

House File 51 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring notification of employers used as employment
2 contacts by recipients of unemployment compensation
3 benefits.

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

1 Section 1. Section 96.11, subsection 6, paragraph c, Code
2 2013, is amended by adding the following new subparagraph:
3 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (9) An employer required by section
4 96.36.

5 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. **96.36 Employer contact notification.**

6 The department shall notify an employer each time the
7 employer is reported to the department as an employer contact
8 by an individual claiming benefits. The notification shall
9 include the name of the individual, the date of the employer
10 contact, and any position applied for.

11 EXPLANATION

12 This bill requires the department of workforce development
13 to notify an employer each time the employer is reported to the
14 department as an employer contact by an individual claiming
15 unemployment compensation benefits. The notification is to
16 include the name of the individual, the date of the employer
17 contact, and any position applied for. The bill exempts this
18 information from the confidentiality requirements of the
19 unemployment compensation program to the extent required to
20 implement the bill.