

CHAPTER 1180  
COURT RECORDS COMPUTERIZED

H. F. 2501

AN ACT relating to the use of computers for the storage of court records.

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

Section 1. Section six hundred six point seven (606.7), Code 1979, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. The provisions of this section do not prohibit the storage of all the required records on computer, provided the records remain readily accessible.

Sec. 2. Chapter six hundred ninety-two (692), Code 1979, is amended by adding the following new section:

NEW SECTION. DATA TO ARRESTING AGENCY. The clerk of the district court shall forward conviction and disposition data to the criminal justice agency making the arrest within thirty days of final court disposition of the case.

Approved May 17, 1980

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CHAPTER 1181  
JURY LIST INFORMATION

H. F. 715

AN ACT relating to the information to be furnished a jury commission for use in drawing jury lists.

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

Section 1. Section six hundred nine point five (609.5), Code 1979, is amended to read as follows:

609.5 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PROVIDED. For the purpose of aiding the appointive commission in drawing the jury lists, officials of the state and its political subdivisions shall furnish the appointive commission with copies of the current list of registered voters, ~~tax-assessments-lists~~, lists of persons holding motor vehicle operators' licenses, or such other comprehensive lists of persons residing in the county as the commission may request. The clerk of the district court shall also deliver to the

commission a list of all persons who have served as grand or petit jurors since January ± first of the preceding year.

Approved March 28, 1980

CHAPTER 1182  
FALSE CHECKS — ATTORNEY FEES

H. F. 668

AN ACT relating to determination of attorney's fees by the court and the recovery of costs in actions to recover payment on a check, draft, or written instrument which is written in violation of chapter seven hundred fourteen (714) of the Code.

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

Section 1. Section six hundred twenty-five point twenty-two (625.22), Code 1979, is amended to read as follows:

625.22 ATTORNEY'S FEES. When judgment is recovered upon a written contract containing an agreement to pay an attorney's fee, the court shall allow and tax as a part of the costs a reasonable attorney's fee to be determined by the court.

~~1. On the first two hundred dollars or fraction thereof recovered, ten percent.~~

~~2. On the excess of two hundred to five hundred dollars, five percent.~~

~~3. On the excess of five hundred to one thousand dollars, three percent.~~

~~4. On all sums in excess of one thousand dollars, one percent.~~

In an action against the maker to recover payment on a check, draft, or written instrument written in violation of chapter seven hundred fourteen (714) of the Code, the plaintiff, if successful, may recover all court costs incurred, including a reasonable attorney's fee, or an individual's cost of processing a small claims recovery such as lost time and transportation costs from the maker of the check, draft, or written instrument.

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