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HUMAN RESOURCES

HOUSE FILE 2212  
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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to the expansion of the healthy and well kids in  
2 Iowa program to parents, custodians, and guardians of eligible  
3 children.

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

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1 Section 1. WAIVER -- STATE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE  
2 PROGRAM. The director of human services shall seek a waiver  
3 from the centers for Medicaid and Medicare services of the  
4 United States department of health and human services to  
5 expand the state children's health insurance program created  
6 under Title XXI of the federal Social Security Act to cover  
7 parents and caretakers of children who are eligible for  
8 coverage under the Iowa state children's health insurance  
9 program established under chapter 514I. For the purposes of  
10 this section, "caretaker" means legal custodian or guardian of  
11 a dependent child.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill directs the director of human services to seek a  
14 waiver from the centers for Medicaid and Medicare services of  
15 the United States department of health and human services to  
16 expand the hawk-i program to cover parents and legal  
17 custodians and guardians of children who are eligible for  
18 coverage under that program.

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