

**House File 197 - Introduced**

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act abolishing construction contractor registration fees  
2 collected by the department of workforce development.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 91C.1, subsection 2, Code 2011, is  
2 amended by striking the subsection.

3 Sec. 2. Section 91C.3, subsection 1, unnumbered paragraph  
4 1, Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

5 The registration application shall be in the form prescribed  
6 by the labor commissioner, ~~shall be accompanied by the~~  
7 ~~registration fee prescribed pursuant to section 91C.4,~~ and  
8 shall contain information which is substantially complete and  
9 accurate. In addition to the information determined by the  
10 labor commissioner to be necessary for purposes of section  
11 91C.2, the application shall include information as to each of  
12 the following:

13 Sec. 3. Section 91C.9, subsection 1, Code 2011, is amended  
14 to read as follows:

15 1. A contractor registration revolving fund is created in  
16 the state treasury. The revolving fund shall be administered  
17 by the commissioner and shall consist of moneys collected  
18 by the commissioner as fees. ~~The commissioner shall remit~~  
19 ~~all fees collected pursuant to this chapter to the revolving~~  
20 ~~fund.~~ The moneys in the revolving fund are appropriated to and  
21 shall be used by the commissioner to pay the actual costs and  
22 expenses necessary to perform the duties of the commissioner  
23 and the division of labor as described in this chapter. All  
24 salaries and expenses properly chargeable to the revolving fund  
25 shall be paid from the revolving fund.

26 Sec. 4. REPEAL. Section 91C.4, Code 2011, is repealed.

27 EXPLANATION

28 This bill repeals Code section 91C.4, which allows the labor  
29 commissioner to prescribe a registration fee of up to \$50 for  
30 construction contractors to register with the department of  
31 workforce development. The bill deletes related references.