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The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol
Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Dear Mr. Secretary,

I hereby transmit Senate File 567, an Act relating to loans originated by mortgage bankers.

Senate File 567 adds mortgage bankers to the list of lenders that are permitted to impose certain charges, fees, or costs upon a borrower in connection with the purchase or financing of real property used for family dwellings. The bill passed both chambers unanimously and, at that time, no interested parties voiced any opposition to the legislation.

But since passage, legitimate concerns have been raised by stakeholders and legislators alike regarding the potential scope and consequences of Senate File 567. And while I recognize and support the intended purpose of Senate File 567, I believe the State of Iowa will ultimately benefit from a more full and deliberative legislative process in which these concerns can be addressed. I encourage the legislature to continue to work on this important issue.

For these reasons, I respectfully disapprove of Senate File 567 in its entirety and it is vetoed in whole.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kim Reynolds".

Kim Reynolds
Governor of Iowa

cc: Secretary of the Senate
Clerk of the House