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## CHAPTER 323

### GRAND JURY

H. F. 362

AN ACT relating to the grand jury.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section six hundred nine point twenty-seven (609.27),
- 2 Code 1962, is hereby amended by striking all of such section after the
- 3 word "township." in line seven (7) and inserting in lieu thereof the
- 4 following:
- 5 "In townships containing more than sixty thousand (60,000) popu-
- 6 lation, two (2) grand jurors may be drawn from said township."

Approved April 23, 1963.

## CHAPTER 324

### ACTIONS AGAINST HIGHWAY COMMISSION

S. F. 148

AN ACT to waive immunity of the state of Iowa from any action at law or in equity brought to enforce, or to determine a controversy rising out of any contract in which the Iowa state highway commission is a party and to prescribe the venue, the manner of service of notice thereof and the time limitation for instituting action.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The state of Iowa hereby waives immunity from suit
- 2 and consents to the jurisdiction of any court in which an action is
- 3 brought against the Iowa state highway commission respecting any
- 4 claim, right, or controversy arising out of the work performed, or by
- 5 virtue of the provisions of any construction contract entered into by
- 6 the Iowa state highway commission. Such action shall be heard and
- 7 determined pursuant to rules otherwise applicable to civil actions
- 8 brought in the particular court having jurisdiction of the suit and the
- 9 parties to the suit shall have the right of appeal from any judgment,
- 10 decree, or decision of the trial court to the appropriate appellate court
- 11 under applicable rules of appeal.

- 1 SEC. 2. Any such action shall name the Iowa state highway com-
- 2 mission as defendant and the venue for trial shall be in the county, or
- 3 in the federal court district, where all or part of the construction work
- 4 was performed.