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SENATE FILE 2253

BY COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 2205)

Passed Senate, Date \_\_\_\_\_

Passed House, Date \_\_\_\_\_

Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to eligibility of persons for county general  
2 assistance.

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

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**S.F. 2253**

1 Section 1. Section 252.25, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code  
2 1995, is amended to read as follows:

3 The board of supervisors of each county shall provide for  
4 the assistance of poor persons lawfully in ~~its~~ the county who  
5 are ineligible for, or are in immediate need and are awaiting  
6 approval and receipt of, assistance under programs provided by  
7 state or federal law, or whose actual needs cannot be fully  
8 met by the assistance furnished under those programs. The  
9 county board of supervisors shall establish general rules as  
10 ~~its~~ the board's members deem necessary to properly discharge  
11 their responsibility under this section.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill amends section 252.25, relating to eligibility  
14 for county general assistance, by requiring a person to be in  
15 the county lawfully as a condition of eligibility.

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SENATE FILE 2253

S-5390

- 1 Amend Senate File 2253 as follows:  
2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 11 the  
3 following:  
4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_ . PUBLIC ASSISTANCE ELIGIBILITY WAIVER.  
5 1. For the purposes of this section, unless the  
6 context otherwise requires, "public assistance" means  
7 assistance for the following purposes paid for in  
8 whole or in part by the federal government in  
9 combination with the state or a political subdivision  
10 of the state:  
11 a. The family investment program under chapter  
12 239.  
13 b. The medical assistance program under chapter  
14 249A.  
15 c. Child day care funding.  
16 2. The department of human services shall submit  
17 waiver requests to the United States department of  
18 health and human services for authorization for the  
19 state and political subdivisions of the state to apply  
20 an additional eligibility provision to public  
21 assistance, if existing eligibility provisions require  
22 the recipient to have a dependent child. The  
23 eligibility provision shall require that at the time  
24 of the dependent child's birth, at least one of the  
25 parents of the child was either a citizen or was  
26 lawfully present in the United States. The department  
27 shall report to the general assembly by December 15,  
28 1996, as to the status of the request or requests. If  
29 implementation of an approved federal waiver would  
30 require a change in a state law, the department shall  
31 submit a proposal for amending the state law to the  
32 governor and the general assembly."  
33 2. Title page, line 1, by striking the words  
34 "county general" and inserting the following:  
35 "public".  
36 3. By renumbering as necessary.

By STEWART IVERSON, Jr.

S-5390 FILED MARCH 19, 1996

SENATE FILE 2253

S-5157

- 1 Amend Senate File 2253 as follows:  
2 1. Page 1, line 11, by inserting after the word  
3 "section" the following: ", including but not limited  
4 to establishing the duration of assistance".

By STEWART IVERSON, Jr.

S-5157 FILED FEBRUARY 29, 1996

Judge  
Sorensen  
McKean

SSB-2205  
Local Government

Succeeded By  
SF/HF 2253

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BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON  
LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL BY  
CHAIRPERSON SORENSEN)

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