

8 3. Implement programs of professional education and training of medical  
9 students, physicians, nurses, scientists and technicians in the causes, methods of  
10 treatment, prevention and cure of birth defects.

11 4. Conduct and support clinical counseling services in medical facilities.

1 SEC. 4. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state for the fiscal  
2 year beginning July 1, 1976 and ending June 30, 1977 the sum of eighty-five  
3 thousand three hundred eighty-eight (85,388) dollars, or so much thereof as is  
4 necessary, to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Approved May 7, 1976

## CHAPTER 1110

### RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL—INTERAGENCY COUNCIL

H. F. 1281

AN ACT creating an interagency coordinating council on radiation safety and prescribing its powers and duties.

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

1 SECTION 1. NEW SECTION. **Definitions.** For purposes of this Act, unless the  
2 context otherwise requires, "council" means the interagency coordinating council  
3 on radiation safety created in section two (2) of this Act.

1 SEC. 2. NEW SECTION. **Council created.** There is created an interagency  
2 coordinating council on radiation safety which shall be composed of the chief  
3 executive or a designee of each of the following state agencies:

- 4 1. Department of environmental quality.
- 5 2. State department of health.
- 6 3. State department of transportation.
- 7 4. Department of agriculture.
- 8 5. Department of public defense.
- 9 6. Department of public safety.
- 10 7. State conservation commission.
- 11 8. Bureau of labor.

12 Each member of the council shall be entitled to one vote. The Iowa representative  
13 to the midwest nuclear compact shall be an ex-officio, nonvoting member of the  
14 council.

1 SEC. 3. NEW SECTION. **Meetings—officers.** The council shall convene  
2 annually in July to elect from among its membership a chairperson and a vice  
3 chairperson and carry out any other business, and shall meet at least quarterly  
4 thereafter.

1 SEC. 4. NEW SECTION. **Duties.** The council shall:

- 2 1. Develop a state radiation safety program plan which shall be updated  
3 annually and submitted to the general assembly by February first of each year.
- 4 2. Evaluate and coordinate radiation related activities of each member agency.
- 5 3. Review radiation safety rules proposed or promulgated by member agencies.
- 6 4. Collect and compile member agency's budget totals for radiation related  
7 activities for inclusion in the state radiation safety program plan.

1 SEC. 5. NEW SECTION. **Advisory committees.** The council shall establish a  
2 standing advisory committee composed of users and manufacturers of radioactive

3 material or radiation producing equipment, representatives of the general public  
 4 and such other persons or group representatives as the council deems appropriate.  
 5 The council may establish other ad hoc advisory committees to provide assistance  
 6 in the development of a state plan and on other issues where extra-governmental  
 7 technical expertise is required. The chairperson may appoint such subcommittees  
 8 of council members as are deemed necessary to accomplish the purposes of this  
 9 Act.

1 SEC. 6. NEW SECTION. **Staff assistance.** The state hygienic laboratory shall  
 2 cooperate with the council in providing program coordination and staff support  
 3 pursuant to the provisions of chapter twenty-eight D (28D) of the Code. The  
 4 council may request staff assistance from other state agencies and institutions  
 5 pursuant to chapter twenty-eight D (28D) of the Code.

Approved May 13, 1976

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## CHAPTER 1111

### SEX CHANGE ON BIRTH CERTIFICATE

H. F. 798

AN ACT to provide for change of sex on birth certificates.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section one hundred forty-four point twenty-three (144.23), Code  
 2 1975, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. A notarized affidavit by a licensed physician and surgeon  
 4 or osteopathic physician and surgeon stating that by reason of surgery or other  
 5 treatment by the licensee, the sex designation of the person has been changed.  
 6 The state registrar may make a further investigation or require further  
 7 information necessary to determine whether a sex change has occurred.

1 SEC. 2. Section one hundred forty-four point twenty-four (144.24), Code 1975,  
 2 is amended to read as follows:

3 **144.24 Substituting for original.** When a new certificate of birth is  
 4 established, the actual place and date of birth shall be shown. The certificate shall  
 5 be substituted for the original certificate of birth. Thereafter, the original  
 6 certificate and the evidence of adoption, paternity, ~~or~~ legitimation, or sex change  
 7 shall not be subject to inspection except under order of a court of competent  
 8 jurisdiction or as provided by regulation for statistical or administrative purposes,  
 9 only. Upon receipt of notice of annulment of adoption, the original certificate of  
 10 birth shall be restored to its place in the files and the new certificate and evidence  
 11 shall not be subject to inspection except upon order of a court of competent  
 12 jurisdiction ~~in~~ the district court.

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