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Approved April 18, 1997

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to eligibility requirements for workers'  
2 compensation.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
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- 1 Amend House File 167 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, line 6, by inserting after the word
- 3 "thousand" the following: "five hundred".
- 4 2. Page 1, line 19, by inserting after the word
- 5 "thousand" the following: "five hundred".

By COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND  
INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS  
TYRRELL of Iowa, Chairperson

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2 amended to read as follows:

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4 a private dwelling except that after July 1, ~~1974~~ 1997, this  
5 chapter shall apply to such persons who earn two-hundred one  
6 thousand dollars or more from such employer for whom employed  
7 at the time of the injury during the ~~thirteen~~ twelve  
8 consecutive ~~weeks~~ months prior to the injury, provided ~~said~~  
9 the employee is not a regular member of the household. For  
10 purposes of this subsection, "member of the household" is  
11 defined to be the spouse of the employer or relatives of  
12 either the employer or spouse residing on the premises of the  
13 employer.

14 Sec. 2. Section 85.1, subsection 2, Code 1997, is amended  
15 to read as follows:

16 2. Persons whose employment is purely casual and not for  
17 the purpose of the employer's trade or business, except that  
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20 from such employer for whom employed at the time of the injury  
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22 the injury.

23 EXPLANATION

24 This bill provides that, beginning July 1, 1997, a person  
25 engaged in casual employment or in service in or about a  
26 private dwelling is not covered by workers' compensation if  
27 they earn less than \$1,000 from that employment during the 12  
28 months prior to the injury. Current law provides that  
29 workers' compensation does not apply if the person earns less  
30 than \$200 during the 13 weeks prior to the injury. An  
31 employer is still able to assume workers' compensation  
32 liability for these persons but only if the employer purchases  
33 workers' compensation insurance.

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RON J. CORBETT  
Speaker of the House

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MARY E. KRAMER  
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 167, Seventy-seventh General Assembly.

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ELIZABETH ISAACSON  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved April 18, 1997

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TERRY E. BRANSTAD  
Governor