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LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

HOUSE FILE 2125
BY SHEY

Passed House, Date _____ Passed Senate, Date _____
Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the use of wheelchair lifts and residential
2 elevators in churches and houses of worship.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 89A.3, subsection 5, Code 2001, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 5. The commissioner ~~may~~ shall adopt rules permitting
4 inclined or vertical wheelchair lifts and residential
5 elevators in churches and houses of worship ~~to-service-more~~
6 ~~than-one-floor~~.

7 EXPLANATION

8 This bill requires the labor commissioner to adopt rules
9 permitting wheelchair lifts and residential elevators in
10 churches. Under current law, the labor commissioner is
11 allowed, but not required, to adopt rules permitting
12 wheelchair lifts in churches.

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