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HUMAN RESOURCES

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the electronic benefits transfer program of  
2 the department of human services.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 234.12A, subsection 1, Code 2001, is  
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. d. The program shall include capacity for  
4 using a secure internet site or other technology with similar  
5 capacity so that medical assistance and child care providers  
6 may submit billings electronically and capacity for these  
7 providers to receive payment through electronic funds  
8 transfer.

9 EXPLANATION

10 This bill requires the department of human services to  
11 include an additional capacity in the electronic benefits  
12 transfer program. The additional capacity provides for using  
13 a secure internet site or other technology with similar  
14 capacity so that medical assistance (Medicaid) and child care  
15 providers may submit billings electronically and receive  
16 payments through electronic funds transfer.

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