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BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL BY
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the payment by a county of the family farm tax
2 credit and reimbursement to the county of its payment and
3 including an effective date.

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

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1 Section 1. CREDIT RECERTIFICATION. A county may on or
2 after the effective date of this Act but before June 1, 1999,
3 recertify to the department of revenue and finance the total
4 amount of family farm tax credits payable during the fiscal
5 year beginning July 1, 1998, if the amount originally
6 certified was incorrect due to the fact that the amount
7 certified included the total number of acres entitled to the
8 credit but did not represent the total amount of credit due.
9 As soon as the department of revenue and finance receives the
10 recertification and communicates its agreement to the validity
11 of the recertification to the county auditor, the county shall
12 pay from its general fund to those persons who qualified to
13 receive but did not receive during the fiscal year beginning
14 July 1, 1998, the pro rata percentage of the family farm tax
15 credit as recertified on agricultural land located in the
16 county, a sum equal to the amount of the pro rata percentage
17 determined pursuant to section 425A.6 of the credits correctly
18 recertified as agreed to by the director of revenue and
19 finance and the county auditor.

20 Sec. 2. Notwithstanding any provision in chapter 425A to
21 the contrary, from the amount appropriated to the family farm
22 tax credit fund, created in section 425A.1, to pay tax credits
23 during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, an amount not
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25 finance and the county auditor for each county making payments
26 under section 1 of this Act shall be paid to that county to be
27 deposited into its general fund. The amounts paid pursuant to
28 this section shall be paid prior to any other payments from
29 the family farm tax credit fund. The remaining appropriation
30 to the family farm tax credit fund shall be distributed as
31 provided in chapter 425A.

32 Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of
33 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

34 EXPLANATION

35 As a result of an error in the certification of the total

1 amount of family farm tax credits to be allowed on
 2 agricultural land in at least one county, the total amount of
 3 credits for that county payable during the 1998-1999 fiscal
 4 year was reduced. This bill requires the county to pay the
 5 amount of the reduction to those qualifying for the family
 6 farm tax credit. The county will subsequently be reimbursed
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