

**House Study Bill 592 - Introduced**

SENATE/HOUSE FILE \_\_\_\_\_  
BY (PROPOSED DEPARTMENT OF  
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES  
BILL)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to the reporting requirements of the state  
2 librarian.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 7A.3, subsection 1, paragraph f, Code  
2 2024, is amended by striking the paragraph.

3 Sec. 2. Section 8A.204, subsection 2, paragraph b, Code  
4 2024, is amended by striking the paragraph.

5 EXPLANATION

6 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with  
7 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

8 This bill eliminates the requirement that the state  
9 librarian submit a biennial report to the governor on the  
10 activities of the department of administrative services (DAS)  
11 relating to library services. As the eliminated provision  
12 contains the only biennial report in the Code for the state  
13 librarian, the bill also strikes a corresponding provision  
14 applying general biennial reporting requirements to the state  
15 librarian.

16 Under Code section 8E.210, DAS is still obligated to  
17 prepare an annual report of its performance, including how it  
18 has reallocated resources in the previous fiscal year, for  
19 submission to the department of management.