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CHAPTER 57

TOWNSHIP CENSUS

S. F. 189

AN ACT to amend chapter twenty-six (26), Code 1954, relating to census.

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

SECTION 1. Section twenty-six point two (26.2), Code 1954, is hereby amended by inserting in line seven (7) after the word "coun-2 ties," the following words "by townships.". 3

SEC. 2. Section twenty-six point six (26.6), Code 1954, is hereby 1 amended by inserting in line two (2) after the word "county," the 2 3 following word "township,".

Approved April 6, 1955.

CHAPTER 58

IOWA DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

H. F. 3

AN ACT to amend section twenty-eight point one (28.1), Code 1954, relating to the term of office of the legislative members of the Iowa Development Commission.

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

- SECTION 1. Section twenty-eight point one (28.1), Code 1954, is 1
- amended by striking from lines eleven (11) and twelve (12) the 2
- words, "the convening of the next general assembly when" 3

Approved April 21, 1955.

CHAPTER 59

LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR MILITARY DUTY H. F. 391

AN ACT relating to the possibility of discrimination against members of the armed forces of this state or of the United States; relating to leave of absence of em-ployees for military duty in the armed forces of this state or of the United States.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section twenty-nine point forty-three (29.43), Code 1954, is hereby amended by inserting in line four (4) thereof after the word "guard" the following: "or organized reserves of the armed

3 4 forces of the United States".

Section twenty-nine point forty-three (29.43), Code 1954, is hereby further amended by inserting in line eleven (11) preceding the word 5 6 "Any" the following: "Any member of the national guard or organized 7

reserves of the armed forces of the United States ordered to temporary 8

Q active duty for the purpose of military training or ordered on active

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state service, shall be entitled to a leave of absence during the period 10 11 of such duty or service from his private employment, other than employment of a temporary nature, and upon completion of such duty or 12 13 service the employer shall restore such person to the position held prior to such leave of absence, or employ such person in a similar position, 14 provided, however, that such person shall give evidence to the em-ployer of satisfactory completion of such training or duty, and further 15 16 17 provided that such person is still qualified to perform the duties of such position. Such period of absence shall be construed as an absence 18 with leave, and shall in no way affect the employee's rights to vacation, 19 sick leave, bonus, or other employment benefits relating to his par-20 21 ticular employment."

Approved April 15, 1955.

CHAPTER 60

VETERANS' DAY H. F. 207

AN ACT designating the eleventh day of November of each year as Veterans' Day.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter thirty-one (31), Code 1954, is hereby amended 2 by adding thereto the following section:

3 'The governor is hereby authorized and requested to issue annually 4 a proclamation designating the eleventh day of November as Veterans' 5 Day and calling upon the people of Iowa to observe it as a legal holiday in honor of those who have been members of the armed forces of the 6 United States, and urging state officials to display the American flag on 7 all state and school buildings and the people of the state to display the 8 flag at their homes, lodges, churches and places of business; that business activities be held to the necessary minimum; and that appro-9 10 priate services and exercises be had expressive of the public sentiments 11 12 befitting the occasion.".

Approved March 15, 1955.