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HOUSE FILE 2522
BY COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 734)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to and making appropriations to the department
2 of cultural affairs, the department of economic development,
3 certain board of regents institutions, the department of
4 workforce development, and the public employment relations
5 board, and related matters and including effective date
6 provisions.

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

1 Section 1. DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS. There is
2 appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
3 department of cultural affairs for the fiscal year beginning
4 July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following amounts,
5 or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
6 designated:

7 1. ADMINISTRATION

8 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
9 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
10 positions for the department:

11	\$	212,069
12	FTEs	74.50

13 The department of cultural affairs shall coordinate
14 activities with the tourism office of the department of
15 economic development to promote attendance at the state
16 historical building and at this state's historic sites.

17 Full-time equivalent positions authorized under this
18 subsection shall be funded, in full or in part, using moneys
19 appropriated under this subsection and subsections 3 through 7.

20 2. COMMUNITY CULTURAL GRANTS

21 For planning and programming for the community cultural
22 grants program established under section 303.3:

23	\$	273,500
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24 3. HISTORICAL DIVISION

25 For the support of the historical division:

26	\$	3,195,107
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27 4. HISTORIC SITES

28 For the administration and support of historic sites:

29	\$	493,060
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30 5. ARTS DIVISION

31 For the support of the arts division:

32	\$	1,023,712
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33 6. GREAT PLACES

34 For the great places program:

35	\$	214,869
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1 7. ARCHIVE IOWA GOVERNORS' RECORDS

2 For archiving the records of Iowa governors:

3 \$ 70,142

4 8. RECORDS CENTER RENT

5 For payment of rent for the state records center:

6 \$ 227,243

7 Sec. 2. GOALS AND ACCOUNTABILITY — ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

8 1. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, the goals for
9 the department of economic development shall be to expand and
10 stimulate the state economy, increase the wealth of Iowans, and
11 increase the population of the state.

12 2. To achieve the goals in subsection 1, the department
13 of economic development shall do all of the following for the
14 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010:

15 a. Concentrate its efforts on programs and activities that
16 result in commercially viable products and services.

17 b. Adopt practices and services consistent with free
18 market, private sector philosophies.

19 c. Ensure economic growth and development throughout the
20 state.

21 Sec. 3. DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. There is
22 appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
23 department of economic development for the fiscal year
24 beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following
25 amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
26 purposes designated:

27 1. ADMINISTRATION DIVISION

28 a. For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous
29 purposes, and programs; for transfer to the Iowa state
30 commission grant program; and for not more than the following
31 full-time equivalent positions for the department's three
32 divisions:

33 \$ 1,976,046

34 FTEs 149.00

35 b. The department shall work with businesses and

1 communities to continually improve the economic development
2 climate along with the economic well-being and quality of life
3 for Iowans. The administration division shall coordinate with
4 other state agencies to ensure that all state departments are
5 attentive to the needs of an entrepreneurial culture.

6 c. Full-time equivalent positions authorized under this
7 subsection shall be funded, in full or in part, using moneys
8 appropriated under this subsection and subsections 2 and 3
9 and by certain federal moneys or other moneys received by the
10 department.

11 d. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
12 this subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
13 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
14 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
15 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

16 2. BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

17 a. For business development operations and programs, the
18 film office, international trade, export assistance, workforce
19 recruitment, and the partner state program; for transfer to the
20 strategic investment fund; for transfer to the grow Iowa values
21 fund; and for the support of the business development division:
22 \$ 5,346,536

23 b. The department shall establish a strong and aggressive
24 marketing image to showcase Iowa's workforce, existing
25 industry, and potential. A priority shall be placed on
26 recruiting new businesses, business expansion, and retaining
27 existing Iowa businesses. Emphasis shall also be placed on
28 entrepreneurial development through helping to secure capital
29 for entrepreneurs, and developing networks and a business
30 climate conducive to entrepreneurs and small business.

31 c. A business creating jobs with economic development
32 assistance through moneys appropriated in this subsection shall
33 be subject to contract provisions stating that new and retained
34 jobs shall be filled by individuals who are citizens of the
35 United States who reside within the United States or any person

1 authorized to work in the United States pursuant to federal
2 law, including legal resident aliens in the United States. Any
3 vendor who receives such public moneys shall adhere to such
4 contract provisions and provide periodic assurances as the
5 state shall require that the jobs are filled solely by citizens
6 of the United States who reside within the United States or
7 any person authorized to work in the United States pursuant
8 to federal law, including legal resident aliens in the United
9 States. A business that receives financial assistance from
10 the department from moneys appropriated in this bill shall
11 only employ individuals legally authorized to work in this
12 state. In addition to all other applicable penalties provided
13 by current law, all or a portion of the assistance received
14 by a business which is found to knowingly employ individuals
15 not legally authorized to work in this state is subject to
16 recapture by the department.

17 d. From the moneys appropriated in this subsection, the
18 department may provide financial assistance in the form of a
19 grant to a community economic development entity for conducting
20 a local workforce recruitment effort designed to recruit former
21 citizens of the state and former students at colleges and
22 universities in the state to meet the needs of local employers.

23 e. From the moneys appropriated in this subsection, the
24 department may provide financial assistance to early-stage
25 industry companies being established by women entrepreneurs.

26 f. From the moneys appropriated in this subsection, the
27 department may provide financial assistance in the form of
28 grants, loans, or forgivable loans for advanced research and
29 commercialization projects involving value-added agriculture,
30 advanced technology, or biotechnology.

31 g. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
32 this subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
33 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
34 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
35 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

1 3. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

2 a. For support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
3 community economic development programs, tourism operations,
4 community assistance, plans for Iowa green corps and summer
5 youth programs, the mainstreet and rural mainstreet programs,
6 the school-to-career program, the community development block
7 grant, and housing and shelter-related programs:
8 \$ 5,063,917

9 b. The department shall encourage development of
10 communities and quality of life to foster economic growth. The
11 department shall prepare communities for future growth and
12 development through development, expansion, and modernization
13 of infrastructure.

14 c. The department shall develop public-private partnerships
15 with Iowa businesses in the tourism industry, Iowa tour groups,
16 Iowa tourism organizations, and political subdivisions in this
17 state to assist in the development of advertising efforts.
18 The department shall, to the fullest extent possible, develop
19 cooperative efforts for advertising with contributions from
20 other sources.

21 d. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
22 this subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
23 close of the fiscal year shall not revert to any fund but shall
24 remain available for expenditure for the designated purposes
25 during the succeeding fiscal year.

26 4. For allocating moneys for the world food prize and
27 notwithstanding section 15.368, subsection 1:
28 \$ 650,000

29 5. For use as matching funds for the United States
30 department of housing and urban development's main street
31 challenge grants for historic building preservation:
32 \$ 165,775

33 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in this
34 subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
35 of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available

1 for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of
2 the succeeding fiscal year.

3 6. For allocation to the Iowa commission on volunteer
4 service for the Iowa's promise and mentoring partnership
5 program and for not more than the following full-time
6 equivalent positions:

7	\$	112,500
8	FTEs	1.00

9 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in this
10 subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
11 of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available
12 for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of
13 the succeeding fiscal year.

14 Sec. 4. VISION IOWA PROGRAM — FTE AUTHORIZATION. For
15 purposes of administrative duties associated with the vision
16 Iowa program, the department of economic development is
17 authorized an additional 2.25 FTEs above those otherwise
18 authorized in this Act.

19 Sec. 5. INSURANCE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. From the moneys
20 collected by the division of insurance in excess of the
21 anticipated gross revenues under section 505.7, subsection 3,
22 during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, \$100,000 shall
23 be transferred to the department of economic development for
24 insurance economic development and international insurance
25 economic development.

26 Sec. 6. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT LOAN FUND. Notwithstanding
27 section 15E.120, subsection 5, there is appropriated from the
28 Iowa community development loan fund all the moneys available
29 during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June
30 30, 2011, to the department of economic development for the
31 community development program to be used by the department for
32 the purposes of the program.

33 Sec. 7. WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT FUND. There is appropriated
34 from the workforce development fund account created in section
35 15.342A to the workforce development fund created in section

1 15.343 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and ending
2 June 30, 2011, the following amount, for the purposes of the
3 workforce development fund, and for not more than the following
4 full-time equivalent positions:

5 \$ 4,000,000
6 FTEs 4.00

7 Sec. 8. WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION. From moneys
8 appropriated or transferred to or receipts credited to the
9 workforce development fund created in section 15.343, up to
10 \$400,000 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and ending
11 June 30, 2011, are appropriated to the department of economic
12 development for the administration of workforce development
13 activities including salaries, support, maintenance, and
14 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following
15 full-time equivalent positions:

16 FTEs 4.00

17 Sec. 9. JOB TRAINING FUND. Notwithstanding section 15.251,
18 all moneys in the job training fund on July 1, 2010, and any
19 moneys appropriated or credited to the fund during the fiscal
20 year beginning July 1, 2010, shall be transferred to the
21 workforce development fund established pursuant to section
22 15.343.

23 Sec. 10. IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY.

24 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
25 to Iowa state university of science and technology for the
26 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011,
27 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to
28 be used for small business development centers, the science
29 and technology research park, and the institute for physical
30 research and technology, and for not more than the following
31 full-time equivalent positions:

32 \$ 2,575,983
33 FTEs 56.63

34 2. Of the moneys appropriated in subsection 1, Iowa state
35 university of science and technology shall allocate at least

1 \$1,076,234 for purposes of funding small business development
2 centers. Iowa state university of science and technology may
3 allocate moneys appropriated in subsection 1 to the various
4 small business development centers in any manner necessary to
5 achieve the purposes of this subsection.

6 3. Iowa state university of science and technology shall do
7 all of the following:

8 a. Direct expenditures for research toward projects that
9 will provide economic stimulus for Iowa.

10 b. Provide emphasis to providing services to Iowa-based
11 companies.

12 4. It is the intent of the general assembly that the
13 industrial incentive program focus on Iowa industrial
14 sectors and seek contributions and in-kind donations from
15 businesses, industrial foundations, and trade associations,
16 and that moneys for the institute for physical research and
17 technology industrial incentive program shall be allocated
18 only for projects which are matched by private sector moneys
19 for directed contract research or for nondirected research.
20 The match required of small businesses as defined in section
21 15.102, subsection 6, for directed contract research or for
22 nondirected research shall be \$1 for each \$3 of state funds.
23 The match required for other businesses for directed contract
24 research or for nondirected research shall be \$1 for each \$1 of
25 state funds. The match required of industrial foundations or
26 trade associations shall be \$1 for each \$1 of state funds.

27 Iowa state university of science and technology shall
28 report annually to the joint appropriations subcommittee on
29 economic development and the legislative services agency the
30 total amount of private contributions, the proportion of
31 contributions from small businesses and other businesses, and
32 the proportion for directed contract research and nondirected
33 research of benefit to Iowa businesses and industrial sectors.

34 5. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
35 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the

1 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
2 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
3 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

4 Sec. 11. UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.

5 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
6 to the state university of Iowa for the fiscal year beginning
7 July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following amount,
8 or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the state
9 university of Iowa research park and for the advanced drug
10 development program at the Oakdale research park, including
11 salaries, support, maintenance, equipment, miscellaneous
12 purposes, and for not more than the following full-time
13 equivalent positions:

14	\$	222,372
15	FTEs	6.00

16 2. The state university of Iowa shall do all of the
17 following:

- 18 a. Direct expenditures for research toward projects that
- 19 will provide economic stimulus for Iowa.
- 20 b. Provide emphasis to providing services to Iowa-based
- 21 companies.

22 3. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
23 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
24 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
25 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
26 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

27 Sec. 12. UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA.

28 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the
29 state to the university of northern Iowa for the fiscal year
30 beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following
31 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
32 metal casting institute, the MyEntreNet internet application,
33 and the institute of decision making, including salaries,
34 support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes, and for not more
35 than the following full-time equivalent positions:

1 \$ 610,674

2 FTEs 6.75

3 Of the moneys appropriated pursuant to this subsection,
4 the university of northern Iowa shall allocate not more than
5 \$125,000 for purposes of expanded support of entrepreneurs
6 through the university's regional business center.

7 2. The university of northern Iowa shall do all of the
8 following:

9 a. Direct expenditures for research toward projects that
10 will provide economic stimulus for Iowa.

11 b. Provide emphasis to providing services to Iowa-based
12 companies.

13 3. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in
14 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the
15 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain
16 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the
17 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

18 Sec. 13. BOARD OF REGENTS REPORT. The state board of
19 regents shall submit a report on the progress of regents
20 institutions in meeting the strategic plan for technology
21 transfer and economic development to the secretary of the
22 senate, the chief clerk of the house of representatives, and
23 the legislative services agency by January 15, 2011.

24 Sec. 14. DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT. There
25 is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
26 department of workforce development for the fiscal year
27 beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following
28 amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, for the purposes
29 designated:

30 1. DIVISION OF LABOR SERVICES

31 For the division of labor services, including salaries,
32 support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes, and for not more
33 than the following full-time equivalent positions:

34 \$ 3,495,440

35 FTEs 64.00

1 From the contractor registration fees, the division of labor
2 services shall reimburse the department of inspections and
3 appeals for all costs associated with hearings under chapter
4 91C, relating to contractor registration.

5 2. DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION

6 For the division of workers' compensation, including
7 salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes, and for
8 not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:

9	\$	2,595,768
10	FTEs	30.00

11 The division of workers' compensation shall charge a \$100
12 filing fee for workers' compensation cases. The filing fee
13 shall be paid by the petitioner of a claim. However, the fee
14 can be taxed as a cost and paid by the losing party, except
15 in cases where it would impose an undue hardship or be unjust
16 under the circumstances. The moneys generated by the filing
17 fee allowed under this subsection are appropriated to the
18 department of workforce development to be used for purposes of
19 administering the division of workers' compensation.

20 3. WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT OPERATIONS

21 For the operation of field offices, the workforce
22 development board, and new Iowans centers, and for not more
23 than the following full-time equivalent positions:

24	\$	11,343,047
25	FTEs	88.28

26 Of the moneys appropriated in this subsection, the
27 department shall allocate \$11,110,137 for the operation of
28 field offices. The department shall not reduce the number of
29 field offices below the number of field offices being operated
30 as of January 1, 2009.

31 The department of workforce development shall make every
32 effort to maintain new Iowans centers that offer one-stop
33 services to deal with the multiple issues related to
34 immigration and employment. The centers shall be designed to
35 support workers, businesses, and communities with information,

1 referrals, job placement assistance, translation, language
2 training, and resettlement, as well as technical and legal
3 assistance on such issues as forms and documentation. Through
4 the coordination of local, state, and federal service
5 providers, and through the development of partnerships with
6 public, private, and nonprofit entities with established
7 records of international service, these centers shall seek to
8 provide a seamless service delivery system for new Iowans.

9 4. OFFENDER REENTRY PROGRAM

10 For the development and administration of an offender
11 reentry program to provide offenders with employment skills,
12 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
13 positions:

14	\$	322,261
15	FTEs	3.00

16 The department shall partner with the department of
17 corrections to provide staff within the correctional facilities
18 to improve offenders' abilities to find and retain productive
19 employment.

20 5. SECURITY EMPLOYEE TRAINING PROGRAM

21 For purposes of administration of a security employee
22 training program:

23	\$	13,033
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24 6. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated
25 in subsections 1 through 4 of this section that remain
26 unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year
27 shall not revert but shall remain available for expenditure
28 for the purposes designated until the close of the succeeding
29 fiscal year.

30 Sec. 15. ACCOUNTABILITY — AUDIT. The auditor of state
31 shall annually conduct an audit of the department of workforce
32 development and shall report the findings of such annual
33 audit, including the accountability of programs of the
34 department, to the chairpersons and ranking members of the
35 joint appropriations subcommittee on economic development. The

1 department shall pay for the costs associated with the audit.

2 Sec. 16. EMPLOYMENT SECURITY CONTINGENCY FUND — DIVISION
3 OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION. There is appropriated from the
4 special employment security contingency fund to the department
5 of workforce development for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
6 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following amount, or so
7 much thereof as is necessary, for the purposes designated:

8 For the division of workers' compensation, salaries,
9 support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:

10 \$ 471,000

11 Any remaining additional penalty and interest revenue is
12 appropriated to and may be allocated and used to accomplish the
13 mission of the department.

14 Sec. 17. WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT — FIELD OFFICES. There is
15 appropriated from the special employment security contingency
16 fund to the department of workforce development for the fiscal
17 year beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the
18 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be
19 used for the purposes designated:

20 For field offices:

21 \$ 662,427

22 Sec. 18. UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION RESERVE FUND.

23 Notwithstanding section 96.9, subsection 8, paragraph "e",
24 there is appropriated from interest earned on the unemployment
25 compensation reserve fund to the department of workforce
26 development for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, and
27 ending June 30, 2011, the following amount or so much thereof
28 as is necessary, for the purposes designated:

29 For the operation of field offices:

30 \$ 6,500,000

31 Sec. 19. EMPLOYEE MISCLASSIFICATION PROGRAM — GENERAL
32 FUND. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state
33 to the department of workforce development for the fiscal year
34 beginning July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following
35 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the

1 purposes designated:

2 For enhancing efforts to investigate employers that
3 misclassify workers:

4	\$	450,000
5	FTEs	8.10

6 Sec. 20. PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD. There is
7 appropriated from the general fund of the state to the public
8 employment relations board for the fiscal year beginning July
9 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, the following amount, or so
10 much thereof as is necessary, for the purposes designated:

11 For salaries, support, maintenance, miscellaneous purposes,
12 and for not more than the following full-time equivalent
13 positions:

14	\$	1,101,903
15	FTEs	10.00

16 Of the moneys appropriated in this section, the board
17 shall allocate \$15,000 for maintaining a website that allows
18 searchable access to a database of collective bargaining
19 information.

20 Sec. 21. IOWA FINANCE AUTHORITY AUDIT. The auditor of state
21 is requested to review the audit of the Iowa finance authority
22 performed by the auditor hired by the authority.

23 Sec. 22. UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION PROGRAM. Notwithstanding
24 section 96.9, subsection 4, paragraph "a", moneys credited to
25 the state by the secretary of the treasury of the United
26 States pursuant to section 903 of the Social Security
27 Act are appropriated to the department of workforce
28 development and shall be used by the department for the
29 administration of the unemployment compensation program only.
30 This appropriation shall not apply to any fiscal year
31 beginning after December 31, 2009.

32 Sec. 23. Section 303.17, subsection 4, paragraphs b and c,
33 Code 2009, are amended to read as follows:

34 b. Submit, for school years ending on or before June 30,
35 ~~2009~~ 2012, an annual status report on the utilization of the

1 Iowa studies professional development plan in Iowa's school
2 districts and accredited nonpublic schools to the chairpersons
3 and ranking members of the senate and house committees on
4 education by January 15. The annual report shall include the
5 number of schools utilizing the plan.

6 c. Submit its findings and recommendations in a final
7 report based upon the evaluation data compiled in accordance
8 with subsection 3 to the chairpersons and ranking members of
9 the senate and house committees on education by January 15,
10 ~~2010~~ 2013.

11 Sec. 24. Section 303.17, subsection 5, Code 2009, is amended
12 to read as follows:

13 5. This section is repealed effective July 1, ~~2010~~ 2013.

14 Sec. 25. 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 176, section 3, subsection
15 5, is amended to read as follows:

16 5. For use as matching funds for the United States
17 department of housing and urban development's main street
18 challenge grants for historic building preservation:

19 \$ 184,195

20 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated in this
21 subsection that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close
22 of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available
23 for expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of
24 the succeeding fiscal year.

25 Sec. 26. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. The section of this Act
26 amending 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 176, and the sections amending
27 section 303.17, being deemed of immediate importance, take
28 effect upon enactment.

29 EXPLANATION

30 This bill makes appropriations and transfers from the
31 general fund of the state and other funds to the department
32 of cultural affairs, the department of economic development,
33 the university of Iowa, the university of northern Iowa, Iowa
34 state university, the department of workforce development, and
35 the public employment relations board for the 2010-2011 fiscal

1 year.

2 The bill provides that the goals for the department of
3 economic development shall be to expand and stimulate the
4 state economy, increase the wealth of Iowans, and increase the
5 population of the state.

6 The bill transfers moneys collected by the division of
7 insurance in excess of the anticipated gross revenues to the
8 department of economic development for purposes of insurance
9 economic development and international insurance economic
10 development.

11 The bill appropriates moneys from the Iowa community
12 development loan fund to the department of economic development
13 for purposes of the community development program.

14 The bill appropriates moneys from the workforce development
15 fund account to the workforce development fund.

16 The bill provides that moneys appropriated or transferred
17 to or receipts credited to the workforce development fund are
18 appropriated to the department of economic development for
19 administration of workforce development activities.

20 The bill provides that all moneys in the job training fund on
21 July 1, 2010, and any moneys appropriated or credited to the
22 fund during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, shall be
23 transferred to the workforce development fund.

24 The bill requires the state board of regents to submit a
25 report on the progress of regents institutions in meeting
26 the strategic plan for technology transfer and economic
27 development.

28 The bill requires the auditor of state to conduct an audit of
29 the department of workforce development.

30 The bill appropriates moneys from the special employment
31 security contingency fund to the department of workforce
32 development for the division of workers' compensation and for
33 the operation of field offices.

34 The bill appropriates interest earned on the unemployment
35 compensation reserve fund to the department of workforce

1 development for the operation of field offices.

2 The bill appropriates moneys to the department of workforce
3 development for an employee misclassification program.

4 The bill requests the auditor of state to review the audit
5 of the Iowa finance authority performed by the auditor hired
6 by the authority.

7 The bill appropriates moneys from moneys credited to
8 the state by the secretary of the treasury of the United
9 States pursuant to the Social Security Act to the department
10 of workforce development for the administration of the
11 unemployment compensation program only.

12 The bill provides for the filing of surety bonds or qualified
13 statements by out-of-state contractors with the division of
14 labor services.

15 The bill amends 2009 Iowa Acts, chapter 176, to provide for
16 the nonrevision of moneys appropriated for purposes of matching
17 funds for main street challenge grants. The section amending
18 the 2009 Iowa Acts is effective upon enactment.

19 Current law requires the Iowa studies committee to submit
20 an annual status report on the utilization of the Iowa studies
21 professional development plan. The report is required until
22 June 30, 2009. The bill requires the report until June 30,
23 2012.

24 Current law also requires the Iowa studies committee to
25 submit findings and recommendations in a final report due
26 by January 15, 2010. The bill requires the final report on
27 January 15, 2013. The bill also provides for the future repeal
28 of the Iowa studies professional development plan and related
29 provisions on July 1, 2013. The changes to the reports due by
30 the Iowa studies committee take effect upon enactment.