House File 552 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to the termination of the family planning
- 2 waiver under the medical assistance program.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Section 1. MEDICAID WAIVER FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES. The
- 2 department of human services shall withdraw the request to
- 3 the centers for Medicare and Medicaid services of the United
- 4 States department of health and human services to amend the
- 5 medical assistance waiver for the Iowa family planning network
- 6 as specified in 2010 Iowa Acts, chapter 1192, section 11,
- 7 subsection 24, and shall instead request that the waiver
- 8 terminate on the original expiration date of January 31, 2011.
- 9 The department of human services shall terminate services under
- 10 the waiver in accordance with federal regulation.
- 11 EXPLANATION
- 12 This bill directs the department of human services (DHS) to
- 13 withdraw the request to the centers for Medicare and Medicaid
- 14 services of the United States department of health and human
- 15 services to amend the Medicaid waiver for the Iowa family
- 16 planning network which would have modified eligibility and
- 17 extended the waiver beyond the termination date of January
- 18 31, 2011. The bill directs DHS to instead request that the
- 19 waiver terminate on the original expiration date. The bill
- 20 provides that DHS is to terminate services under the waiver in
- 21 accordance with federal regulations.