

CHAPTER 183

HIGHWAY EASEMENTS

S. F. 226

AN ACT to enable and empower the board or commission which has control and jurisdiction over any highway or highway system to convey certain easements and rights in, to and over certain easements for highway purposes.

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

1 SECTION 1. The board or commission which has control and juris-
2 diction over any highway or highway system which may be affected by
3 a federal water resources project may grant, sell, exchange, or convey
4 to the United States of America, the perpetual right, power, privilege
5 and easement to overflow, flood, and submerge all of the portion of
6 easements for highway purposes under the control and jurisdiction of
7 such board or commission.

1 SEC. 2. Where such easement is conveyed in connection with any
2 primary road or state park or institutional road, written conveyances
3 containing the conditions as prescribed by the executive council shall
4 be made in the name of the state and signed by the governor and sec-
5 retary of state, and the seal of the state of Iowa attached thereto.
6 Where such easement is conveyed in connection with any secondary
7 road, written conveyances containing the provisions prescribed by the
8 board of supervisors shall be made in the name of the county and
9 signed by the chairman of the board and the county auditor.

Approved May 2, 1963.

CHAPTER 184

HIGHWAY ACCESS RIGHTS

S. F. 440

AN ACT relating to controlled-access highways and resolutions filed by the state highway commission in relation thereto.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section three hundred six A point five (306A.5), Code
2 1962, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following:
3 "No access rights to any highway shall be acquired by any author-
4 ity having jurisdiction and control over the highways of this state by
5 adverse possession or prescriptive right. No action heretofore or
6 hereafter taken by any such authority shall form the basis for any
7 claim of adverse possession of, or prescriptive right to any access
8 rights by any such authority."

Approved June 4, 1963.