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EDUCATION

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for utilization of physical plant and equipment
2 levy revenue for technology expenditures.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 298.3, subsection 3, Code 2001, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 3. The purchase of buildings and the purchase of a single
4 unit of non-technology-related equipment ~~or a technology~~
5 ~~system~~ exceeding one thousand five hundred dollars in value.
6 For the purposes of this subsection, "non-technology-related
7 equipment" means equipment other than that meeting the
8 definition of technology pursuant to subsection 3A.

9 Sec. 2. Section 298.3, Code 2001, is amended by adding the
10 following new subsection:

11 NEW SUBSECTION. 3A. Technology expenditures. For the
12 purposes of this subsection, "technology" means hardware and
13 software, and materials and supplies related to instructional
14 technology.

15 EXPLANATION

16 This bill provides for the utilization of physical plant
17 and equipment levy revenue for technology expenditures. The
18 bill modifies the provision contained in Code section 298.3,
19 subsection 3, authorizing the expenditure of physical plant
20 and equipment levy revenue for a single unit of equipment or a
21 technology system exceeding \$1,500 in value, such that the
22 dollar limitation shall apply only to the procurement of
23 equipment which does not constitute technology as defined in
24 the bill. The bill provides that revenue may be expended for
25 technology purposes without dollar limitation. The bill
26 provides that "technology" is defined as hardware and
27 software, and materials and supplies related to instructional
28 technology.

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