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## HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

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Bill: House File 149  
Committee: Labor  
Date: July 1, 2011  
Staff: Louis Vander Streek (1-3626)  
Member: Rep. Horbach

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### **“Iowa is a Right-to-Work State” bill**

House File 149 is the “Iowa is a Right-to-Work State” bill. HF 149 requires the Department of Economic Development to include the phrase **“Iowa is a Right-to-Work State”** in bold letters on all business recruitment, promotional, and, if deemed appropriate by the department, tourism literature.

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### **Summary of Action**

Passed Labor Committee 10-6  
Passed House 66-33  
Died in the Senate

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### **Section by Section Analysis**

#### *Section 1 – Labor Relations*

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