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25 moving expenses incurred in accordance with rules adopted by
26 the ~~personnel-commission~~ director of the department of
27 personnel when all of the following circumstances exist:

28 Sec. 10. Section 137.6, subsection 4, Code 1995, is
29 amended to read as follows:

30 4. Employ persons as necessary for the efficient discharge
31 of its duties. Employment practices shall meet the
32 requirements of the ~~personnel-commission~~ director of the
33 department of personnel or any civil service provision adopted
34 under chapter 400.

35 Sec. 11. Section 159.5, subsection 15, Code 1995, is

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2 Sec. 12. Section 198.9, subsection 3, unnumbered paragraph
3 3, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

4 The secretary shall publish a report not later than
5 ~~September~~ January 1 of each year. The report shall provide a
6 detailed accounting of all sources of revenue deposited under
7 and all dispositions of funds expended under this section.
8 The report shall detail full-time equivalent positions used in
9 fulfilling the requirements of this chapter. The report shall
10 also indicate to what extent any full-time equivalent
11 positions are shared with other programs. ~~Copies of the~~
12 ~~report issued by the secretary pursuant to this subsection~~
13 ~~shall be delivered each year to the members of the house of~~
14 ~~representatives and senate standing committees on agriculture.~~

15 Sec. 13. Section 261.20, subsection 4, Code 1995, is
16 amended by striking the subsection.

17 Sec. 14. Section 261.25, subsection 5, Code 1995, is
18 amended to read as follows:

19 5. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1989, and in
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21 enroll recipients of Iowa tuition grants shall transmit to the
22 Iowa college student aid commission information about the
23 numbers of minority students enrolled and minority faculty
24 members employed at the institution, and existing or proposed
25 plans for the recruitment and retention of minority students
26 and faculty as well as existing or proposed plans to serve
27 nontraditional students. ~~The Iowa college student aid~~
28 ~~commission shall compile and report the enrollment and~~
29 ~~employment information and plans to the chairpersons and~~
30 ~~ranking members of the house and senate education committees,~~
31 ~~members of the joint education appropriations subcommittee,~~
32 ~~the governor, and the legislative fiscal bureau by December 15~~
33 ~~of each year.~~

34 Sec. 15. Section 307.21, subsection 4, paragraph c, Code
35 1995, is amended to read as follows:

1 c. The department shall report to the general assembly by
2 February 1 of each year, the following:

3 (1) Plastic products which are regularly purchased by the
4 board for which starch-based product alternatives are
5 available. ~~The report shall also include the cost of the~~
6 ~~plastic products purchased and the cost of the starch-based~~
7 ~~product alternatives.~~

8 (2) Information relating to soybean-based inks and starch-
9 based garbage can liners regularly purchased by the
10 department. ~~The report shall include the cost of purchasing~~
11 ~~soybean-based inks and starch-based garbage can liners, the~~
12 ~~percentage of inks purchased which are soybean-based and the~~
13 ~~percentage of liners purchased which are starch-based.~~

14 Sec. 16. Section 310.35, Code 1995, is amended to read as
15 follows:

16 310.35 USE OF FUND.

17 The secondary road research fund shall be used by the
18 department solely for the purpose of financing engineering
19 studies and research projects which have as their objective
20 the more efficient use of funds and materials that are
21 available for the construction and maintenance of secondary
22 roads, including bridges and culverts located ~~thereon~~ on the
23 roads. The research projects and engineering studies shall be
24 conducted in cooperation with the county engineers.

25 Sec. 17. Section 312.3A, Code 1995, is amended to read as
26 follows:

27 312.3A STREET RESEARCH FUND.

28 Prior to the allocation to the cities under section 312.3,
29 subsection 2, the department is authorized to set aside each
30 year two hundred thousand dollars from the street construction
31 fund of the cities in a fund to be known as the street
32 research fund. The street research fund shall be used by the
33 department solely for the purpose of financing engineering
34 studies and research projects which have as their objective
35 the more efficient use of funds and materials that are

1 available for the construction and maintenance of city
2 streets, including city street bridges and culverts. The
3 research projects and engineering studies authorized shall be
4 conducted in cooperation with the city engineers. ~~On or~~
5 ~~before January 31 each year the department shall file a report~~
6 ~~with the governor, state transportation commission, city~~
7 ~~engineers, chief clerk of the house of representatives, and~~
8 ~~secretary of the senate showing the work accomplished and~~
9 ~~projects undertaken under this section.~~

10 Sec. 18. Section 324A.4, subsection 2, unnumbered
11 paragraph 1, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

12 Upon request, the department shall provide assistance to
13 political subdivisions, state agencies, and organizations
14 affected by this chapter for federal aid applications for
15 urban and rural transit system program aid. The department,
16 in co-operation with the regional planning agencies, shall
17 maintain current information reflecting the amount of federal,
18 state and local aid received by the public and private
19 nonprofit organizations providing public transit services and
20 the purpose for which the aid is received. ~~The department~~
21 ~~shall annually prepare a report to be submitted to the general~~
22 ~~assembly, the department of management, and to the governor,~~
23 ~~prior to February 1 of each year, stating the receipts and~~
24 ~~disbursements made during the preceding fiscal year and the~~
25 ~~adequacy of programs financed by federal, state, local, and~~
26 ~~private aid in the state.~~ The department shall analyze the
27 programs financed and recommend methods of avoiding
28 duplication and increasing the efficacy of programs financed.
29 The department shall receive comments from the department of
30 human services, department of elder affairs, and the officers
31 and agents of the other affected state and local government
32 units relative to the department's analysis. The department
33 shall use the following criteria to adopt rules to determine
34 compliance with and exceptions to subsection 1:

35 Sec. 19. Section 455B.262, subsection 1, Code 1995, is

1 amended to read as follows:

2 1. It is recognized that the protection of life and
3 property from floods, the prevention of damage to lands from
4 floods, and the orderly development, wise use, protection, and
5 conservation of the water resources of the state by their
6 considered and proper use is of paramount importance to the
7 welfare and prosperity of the people of the state, and to
8 realize these objectives, it is the policy of the state to
9 correlate and vest the powers of the state in a single agency,
10 the department, with the duty and authority to assess the
11 water needs of all water users ~~at five-year intervals for the~~
12 ~~twenty years beginning January 1, 1985, and ending December~~
13 ~~31, 2004,~~ utilizing a data base developed and managed by the
14 Iowa geological survey, and to prepare a general plan of water
15 allocation in this state considering the quantity and quality
16 of water resources available in this state designed to meet
17 the specific needs of the water users. The department shall
18 also develop and the department shall adopt no later than June
19 30, 1986, a plan for delineation of flood plain and floodway
20 boundaries for selected stream reaches in the various river
21 basins of the state. Selection of the stream reaches and
22 assignment of priorities for mapping of the selected reaches
23 shall be based on consideration of flooding characteristics,
24 the type and extent of existing and anticipated flood plain
25 development in particular stream reaches, and the needs of
26 local governmental bodies for assistance in delineating flood
27 plain and floodway boundaries. The plan of flood plain
28 mapping shall be for the period from June 30, 1986, to
29 December 31, 2004. ~~After the department adopts a plan of~~
30 ~~flood plain mapping, the department shall submit a progress~~
31 ~~report and proposed implementation schedule to the general~~
32 ~~assembly biennially.~~ The department may modify the flood
33 plain mapping plan as needed in response to changing
34 circumstances.

35 Sec. 20. Section 455F.7, subsection 1, Code 1995, is

1 amended to read as follows:

2 1. A retailer offering for sale or selling a household
3 hazardous material shall have a valid permit for each place of
4 business owned or operated by the retailer for this activity.
5 All permits provided for in this division shall expire on June
6 30 of each year. Every retailer shall submit an annual
7 application by July 1 of each year and a fee of twenty-five
8 dollars to the department of ~~revenue-and-finance~~ natural
9 resources for a permit upon a form prescribed by the director
10 of ~~revenue-and-finance~~ the department of natural resources.
11 Permits are nonrefundable, are based upon an annual operating
12 period, and are not prorated. A person in violation of this
13 section shall be subject to permit revocation upon notice and
14 hearing. The department shall remit the fees collected to the
15 household hazardous waste account of the groundwater
16 protection fund. A person distributing general use pesticides
17 labeled for agricultural or lawn and garden use with gross
18 annual pesticide sales of less than ten thousand dollars is
19 subject to the requirements and fee payment prescribed by this
20 section.

21 Sec. 21. 1992 Iowa Acts, chapter 1239, section 16, is
22 amended to read as follows:

23 SEC. 16. The department of revenue and finance ~~in~~
24 ~~cooperation-with-the-department-of-agriculture-and-land~~
25 ~~stewardship-and-the-department-of-natural-resources~~ shall
26 track receipts to the general fund which have traditionally
27 been deposited into the following funds:

- 28 1. The fertilizer fund created in section 200.9.
- 29 2. The pesticide fund created in section 206.12.
- 30 3. The dairy trade practices trust fund pursuant to
31 section 192A.30.
- 32 4. The milk fund created in section 192.111.
- 33 5. The commercial feed fund created in section 198.9.
- 34 6. The marine fuel tax fund created in section 324.79.
- 35 7. The energy research and development fund provided in

1 section 93.11.

2 The ~~departments-designated-in-this-section~~ department shall
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4 deposited into each of the funds. A report shall be submitted
5 to the legislative fiscal bureau at least once for each three-
6 month period as designated by the legislative fiscal bureau.

7 Sec. 22. Sections 8.24, 8.25, 8.26, 19A.4, 19A.6, 19A.7,
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9 EXPLANATION

10 The bill eliminates the requirement of filing certain
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13 which college student aid commission makes determination of
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20 private aid.

21 The bill also eliminates the requirement for the following:
22 submitting a tentative budget and an estimate of income by the
23 department of management; bottled water regulation and
24 inspection; the salary book in printed form; and the
25 requirement to update state water plan every five years. The
26 bill eliminates the personnel commission and transfers its
27 responsibilities and duties to the director of the department
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22 Sec. 9. Section 70A.16, subsection 2, unnumbered paragraph
23 1, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

24 A state employee who is reassigned shall be reimbursed for
25 moving expenses incurred in accordance with rules adopted by
26 the ~~personnel-commission~~ director of the department of
27 personnel when all of the following circumstances exist:

28 Sec. 10. Section 137.6, subsection 4, Code 1995, is
29 amended to read as follows:

30 4. Employ persons as necessary for the efficient discharge
31 of its duties. Employment practices shall meet the
32 requirements of the ~~personnel-commission~~ director of the
33 department of personnel or any civil service provision adopted
34 under chapter 400.

35 Sec. 11. Section 159.5, subsection 15, Code 1995, is

1 amended by striking the subsection.

2 Sec. 12. Section 198.9, subsection 3, unnumbered paragraph
3 3, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

4 The secretary shall publish a report not later than
5 ~~September~~ January 1 of each year. The report shall provide a
6 detailed accounting of all sources of revenue deposited under
7 and all dispositions of funds expended under this section.
8 The report shall detail full-time equivalent positions used in
9 fulfilling the requirements of this chapter. The report shall
10 also indicate to what extent any full-time equivalent
11 positions are shared with other programs. ~~Copies of the~~
12 ~~report issued by the secretary pursuant to this subsection~~
13 ~~shall be delivered each year to the members of the house of~~
14 ~~representatives and senate standing committees on agriculture.~~

15 Sec. 13. Section 261.20, subsection 4, Code 1995, is
16 amended by striking the subsection.

17 Sec. 14. Section 261.25, subsection 5, Code 1995, is
18 amended to read as follows:

19 5. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1989, and in
20 succeeding years, the institutions of higher education that
21 enroll recipients of Iowa tuition grants shall transmit to the
22 Iowa college student aid commission information about the
23 numbers of minority students enrolled and minority faculty
24 members employed at the institution, and existing or proposed
25 plans for the recruitment and retention of minority students
26 and faculty as well as existing or proposed plans to serve
27 nontraditional students. ~~The Iowa college student aid~~
28 ~~commission shall compile and report the enrollment and~~
29 ~~employment information and plans to the chairpersons and~~
30 ~~ranking members of the house and senate education committees,~~
31 ~~members of the joint education appropriations subcommittee,~~
32 ~~the governor, and the legislative fiscal bureau by December 15~~
33 ~~of each year.~~

34 Sec. 15. Section 307.21, subsection 4, paragraph c, Code
35 1995, is amended to read as follows:

1 c. The department shall report to the general assembly by
2 February 1 of each year, the following:

3 (1) Plastic products which are regularly purchased by the
4 board for which starch-based product alternatives are
5 available. ~~The report shall also include the cost of the~~
6 ~~plastic products purchased and the cost of the starch-based~~
7 ~~product alternatives.~~

8 (2) Information relating to soybean-based inks and starch-
9 based garbage can liners regularly purchased by the
10 department. ~~The report shall include the cost of purchasing~~
11 ~~soybean-based inks and starch-based garbage can liners, the~~
12 ~~percentage of inks purchased which are soybean-based and the~~
13 ~~percentage of liners purchased which are starch-based.~~

14 Sec. 16. Section 310.35, Code 1995, is amended to read as
15 follows:

16 310.35 USE OF FUND.

17 The secondary road research fund shall be used by the
18 department solely for the purpose of financing engineering
19 studies and research projects which have as their objective
20 the more efficient use of funds and materials that are
21 available for the construction and maintenance of secondary
22 roads, including bridges and culverts located thereon on the
23 roads. The research projects and engineering studies shall be
24 conducted in cooperation with the county engineers.

25 Sec. 17. Section 312.3A, Code 1995, is amended to read as
26 follows:

27 312.3A STREET RESEARCH FUND.

28 Prior to the allocation to the cities under section 312.3,
29 subsection 2, the department is authorized to set aside each
30 year two hundred thousand dollars from the street construction
31 fund of the cities in a fund to be known as the street
32 research fund. The street research fund shall be used by the
33 department solely for the purpose of financing engineering
34 studies and research projects which have as their objective
35 the more efficient use of funds and materials that are

1 available for the construction and maintenance of city
 2 streets, including city street bridges and culverts. The
 3 research projects and engineering studies authorized shall be
 4 conducted in cooperation with the city engineers. On or
 5 before January 31 each year the department shall file a report
 6 with the governor, state transportation commission, city
 7 engineers, chief clerk of the house of representatives, and
 8 secretary of the senate showing the work accomplished and
 9 projects undertaken under this section.

10 Sec. 18. Section 324A.4, subsection 2, unnumbered
 11 paragraph 1, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

12 Upon request, the department shall provide assistance to
 13 political subdivisions, state agencies, and organizations
 14 affected by this chapter for federal aid applications for
 15 urban and rural transit system program aid. The department,
 16 in co-operation with the regional planning agencies, shall
 17 maintain current information reflecting the amount of federal,
 18 state and local aid received by the public and private
 19 nonprofit organizations providing public transit services and
 20 the purpose for which the aid is received. The department
 21 shall annually prepare a report to be submitted to the general
 22 assembly, the department of management, and to the governor,
 23 prior to February 1 of each year, stating the receipts and
 24 disbursements made during the preceding fiscal year and the
 25 adequacy of programs financed by federal, state, local, and
 26 private aid in the state. The department shall analyze the
 27 programs financed and recommend methods of avoiding
 28 duplication and increasing the efficacy of programs financed.
 29 The department shall receive comments from the department of
 30 human services, department of elder affairs, and the officers
 31 and agents of the other affected state and local government
 32 units relative to the department's analysis. The department
 33 shall use the following criteria to adopt rules to determine
 34 compliance with and exceptions to subsection 1:

35 Sec. 19. Section 455B.262, subsection 1, Code 1995, is

1 amended to read as follows:

2 1. It is recognized that the protection of life and
3 property from floods, the prevention of damage to lands from
4 floods, and the orderly development, wise use, protection, and
5 conservation of the water resources of the state by their
6 considered and proper use is of paramount importance to the
7 welfare and prosperity of the people of the state, and to
8 realize these objectives, it is the policy of the state to
9 correlate and vest the powers of the state in a single agency,
10 the department, with the duty and authority to assess the
11 water needs of all water users ~~at five-year intervals for the~~
12 ~~twenty years beginning January 1, 1985, and ending December~~
13 ~~31, 2004,~~ utilizing a data base developed and managed by the
14 Iowa geological survey, and to prepare a general plan of water
15 allocation in this state considering the quantity and quality
16 of water resources available in this state designed to meet
17 the specific needs of the water users. The department shall
18 also develop and the department shall adopt no later than June
19 30, 1986, a plan for delineation of flood plain and floodway
20 boundaries for selected stream reaches in the various river
21 basins of the state. Selection of the stream reaches and
22 assignment of priorities for mapping of the selected reaches
23 shall be based on consideration of flooding characteristics,
24 the type and extent of existing and anticipated flood plain
25 development in particular stream reaches, and the needs of
26 local governmental bodies for assistance in delineating flood
27 plain and floodway boundaries. The plan of flood plain
28 mapping shall be for the period from June 30, 1986, to
29 December 31, 2004. ~~After the department adopts a plan of~~
30 ~~flood plain mapping, the department shall submit a progress~~
31 ~~report and proposed implementation schedule to the general~~
32 ~~assembly biennially.~~ The department may modify the flood
33 plain mapping plan as needed in response to changing
34 circumstances.

35 Sec. 20. Section 455F.7, subsection 1, Code 1995, is

1 amended to read as follows:

2 1. A retailer offering for sale or selling a household
3 hazardous material shall have a valid permit for each place of
4 business owned or operated by the retailer for this activity.
5 All permits provided for in this division shall expire on June
6 30 of each year. Every retailer shall submit an annual
7 application by July 1 of each year and a fee of twenty-five
8 dollars to the department of ~~revenue-and-finance~~ natural
9 resources for a permit upon a form prescribed by the director
10 of ~~revenue-and-finance~~ the department of natural resources.
11 Permits are nonrefundable, are based upon an annual operating
12 period, and are not prorated. A person in violation of this
13 section shall be subject to permit revocation upon notice and
14 hearing. The department shall remit the fees collected to the
15 household hazardous waste account of the groundwater
16 protection fund. A person distributing general use pesticides
17 labeled for agricultural or lawn and garden use with gross
18 annual pesticide sales of less than ten thousand dollars is
19 subject to the requirements and fee payment prescribed by this
20 section.

21 Sec. 21. 1992 Iowa Acts, chapter 1239, section 16, is
22 amended to read as follows:

23 SEC. 16. The department of revenue and finance ~~in~~
24 ~~cooperation-with-the-department-of-agriculture-and-land~~
25 ~~stewardship-and-the-department-of-natural-resources~~ shall
26 track receipts to the general fund which have traditionally
27 been deposited into the following funds:

- 28 1. The fertilizer fund created in section 200.9.
- 29 2. The pesticide fund created in section 206.12.
- 30 3. The dairy trade practices trust fund pursuant to
31 section 192A.30.
- 32 4. The milk fund created in section 192.111.
- 33 5. The commercial feed fund created in section 198.9.
- 34 6. The marine fuel tax fund created in section 324.79.
- 35 7. The energy research and development fund provided in

1 section 93.11.

2 The ~~departments-designated-in-this-section~~ department shall
3 prepare reports detailing revenue from receipts traditionally
4 deposited into each of the funds. A report shall be submitted
5 to the legislative fiscal bureau at least once for each three-
6 month period as designated by the legislative fiscal bureau.

7 Sec. 22. Sections 8.24, 8.25, 8.26, 19A.4, 19A.6, 19A.7,
8 and 310.36, Code 1995, are repealed.

9 EXPLANATION

10 The bill eliminates the requirement of filing certain
11 reports including, but not limited to, the following: report
12 of commercial feed trust fund; report method and manner in
13 which college student aid commission makes determination of
14 grant awards; report of number of minority students and
15 faculty at institutions receiving state grants; report on cost
16 of plastic products, starch-based products, and soybean-based
17 inks purchase; report on property paid out of secondary road
18 research fund and the street research fund; and report on
19 revenues and expenses of public transit programs, public, or
20 private aid.

21 The bill also eliminates the requirement for the following:
22 submitting a tentative budget and an estimate of income by the
23 department of management; bottled water regulation and
24 inspection; the salary book in printed form; and the
25 requirement to update state water plan every five years. The
26 bill eliminates the personnel commission and transfers its
27 responsibilities and duties to the director of the department
28 of personnel.

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