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BY SOUKUP

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to juror compensation.
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 607A.8, Code 2001, is amended to read
2 as follows:

3 607A.8 FEES AND EXPENSES FOR JURORS.

4 Grand jurors and petit jurors in all courts shall receive
5 ten forty-one dollars as compensation for each day's service
6 or attendance, including attendance required for the purpose
7 of being considered for service, reimbursement for mileage
8 expenses at the rate specified in section 602.1509 for each
9 mile traveled each day to and from their residences to the
10 place of service or attendance, and reimbursement for actual
11 expenses of parking, as determined by the clerk. A juror who
12 is a person with a disability may receive reimbursement for
13 the costs of alternate transportation from the juror's
14 residence to the place of service or attendance. A juror
15 shall not receive reimbursement for mileage expenses or actual
16 expenses of parking when the juror travels in a vehicle for
17 which another juror is receiving reimbursement for mileage and
18 parking expenses.

19 EXPLANATION

20 This bill provides that grand jurors and petit jurors are
21 to be paid \$41 for each day's service or attendance, including
22 attendance required for the purpose of being considered for
23 service. Currently, jurors are paid \$10 per day.

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