

House File 2098 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES
(SUCCESSOR TO HF 2057)
(COMPANION TO LSB 5553SV
BY COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES)

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for county eligibility for state payment of
2 certain mental health, mental retardation, and developmental
3 disabilities services funding and providing effective and
4 retroactive applicability dates.
5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
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1 1 Section 1. STATE PAYMENT TO ELIGIBLE COUNTIES.
1 2 Notwithstanding section 331.439, subsection 1, paragraphs "a"
1 3 and "b", a county that accurately reported the county's
1 4 expenditures for mental health, mental retardation, and
1 5 developmental disabilities services for the previous fiscal
1 6 year on the forms prescribed by the department of human
1 7 services, and the annual management plan review and the report
1 8 and review were received after December 1, 2007, and on or
1 9 before March 15, 2008, shall be eligible for state payment, as
1 10 defined in section 331.438, in accordance with section 331.439
1 11 and other law providing for the state payment in the fiscal
1 12 year beginning July 1, 2007.
1 13 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of
1 14 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment and applies
1 15 retroactively to December 1, 2007.
1 16 EXPLANATION
1 17 This bill provides for county eligibility for state payment
1 18 of certain mental health, mental retardation, and
1 19 developmental disabilities services (MH/MR/DD) allowed growth
1 20 and property tax relief funding.
1 21 Under current law, in order to be eligible to receive the
1 22 funding, a county must accurately report the county's
1 23 expenditures for such services for the previous fiscal year on
1 24 the forms prescribed by the department of human services and
1 25 submit an annual review of the county's management plan for
1 26 such services, and both must be submitted by December 1. The
1 27 bill provides that a county is also eligible if the report was
1 28 received after December 1, 2007, and on or before March 15,
1 29 2008.
1 30 The bill takes effect upon enactment and is retroactively
1 31 applicable to December 1, 2007.
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