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HUMAN RESOURCES

HOUSE FILE 2283
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the transmission of cautions regarding human
2 immunodeficiency virus information over radio-based
3 communications systems.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 141A.8, subsection 1, Code Supplement
2 2001, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. d. Notwithstanding any other provision of
4 law to the contrary, a care provider may transmit cautions
5 regarding HIV information in the course of the care provider's
6 duties over the police radio broadcasting system under chapter
7 693 or any other radio-based communications system, if the
8 information transmitted does not personally identify an
9 individual.

10 EXPLANATION

11 This bill adds a provision to the acquired immune
12 deficiency syndrome (AIDS) chapter (Code chapter 141A) to
13 allow a care provider, in the course of the care provider's
14 duties, to transmit cautions regarding HIV information over
15 radio-based communications, if the information transmitted
16 does not personally identify an individual. A care provider
17 is defined as a person trained and authorized by federal or
18 state law to provide health care services in the course of the
19 individual's official duties, for compensation or voluntarily,
20 who is a health care provider, emergency medical care
21 provider, fire fighter or peace officer. "Care provider" also
22 includes an individual who renders emergency care or
23 assistance in an emergency or due to an accident. A similar
24 provision currently exists under the communicable and
25 infectious diseases and poisonings chapter (Code chapter 139).

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