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A BILL FOR

1 An Act repealing provisions establishing an environmentally
2 preferable cleaning policy applicable to specified state
3 buildings and educational institutions, and including
4 effective date provisions.

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

1 Section 1. REPEAL. Section 8A.318, Code 2011, is repealed.

2 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This Act, being deemed of
3 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

4 EXPLANATION

5 This bill repeals Code section 8A.318, which established
6 a policy requiring state agencies utilizing state buildings,
7 and school districts, community colleges, and institutions
8 under the control of the state board of regents to conduct
9 an evaluation and assessment regarding implementation of an
10 environmentally preferable cleaning policy. Pursuant to the
11 Code section, state agencies utilizing public buildings, and
12 school districts, community colleges, and institutions under
13 the control of the state board of regents that did not opt out
14 of compliance with the policy, are currently required on or
15 after July 1, 2012, to purchase and utilize only cleaning and
16 maintenance products identified by the department of education
17 or that meet nationally recognized standards.

18 The bill takes effect upon enactment.