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1 SEC. 21. Sections one hundred seventy-six point eight (176.8) to 2 one hundred seventy-six point twelve (176.12), both inclusive, and 3 one hundred seventy-six point fifteen (176.15) to one hundred sev-4 enty-six point sixteen (176.16), both inclusive, Code 1954, are hereby 5 repealed.

1 SEC. 22. Saving clause. Should any section, clause, sentence, or 2 provision of this act be held to be invalid for any reason, such holding 3 or decree shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any of the 4 remaining portions of this act, it being the intent of the legislature 5 that this act shall stand and the legislature would have adopted the 6 remainder of this act, notwithstanding the invalidity of any such 7 section, clause, sentence, or provision.

1 SEC. 23. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall 2 be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication 3 in the Hampton Chronicle, a newspaper published at Hampton, Iowa, 4 and in The Wellman Advance, a newspaper published at Wellman, 5 Iowa.

Approved May 6, 1955.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 198, was published in the Hampton Chronicle, Hampton, Iowa, May 12, 1955, and in The Wellman Advance, Wellman, Iowa, May 12, 1955.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 108

BRANDING ANIMALS

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AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred eight-seven (187), Code 1954, relating to the marking and branding of animals.

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

1. SECTION 1. Section one hundred eighty-seven point one (187.1), 2 Code 1954, is hereby repealed.

1 SEC. 2. Section one hundred eighty-seven point two (187.2), Code 2 1954, is hereby amended by striking lines five (5), six (6), and seven 3 (7), and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "recorder of the 4 county in which the owner resides for which the recorder shall receive 5 a fee of one dollar (\$1.00).".

1 SEC. 3. Section one hundred eighty-seven point three (187.3), 2 Code 1954, is hereby amended by striking the word "township," in 3 line four (4) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "county." 4 and striking the remainder of said section.

1 SEC. 4. Chapter one hundred eighty-seven (187), Code 1954, is 2 further amended by adding thereto the following: "The books hereto-3 fore maintained by the township clerks shall be transferred to the 4 county recorder.".

Approved April 28, 1955.