

Kim Reynolds governor

## **Office of the Governor**

Adam Gregg lt governor

April 21, 2022

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

Dear Mr. Secretary,

I hereby transmit:

House File 2380. an Act relating to acreage limitations for the production of hemp, and including effective date provisions.

The above House File is hereby approved on this date.

Sincerely Der Revnolds

Governor of Iowa

cc: Secretary of the Senate Clerk of the House



House File 2380

## AN ACT

RELATING TO ACREAGE LIMITATIONS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF HEMP, AND INCLUDING EFFECTIVE DATE PROVISIONS.

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

Section 1. Section 204.2, subsection 5, Code 2022, is amended to read as follows:

5. "Crop site" or "site" means a single contiguous parcel tract of agricultural land suitable for the planting, growing, or harvesting of hemp, if the parcel tract does not exceed forty three hundred twenty acres.

Sec. 2. Section 204.4, subsection 6, Code 2022, is amended to read as follows:

6. A person may hold any number of licenses at the same time. However, the person shall not hold a legal or equitable interest in a licensed crop site, if the total number of acres of all licensed crop sites in which the person holds <del>all</del> <u>any</u> such <u>interests</u> <u>interest</u> equals more than <u>forty three hundred</u> twenty acres.

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Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

PAT GRASSLEY

Speaker of the House

JAKE CHAPMAN President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 2380, Eighty-ninth General Assembly.

KIM REXNOLDS

Governor

MEGHAN NELSON Chief Clerk of the House

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