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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the responsibilities of procurement
2 organizations.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 142C.8, Code 2013, is amended by adding
2 the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 12. A procurement organization shall
4 utilize discretion and sensitivity with respect to the
5 circumstances, views, and beliefs of the family of a donor or
6 prospective donor in all contacts with family members regarding
7 an anatomical gift.

8 EXPLANATION

9 This bill includes in the rights and duties of procurement
10 organizations, a requirement that a procurement organization
11 utilize discretion and sensitivity with respect to the
12 circumstances, views, and beliefs of the family of a donor or
13 prospective donor in all contacts with family members regarding
14 an anatomical gift. A procurement organization includes an eye
15 bank, organ procurement organization, or tissue bank.