

Senate File 322 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to eligibility requirements for the low-income
2 home energy assistance program and the Iowa affordable heating
3 program based on payment of a child support obligation.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
5 TLSB 2629SS 82
6 pf/cf/24

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1 1 Section 1. ENERGY ASSISTANCE == ELIGIBILITY RULES. The
1 2 division of community action agencies of the department of
1 3 human rights shall adopt rules for the low-income home energy
1 4 assistance program and the Iowa affordable heating program
1 5 that require an applicant, who is subject to payment of a
1 6 child support obligation, to provide proof attached to the
1 7 application form, that payments required by the support order
1 8 have been paid and are not delinquent. If the applicant does
1 9 not provide such proof or is determined to be delinquent in
1 10 payment of a child support obligation, the applicant shall not
1 11 be eligible for either program.

1 12 EXPLANATION

1 13 This bill directs the division of community action agencies
1 14 of the department of human rights to adopt rules for the
1 15 low-income home energy assistance program and the Iowa
1 16 affordable heating program that require an applicant who is
1 17 subject to payment of a child support obligation to provide
1 18 proof attached to the application form that payments required
1 19 by the support order have been paid and are not delinquent.
1 20 An applicant who does not provide such proof or is determined
1 21 to be delinquent in payment of a child support obligation is
1 22 not eligible for either program.
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