

CHAPTER 113

OPERATION OF MOTOR TRUCKS AND TRAILERS

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred thirty-one (131) of the laws of the forty-third general assembly relating to the operation of motor trucks and trailers on the public highways of this state.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That chapter one hundred thirty-one (131) of the laws
2 of the forty-third general assembly be and the same is hereby amend-
3 ed by adding at the end of section two (2) thereof the following:

4 "The said department or any of its agents may stop any automobile,
5 motor truck or trailer loaded with any commodity and compel the
6 person having charge of the same to bring the load to a scale desig-
7 nated by said department and to have the same weighed for the pur-
8 pose of determining the true weight of the load being carried."

1 SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be-
2 come effective upon publication in the Waterloo Evening Courier, a
3 newspaper published at Waterloo, Iowa, and the Shelby News, a
4 newspaper published at Shelby, Iowa.

Senate File No. 365. Approved April 25, 1931.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Waterloo Evening Courier April 29, 1931, and the Shelby News May 1, 1931.

G. C. GREENWALT, *Secretary of State.*

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AUTOMOBILE DRIVER'S LICENSE

AN ACT to repeal sections forty-nine hundred forty-three (4943) to forty-nine hundred sixty (4960), inclusive, code, 1927, to prohibit the operation of motor vehicles upon public highways by persons who are not licensed as operators, or as chauffeurs, to provide for the issuance of such licenses, to prohibit the issuance of such licenses to certain persons, to prescribe the conditions of such licenses, to fix and declare the liability of persons for the operation of motor vehicles, to require a report of convictions of violations of laws regulatory of motor vehicles, to provide for the revocation and suspension of such licenses, to declare certain acts relative to the subject matter of this chapter to be public offenses, to provide for the punishment of such acts, to fix the time when this act shall take effect, to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine (4999), relating to the disposition of motor vehicles and other fees, and to provide that this enactment shall be a part of chapter two hundred fifty-one (251), code, 1927.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. **Definitions.** The following words and phrases when
2 used in this act shall for the purpose of this act have the meaning
3 respectively ascribed to them in this section, except in those instances
4 where the context clearly indicates a different meaning.

5 1. "Farm Tractor." Every motor vehicle designed and used pri-
6 marily as a farm implement for drawing plows, mowing machines
7 and other implements of husbandry.

8 2. "Operator." Every person, other than a chauffeur, who is in
9 actual physical control of a motor vehicle upon a highway.

10 3. "Person." Every natural person.