

## CHAPTER 134

## COUNTY CONSERVATION BOARDS

H. F. 249

AN ACT relating to the bonding authority of the county conservation boards.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section one hundred eleven A point six (111A.6),  
2 Code 1962, is hereby amended by striking from lines forty-eight (48),  
3 and forty-nine (49) the words "having a population in excess of  
4 ninety thousand".

Approved May 14, 1965.

## CHAPTER 135

## STATE PRESERVES

S. F. 475

AN ACT to establish a system of state preserves and to provide for the control and management of same.

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

1 SECTION 1. As used in this Act:

2 "Area" means an area of land or water or both land and water.

3 "Preserve" means an area of land or water formally dedicated under  
4 the provisions of this Act for maintenance as nearly as possible in its  
5 natural condition though it need not be completely primeval in char-  
6 acter at the time of dedication or an area which has unusual flora,  
7 fauna, geological, archeological, scenic or historical features of sci-  
8 entific or educational value.

9 "Dedication" means the allocation of an area as a preserve by a  
10 public administrative agency or by a private owner by written stipu-  
11 lation in a form approved by the state advisory board for preserves.

12 "Board" means the state advisory board for preserves established by  
13 this Act.

1 SEC. 2. There is hereby created a state system of preserves and a  
2 state advisory board for preserves.

1 SEC. 3. The board shall be composed of seven (7) members, six  
2 (6) of which shall be appointed by the governor. The state conserva-  
3 tion commission, the conservation committee of the Iowa academy of  
4 science, and the state historical society shall submit to the governor a  
5 list of possible appointments. Members shall be selected from persons  
6 with a demonstrated interest in the preservation of natural lands and  
7 waters, and historic sites. The director of the state conservation com-  
8 mission shall serve as one (1) member of the board. Any vacancies on  
9 the board shall be filled, for the remainder of the term vacated, by ap-  
10 pointment by the governor provided by this Act.

11 The first members appointed after the effective date of this Act shall  
12 serve as follows: two (2) members to serve until July 1, 1968; two