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A BILL FOR

1 An Act appropriating funds to the judicial department to  
2 establish a pilot court information project.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of  
2 the state to the judicial department for the fiscal year  
3 beginning July 1, 1997, and ending June 30, 1998, the  
4 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
5 used for the purpose designated:

6 For establishment of a pilot court information project for  
7 the purpose of providing to the general public information  
8 concerning the judicial process and to provide information and  
9 court forms related to domestic relations, probate, small  
10 claims cases, and landlord/tenant disputes. The information  
11 shall be provided through an interactive multimedia computer  
12 system accessible to the general public:

13 ..... \$ 150,000

14 EXPLANATION

15 This bill appropriates \$150,000 to the judicial department  
16 for the establishment of a pilot court information project.  
17 The project shall provide for the dissemination of court-  
18 related information and court forms through a multimedia  
19 computer system accessible to the general public. The system  
20 developed shall provide information about the court system and  
21 about domestic relations, probate, small claims, and  
22 landlord/tenant disputes.

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