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APPROPRIATIONS

HOUSE FILE 2270
BY FORD

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act making an appropriation to the department of justice for
2 the development of a domestic violence brochure regarding the
3 effects of domestic violence.

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

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1 Section 1. VICTIM ASSISTANCE GRANTS. There is
2 appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
3 department of justice for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
4 2006, and ending June 30, 2007, the following amount, or so
5 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purpose
6 designated:

7 For the development and dissemination of a brochure to
8 educate landlords and property managers regarding the dangers
9 of domestic violence:

10 \$ 15,000

11 The brochure shall include a message to landlords and
12 property managers about the potential damage to their property
13 as a result of domestic violence and unwanted publicity
14 surrounding such violence as well as encouraging landlords and
15 property managers to allow a victim of domestic violence to
16 relocate, if necessary, to avoid further domestic violence
17 without losing their security deposit.

18 The brochure shall be made available for distribution at
19 landlord or property management association meetings, domestic
20 violence organizations, and other relevant organizations or
21 governmental entities.

22 EXPLANATION

23 This bill makes an appropriation to the department of
24 justice for the development of a domestic violence brochure
25 regarding the effects of domestic violence.

26 The bill appropriates \$15,000 from the general fund of the
27 state to the department of justice for fiscal year 2006-2007
28 to be used for the development and dissemination of a brochure
29 to educate landlords and property managers regarding the
30 dangers of domestic violence.

31 Under the bill the brochure shall include a message to
32 landlords and property managers about the potential damage to
33 their property as a result of domestic violence and unwanted
34 publicity surrounding such violence, as well as encouraging
35 landlords and property managers to allow a victim of domestic

1 violence to relocate, if necessary, to avoid further domestic
2 violence without losing their security deposit.

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