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APPROPRIATIONS

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act making appropriations from the general fund of the state  
2 to the department of corrections for inmate education and  
3 training.

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

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1 Section 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of  
2 the state to the department of corrections for the fiscal year  
3 beginning July 1, 2004, and ending June 30, 2005, the  
4 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
5 used for improving educational and technical training for  
6 female inmates in correctional institutions, for training for  
7 male and female inmates in parenting and other skills to  
8 strengthen families, and for continuing education and training  
9 after release from a correctional institution through  
10 community correctional programming and other referral or  
11 support agencies:

12 ..... \$ 500,000

13 Of the amount appropriated in this section, up to \$100,000  
14 shall be used to establish not more than two pilot programs  
15 for inmate continuing education and training after release  
16 from a correctional institution. The moneys shall be awarded  
17 to the judicial district departments of correctional services  
18 on a competitive grant basis.

19 EXPLANATION

20 This bill makes appropriations for fiscal year 2004-2005  
21 from the general fund of the state to the department of  
22 corrections. Under the bill, the moneys are to be used for  
23 educational and technical training for female inmates in  
24 correctional institutions, for training for male and female  
25 inmates in parenting and other skills to strengthen families,  
26 and for continuing education and training after release from a  
27 correctional institution through community correctional  
28 programming and other referral or support agencies.

29 The bill also requires that up to \$100,000 be used to  
30 establish not more than two pilot programs for inmate  
31 continuing education and training after release from a  
32 correctional institution. The bill provides that the moneys  
33 shall be awarded to the judicial district departments of  
34 correctional services on a competitive grant basis.

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