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STATE GOVERNMENT

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act prohibiting the department of administrative services from
2 establishing a motor pool and providing for the disposition
3 and sale of motor pool vehicles and making an appropriation.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 8A.362, subsection 1, Code 2005, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 1. The director may provide for the assignment to a state
4 officer or employee or to a state agency, of one or more motor
5 vehicles which may be required by the state officer or
6 employee or state agency, after the state officer or employee
7 or state agency has shown the necessity for such
8 transportation on a full-time basis. ~~The director may assign~~
9 ~~a motor vehicle either for part-time or full-time use.~~ The
10 director may revoke the assignment at any time.

11 Sec. 2. Section 8A.362, subsection 7, Code 2005, is
12 amended to read as follows:

13 7. The director ~~may authorize the establishment of~~ shall
14 not establish or maintain motor pools consisting of a number
15 of state-owned motor vehicles under the director's
16 supervision. ~~The director may store the motor vehicles in a~~
17 ~~public or private garage.~~ ~~If the director establishes a motor~~
18 ~~pool,~~ for use by any state officer or employee desiring the
19 temporary use of a state-owned motor vehicle on state business
20 ~~shall notify the director of the need for a vehicle within a~~
21 ~~reasonable time prior to actual use of the motor vehicle.~~ The
22 ~~director may assign a motor vehicle from the motor pool to the~~
23 ~~state officer or employee.~~ ~~If two or more state officers or~~
24 ~~employees desire the use of a state-owned motor vehicle for a~~
25 ~~trip to the same destination for the same length of time, the~~
26 ~~director may assign one vehicle to make the trip.~~

27 Sec. 3. Section 8A.362, subsection 9, Code 2005, is
28 amended to read as follows:

29 9. All fuel used in state-owned automobiles shall be
30 purchased at cost from the various installations or garages of
31 the state department of transportation, state board of
32 regents, or department of human services, ~~or state motor pools~~
33 ~~throughout the state,~~ unless the state-owned sources for the
34 purchase of fuel are not reasonably accessible. If the
35 director determines that state-owned sources for the purchase

1 of fuel are not reasonably accessible, the director shall
2 authorize the purchase of fuel from other sources. The
3 director may prescribe a manner, other than the use of the
4 revolving fund, in which the purchase of fuel from state-owned
5 sources is charged to the state agency responsible for the use
6 of the motor vehicle. The director shall prescribe the manner
7 in which oil and other normal motor vehicle maintenance for
8 state-owned motor vehicles may be purchased from private
9 sources, if they cannot be reasonably obtained from a-state
10 ~~motor-pool~~ state-owned sources. The director may advertise
11 for bids and award contracts in accordance with competitive
12 bidding procedures for items and services as provided in this
13 subchapter for furnishing fuel, oil, grease, and vehicle
14 replacement parts for all state-owned motor vehicles. The
15 director and other state agencies, when advertising for bids
16 for gasoline, shall also seek bids for ethanol blended
17 gasoline.

18 Sec. 4. DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES -- MOTOR
19 POOL VEHICLES -- DISPOSITION AND SALE -- DISTRIBUTION OF
20 PROCEEDS. On or before December 31, 2006, the department of
21 administrative services shall sell at auction all vehicles
22 under the department's control that were in the state's motor
23 pool and available for use by any state officer or employee
24 desiring the temporary use of a state-owned motor vehicle on
25 state business as of June 30, 2006. Notwithstanding the
26 provisions of section 8A.364 to the contrary, proceeds from
27 the sale of motor vehicles as provided by this subsection
28 shall be deposited in the depreciation account of the
29 department of public safety and are appropriated for the
30 purchase of motor vehicles for the Iowa state patrol.

31 EXPLANATION

32 This bill provides for the elimination of the state motor
33 pool under the control of the department of administrative
34 services and for the disposition of vehicles in the motor
35 pool. In addition, the bill also provides that the department

1 can only assign motor vehicles to a state officer or employee,
2 or state agency, on a full-time basis and not on a part-time
3 basis.

4 The bill prohibits the department of administrative
5 services from establishing or maintaining motor pools for
6 temporary use of state-owned motor vehicles by state officers
7 and employees for state business. The bill provides that the
8 department sell at auction by December 31, 2006, all vehicles
9 that were in the motor pool as of June 30, 2006. The bill
10 then provides that the proceeds from the sale of these
11 vehicles be deposited in the depreciation account of the
12 department of public safety and are appropriated for the
13 purchase of motor vehicles for the Iowa state patrol.

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