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HOUSE FILE 2224
BY QUIRK

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to serving a period of confinement in lieu of
2 paying an outstanding fine.

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

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 909.5A FINES -- CREDIT FOR TIME
2 SERVED.

3 If a person has not paid a fine and an arrest warrant is
4 issued for the person based solely on the unpaid fine, the
5 court may, in its discretion, order that the person receive
6 credit for any time served after the person was arrested on
7 the warrant, in lieu of paying the outstanding fine.

8 EXPLANATION

9 This bill provides that if a person has not paid a fine and
10 an arrest warrant is issued for the person based solely on the
11 unpaid fine, the court may, in its discretion, order that the
12 person receive credit for any time served after the person was
13 arrested on the warrant, in lieu of paying the outstanding
14 fine.

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