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11 b. The department may access the single contact repository 12 for any of the following purposes:

13 (1) To verify data transferred from the department's nurse 14 aide registry to the repository.

15 (2) To conduct record checks of applicants for employment 16 with the department.

Sec. 2. Section 235A.15, subsection 2, paragraph e, Code 17 18 2001, is amended by adding the following new subparagraph: NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (17) To the department of inspections 19 20 and appeals for purposes of record checks of applicants for 21 employment with the department of inspections and appeals. Section 235B.6, subsection 2, paragraph e, Code 22 Sec. 3. 23 2001, is amended by adding the following new subparagraph: NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (10) The department of inspections and 24 25 appeals for purposes of record checks of applicants for 26 employment with the department of inspections and appeals. 27 EXPLANATION

This bill authorizes certain criminal history and abuse record and registry access to the department of inspections and appeals for purposes of data verification and record checks of applicants for employment with the department. Code section 135C.33, relating to the single contact repository administered by the department of inspections and appeals for employment record checks of prospective employees of health care facilities, is amended to authorize the

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AN ACT

AUTHORIZING CERTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY AND ABUSE RECORD AND REGISTRY ACCESS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTIONS AND APPEALS FOR PURPOSES OF DATA VERIFICATION AND RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR EMPLOYMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT.

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

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(2) To conduct record checks of applicants for employment with the department.

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> BRENT SIEGRIST Speaker of the House

MARY E. KRAMER President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 192, Seventy-ninth General Assembly.

Approved Mark 8, 2001

MARGARET THOMSON

Chief Clerk of the House

THOMAS J. VILSACK Governor