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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

HOUSE FILE 2251
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to reimbursement amounts paid by distributors to
2 dealers, redemption center operators, and dealer agents for
3 empty beverage containers.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 455C.2, subsection 2, Code 2005, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2. In addition to the refund value provided in subsection
4 1 of this section, a dealer, or person operating a redemption
5 center who redeems empty beverage containers or a dealer agent
6 shall be reimbursed by the distributor required to accept the
7 empty beverage containers an amount which is ~~one-cent~~ two
8 cents per container. A dealer, dealer agent, or person
9 operating a redemption center may compact empty metal beverage
10 containers with the approval of the distributor required to
11 accept the containers.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill relates to reimbursement amounts paid by
14 distributors to dealers, redemption center operators, and
15 dealer agents for empty beverage containers.

16 Currently, a distributor pays a reimbursement amount of 1
17 cent per empty container to a dealer, a redemption center
18 operator, or a dealer agent for each empty beverage container
19 accepted by the distributor. The bill increases the
20 reimbursement amount to 2 cents per container.

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