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BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 1104)

Passed Senate, Date <u>2/24/99</u> Passed House, Date <u>4/5/99</u>

Vote: Ayes <u>48</u> Nays <u>0</u> Vote: Ayes <u>99</u> Nays <u>0</u>

Approved <u>15,390</u>

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the description of disabilities of individuals
2 receiving vocational rehabilitation services.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 259.4, subsections 6 and 7, Code 1999, 2 are amended to read as follows: Do those things necessary to secure the rehabilitation 4 of those individuals entitled to the benefits of this chapter, 5 including those individuals with severe significant 6 disabilities. 7. Provide rehabilitation services to individuals with 8 severe significant disabilities who are homebound, and other 9 individuals with severe significant disabilities, who can 10 wholly or substantially achieve an ability to live 11 independently. 12 **EXPLANATION** This bill changes the term "individuals with severe 13 14 disabilities", which occurs in the vocational rehabilitation 15 chapter of the Iowa Code. The bill strikes the word "severe" 16 and replaces it with the word "significant" in response to a 17 similar change in the phrasing of the federal Rehabilitation 18 Act Amendments of 1998. 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34

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MARY E. KRAMER
President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 173, Seventy-eighth General Assembly.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL Secretary of the Senate

Approved Use 15, 199

THOMAS J. VILSACK

Governor

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