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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the workforce development fund.
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 15.343, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code
2 2001, is amended by striking the paragraph and inserting in
3 lieu thereof the following:

4 a. Training, retraining, and educational initiatives for
5 targeted industries as recommended by the Iowa new economy
6 council.

7 Sec. 2. Section 15.343, subsection 3, paragraph b, Code
8 2001, is amended by striking the paragraph and inserting in
9 lieu thereof the following:

10 b. Moneys in the workforce development fund shall be
11 allocated as follows:

12 (1) One million eight hundred fifty thousand dollars shall
13 be used for purposes provided in subsection 2, paragraph "a".

14 (2) Four million five hundred thousand dollars shall be
15 used for purposes provided in section 260F.6.

16 (3) One million fifty thousand dollars shall be used for
17 purposes provided in section 260F.6B.

18 (4) Six hundred thousand dollars for purposes provided in
19 section 260F.6A.

20 EXPLANATION

21 This bill amends provisions related to the workforce
22 development fund.

23 The bill amends one of the specific uses of the moneys in
24 the workforce development fund related to training and
25 retraining programs for targeted industries. The bill
26 provides that the moneys may instead be used for training,
27 retraining, and educational initiatives for targeted
28 industries as recommended by the Iowa new economy council.

29 The bill provides that, of the moneys in the workforce
30 development fund, \$1,850,000 shall be used for purposes
31 related to training, retraining, and educational initiatives
32 for targeted industries; \$4,500,000 shall be used for purposes
33 of the job training fund; \$1,050,000 shall be used for
34 purposes of the high technology apprenticeship program; and
35 \$600,000 shall be used for purposes of business network

1 training.

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