

13 this chapter or chapter 514 with respect of any hospital or medical  
 14 service plan; and may contract with a health maintenance organization  
 15 authorized to operate in this state with respect to health maintenance  
 16 organization activities.

1 SEC. 36. **Effective date.** The provisions of this Act shall become  
 2 effective January 1, 1974.

Approved May 25, 1973.

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## CHAPTER 275

### INTEREST ON JUDGMENTS AND DECREES

S. F. 9

AN ACT relating to the interest rates on judgments and decrees.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section five hundred thirty-five point three (535.3),  
 2 Code 1973, is amended as follows:  
 3 535.3 **Interest on judgments and decrees.** Interest shall be allowed  
 4 on all money due on judgments and decrees of courts at the rate of  
 5 ~~five~~ seven cents on the hundred by the year, unless a different rate is  
 6 fixed by the contract on which the judgment or decree is rendered, in  
 7 which case the judgment or decree shall draw interest at the rate ex-  
 8 pressed in the contract, not exceeding the maximum applicable rate  
 9 permitted by the provisions of section 535.2, which rate must be ex-  
 10 pressed in the judgment or decree.

1 SEC. 2. **NEW SECTION.** The provisions of this Act shall not ap-  
 2 ply to judgments rendered or decrees entered of record prior to the  
 3 effective date of this Act.

Approved February 26, 1973.

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## CHAPTER 276

### GRAIN DEALERS LICENSES

H. F. 383

AN ACT relating to the licensing and regulating of grain dealers and providing penal-  
 ties.

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

1 SECTION 1. **NEW SECTION. Definitions.** As used in this Act, un-  
 2 less the context otherwise requires:  
 3 1. "Commission" means the Iowa state commerce commission.  
 4 2. "Grain" means any grain for which the United States depart-  
 5 ment of agriculture has established standards including, but not lim-  
 6 ited to, corn, wheat, oats, soybeans, rye, barley, grain sorghum, flax-  
 7 seeds, sunflower seed, speltz, and field peas.  
 8 3. "Grain dealer" shall mean any person who is engaged in the