

1 SEC. 2. Section one hundred thirty-seven point two (137.2), Code
2 1946, is amended by inserting after the word "In" in line seven (7)
3 the following: "counties the members of the board of health shall
4 elect one of their number as chairman and in".

1 SEC. 3. Section one hundred thirty-seven point three (137.3),
2 Code 1946, is amended by inserting after the word "clerk" in line two
3 (2) the words "or the county auditor".

1 SEC. 4. Section one hundred thirty-seven point eight (137.8),
2 Code 1946, is amended by inserting before the word "or" in line four
3 (4) the word "county".

1 SEC. 5. Section one hundred thirty-nine point twenty (139.20),
2 Code 1946, is amended by inserting before the word "mayor" in line
3 four (4) the following: "county auditor,".

1 SEC. 6. Section one hundred forty point thirty-four (140.34), Code
2 1946, is amended by inserting before the word "city" in line two (2)
3 the following: "county,".

1 SEC. 7. Section three hundred fifty-nine point seventeen (359.17),
2 Code 1946, is amended by striking from lines five (5) and six (6) the
3 words "the local board of health".

1 SEC. 8. Chapter one hundred thirty-eight (138), Code 1946, is
2 amended by adding thereto a new section as follows: "In case of the
3 adoption of a county health unit plan in any county having a population
4 of one hundred seventy-five thousand (175,000) or more, the civil
5 service status and pension rights of any then existing employee of
6 any then existing departments of health in such county shall be
7 maintained and protected."

1 SEC. 9. Section 138.1, Code 1946, is hereby repealed and the follow-
2 ing enacted in lieu thereof:

3 "The County Board of Supervisors of any county may, by mutual
4 agreement with boards of health of cities, towns, and townships of
5 their county, adopt the county health unit plan."

Approved April 29, 1947.

CHAPTER 94

VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS

S. F. 16

AN ACT to amend certain sections of the code relating to the United States bureau of the census.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Section one hundred forty-one point four (141.4),
2 Code 1946, is hereby amended by striking from lines three (3) and
3 four (4) the words "Bureau of the Census" and inserting in lieu
4 thereof the words "National Office of Vital Statistics".

1 SEC. 2. Section one hundred forty-four point thirteen (144.13),
 2 Code 1946, is hereby amended by striking from lines three (3) and
 3 four (4) the words "Bureau of the Census" and inserting in lieu
 4 thereof the words "National Office of Vital Statistics".

1 SEC. 3. Section one hundred forty-four point forty-six (144.46),
 2 Code 1946, is hereby amended by striking from lines one (1) and two
 3 (2) the words "United States Census Bureau" and inserting in lieu
 4 thereof the words "National Office of Vital Statistics".

Approved January 25, 1947.

CHAPTER 95

STILLBIRTH CERTIFICATES

S. F. 23

AN ACT relating to the recording of the birth of stillborn children.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Section one hundred forty-one point seven (141.7),
 2 Code 1946, is hereby amended by striking from line one (1) the word
 3 "death" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "stillbirth", and said
 4 section is further amended by striking from lines four (4), five (5),
 5 six (6) and seven (7) the words "The cause of death in such certificate
 6 shall be stated as 'stillborn', with the cause of the stillbirth, if known."
 7 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "The cause of stillbirth shall be
 8 stated giving both the fetal and maternal causes, if known."

1 SEC. 2. Section one hundred forty-four point twenty (144.20),
 2 Code 1946, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:
 3 "A stillborn child (a child born dead) shall be registered on a standard
 4 stillbirth certificate. Such certificate shall not be required if the fetus
 5 has not reached the twentieth (20th) week of gestation."

Approved February 6, 1947.

CHAPTER 96

BIRTH CERTIFICATES

S. F. 22

AN ACT to authorize the filing of a new birth certificate for illegitimate children that become legitimate by the subsequent marriage of their parents.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter one hundred forty-four (144), Code 1946, is
 2 hereby amended by adding thereto the following section: "In cases
 3 of legitimations the state registrar upon receipt of proof thereof shall
 4 prepare a new certificate of birth in the new name of the legitimated
 5 child. The evidence upon which the new certificate is made and the