## Senate Study Bill 1099

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SENATE FILE BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON REBUILD IOWA BILL BY CHAIRPERSON HOGG) Passed Senate, Date \_\_\_\_\_ Passed House, Date \_\_\_\_\_ Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_ A BILL FOR 1 An Act relating to disaster emergency assistance immunity. 2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA: 3 TLSB 1879SC 83 4 tm/rj/8PAG LIN Section 1. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. 613.17A VOLUNTEER DISASTER 1 2 EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE IMMUNITY. During a disaster as defined in section 29C.2 or in the 4 period immediately following a disaster for which the governor 5 has issued a proclamation of disaster emergency pursuant to 6 section 29C.6, a person who in good faith renders emergency 7 assistance without compensation shall not be liable for any 8 civil damages for acts or omissions occurring during the 9 rendering of the emergency assistance at the place of the

## 1 10 disaster emergency unless such acts or omissions constitute 1 11 recklessness. EXPLANATION

This bill relates to disaster emergency assistance

1 14 immunity. The bill provides that, during a disaster or in the period 1 16 immediately following a disaster for which the governor has 1 17 issued a proclamation of disaster emergency, a person who in 1 18 good faith renders emergency assistance without compensation 1 19 shall not be liable for any civil damages for acts or 1 20 omissions occurring during the rendering of the emergency 1 21 assistance at the place of the disaster emergency unless such 1 22 acts or omissions constitute recklessness. 1 23 LSB 1879SC 83 1 24 tm/rj/8