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EDUCATION

HOUSE FILE 2317
BY MILLER

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for the creation of an educational, interactive
2 internet website relating to Iowa's African-American heritage
3 and making an appropriation.

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

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1 Section 1. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION -- STORIES OF IOWA'S
2 AFRICAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE WEBSITE. There is appropriated from
3 the general fund of the state to the department of education
4 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2006, and ending June
5 30, 2007, the following amount, or so much thereof as is
6 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

7 For allocation to merged area XI for purposes of
8 developing, in consultation with the university of northern
9 Iowa, marketing, and supporting an educational, interactive
10 internet website and associated virtual learning materials
11 dedicated to the stories of Iowa's African-American heritage:
12 \$ 80,000

13 The website developed pursuant to this section shall be
14 designed for teachers and students at the kindergarten through
15 grade five levels and for students at grade levels six through
16 twelve.

17 EXPLANATION

18 This bill appropriates \$80,000 from the general fund of the
19 state to the department of education for fiscal year 2006-2007
20 for allocation to Des Moines area community college to
21 develop, in consultation with the university of northern Iowa,
22 market, and support an educational, interactive internet
23 website and associated virtual learning materials dedicated to
24 the stories of Iowa's African-American heritage.

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