a county library as provided in
8 chapter 336, a city, a county, or a judicial district
9 department of correctional services established in section
10 905.2, to the extent provided in section 8D.13, subsection 15,
11 an agency of the federal government, or a United States post
12 office which receives a federal grant for pilot and
13 demonstration projects.

14 Sec. 2. Section 8D.11, subsection 2, Code 1995, is amended
15 to read as follows:

16 2. A political subdivision receiving communications
17 services from the state as of April 1, 1986, may continue to
18 do so but communications services shall not be provided or
19 resold to additional political subdivisions other than a city,
20 a county, a school corporation, a city library, a regional
21 library as provided in chapter 256, and a county library as
22 provided in chapter 336. The rates charged to the political
23 subdivision shall be the same as the rates charged to state
24 agencies.

25 Sec. 3. Section 8D.13, Code 1995, is amended by adding the
26 following new subsection:

27 NEW SUBSECTION. 19. Access to the network shall be
28 offered to cities and counties. A city or county shall be
29 responsible for all costs associated with becoming a part of
30 the network.

31 Sec. 4. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance,
32 takes effect upon enactment.

33 EXPLANATION

34 This bill defines cities and counties as public agencies
35 for purposes of the Iowa communications network. Access to

1 the network is to be offered to cities and counties so long as
2 a city or county pays for all costs associated with becoming a
3 part of the network.

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FISCAL NOTE

A fiscal note for House File 150 is hereby submitted pursuant to Joint Rule 17. Data used in developing this fiscal note is available from the Legislative Fiscal Bureau to members of the Legislature upon request.

House File 150 allows cities and counties to become authorized users of the Iowa Communications Network (ICN). The Bill also requires cities and counties to be responsible for all costs associated with becoming a part of the ICN.

Assumptions:

1. All cities and counties will use the ICN for voice purposes and will be hooked up by the beginning of FY 1996.
2. Monthly phone revenues will be \$167,800.
3. The ICN Service Order Center will need an additional 9.00 FTE positions at a cost of \$300,000 annually.
4. Net voice revenues (gross revenues less operating expenses) will be equal to 33.0% of gross voice revenues.
5. No estimates are available for video and data service.

Fiscal Impact:

The net fiscal impact to the ICN Fund will be an additional \$364,488 of revenue annually for voice service. No estimate is available of the cost for cities and counties to connect to the ICN.

Source: Iowa Telecommunications and Technology Commission (LSB 1540hv, MAS)

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BY DENNIS PROUTY, FISCAL DIRECTOR

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