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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to a workforce development accountability system.
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 84A.5, subsection 1, unnumbered
2 paragraph 3, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

3 The system shall include an accountability system to
4 measure program performance, identify accomplishments, and
5 evaluate programs to ensure goals and standards are met. The
6 accountability system shall use information obtained from the
7 customer tracking system, the department of economic
8 development, the department of education, and training
9 providers to evaluate the effectiveness of programs. The
10 accountability system shall not use the social security number
11 of a customer of the workforce development system to access,
12 track, or report on information concerning the customer unless
13 the customer is given prior notice of such use. The
14 department of economic development, the department of
15 education, and training providers shall report information
16 concerning the use of any state or federal training or
17 retraining funds to the department of workforce development in
18 a form as required by the department. The accountability
19 system shall evaluate all of the following:

20 EXPLANATION

21 This bill amends Code section 84A.5 to prohibit the
22 department of workforce development from using social security
23 numbers in its accountability system to access, track, or
24 report on information concerning customers of the workforce
25 development system unless prior notice of such use is given.
26 Code section 84A.5 provides that the accountability system
27 shall measure the performance, identify accomplishments, and
28 evaluate programs of the workforce development system to
29 ensure goals and standards are met.

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