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SENATE FILE 216b
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to business surveys conducted by the department
2 of economic development.

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

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SMALL BUS., ECON. DEV. & TOUR.

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 9.8 BIENNIAL REPORT.

2 By January 15 of each year, the secretary of state shall
3 determine and compile a list of which entities that filed a
4 biennial report with the secretary of state two years prior to
5 the previous calendar year did not file a biennial report
6 during the previous calendar year. Immediately following the
7 compilation of the list, the secretary of state shall forward
8 the list to the department of economic development.

9 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 15.115 BUSINESS SURVEYS.

10 The department shall receive the list compiled and
11 forwarded to the department by the secretary of state pursuant
12 to section 9.8. The department shall contact a representative
13 of each entity on the list and determine if any entity has
14 continued to be in existence but has moved its operations to a
15 different state. For each entity determined to have moved to
16 a different state, the department shall survey the entity in
17 an effort to determine the reasons for the entity moving its
18 operations to a different state.

19 EXPLANATION

20 This bill provides for business surveys to be conducted by
21 the department of economic development.

22 The bill provides that, by January 15 of each year, the
23 secretary of state shall determine and compile a list of which
24 entities that filed a biennial report with the secretary of
25 state two years prior to the previous calendar year did not
26 file a biennial report during the previous calendar year. The
27 bill provides that the secretary of state shall forward the
28 list to the department of economic development and that the
29 department shall contact a representative of each entity on
30 the list. The bill provides that the department shall
31 determine if any entity has continued to be in existence but
32 has moved its operations to a different state. The bill
33 provides that for each entity determined to have moved to a
34 different state, the department shall survey the entity in an
35 effort to determine the reasons for the entity moving its

1 operations to a different state.

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