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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

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Passed House, Date \_\_\_\_\_ Passed Senate, Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_ Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_  
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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

1 A Joint Resolution to nullify administrative rules of the Iowa  
 2 empowerment board concerning Iowa empowerment grants and  
 3 school ready children grants and providing an effective date.  
 4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. 349 Iowa administrative code, rules 1.18, 1.19,  
2 1.20, 1.22, 1.23, 1.26, and 1.27, are nullified.

3 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This joint resolution, being  
4 deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

5 EXPLANATION

6 This joint resolution nullifies administrative rules of the  
7 Iowa empowerment board concerning Iowa empowerment grants,  
8 which by definition comprise the school ready children grant  
9 program outlined in Code section 28.8.

10 The administrative rules affected are as follows: rule  
11 349-1.18, describing the purpose of Iowa empowerment grants;  
12 rule 349-1.19, specifying the components of the Iowa  
13 empowerment grant program; rule 349-1.20, outlining criteria  
14 for determining the readiness of a community empowerment area  
15 for administering Iowa empowerment grants; rule 349-1.22,  
16 provision for approval of the board for Iowa empowerment  
17 grants; rule 349-1.23, specifications for use of an Iowa  
18 empowerment grant; rule 349-1.26, specifications for the  
19 funding of Iowa empowerment grants; and rule 349-1.27,  
20 specifications for use in determining a community empowerment  
21 board's degree of readiness for funding.

22 The joint resolution takes effect upon enactment.

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