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Passed on File.

**House File 634**  
By APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.

Passed House, Date .....  
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....  
Passed Senate, Date .....  
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....  
Approved .....

# A BILL FOR

An Act creating the general contingent fund of the state for the biennium beginning July 1, 1951, and appropriating thereto the sum of one and one-half million dollars from the general fund of the state, specifying the purposes for which the appropriation may be used, and providing for a report of the dispositions made of the fund.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 Section 1. The general contingent fund of the state  
2 for the biennium beginning July 1, 1951, and ending June 30,  
3 1953, is hereby created and said fund shall consist of the sum  
4 of one and one-half million dollars (\$1,500,000.00) hereby  
5 appropriated thereto from the general fund of the state. Said  
6 contingent fund shall be administered by the budget and  
7 financial control committee and allocations therefrom may be  
8 made only for contingencies arising during the biennium which  
9 are legally payable from the funds of the state. Subject to  
10 the payment of the compensation and the expenses of members  
11 of the budget and financial control committee, authorized by  
12 Section 5 of Senate File 1, Acts of the 54th General Assembly,  
13 and subject to its use for the payment of obligations incurred

14 under the provisions of Section 6, Senate File 1, Acts of the  
15 54th General Assembly, no allocation from said fund shall be  
16 made for the administration of, or carrying out, the provisions  
17 of an Act passed by the 54th General Assembly which does not  
18 contain an appropriation. Nor shall the budget and financial  
19 control committee allocate any funds for any purpose or project  
20 which was, or should have been, presented to the General  
21 Assembly by way of a bill and which failed to become enacted  
22 into law. A report of the dispositions made of the fund during  
23 the first eighteen months of the biennium shall be made by  
24 the budget and financial control committee to the state  
25 comptroller prior to the convening of the 55th General Assembly  
26 and by him included in the printed budget. Any balance in  
27 said contingent fund as of June 30, 1953, shall revert to the  
28 general fund of the state.