Sec. 14. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect from and after its publication in the Lake Mills Graphic, a newspaper published in Lake Mills, Iowa, and in The Sheffield Press, a newspaper published in Sheffield, Iowa.

Approved June 15, 1981

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 531, was published in the Lake Mills Graphic, Lake Mills, Iowa on June 24, 1981 and in The Sheffield Press, Sheffield, Iowa on June 25, 1981.

MARY JANE ODELL, Secretary of State

CHAPTER 160 APPLIANCE IGNITION SYSTEMS

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AN ACT providing that manufacturers and nonresident vendors shall not sell pilot lights commencing two years after the commerce commission has certified an alternative ignition device for a gas appliance.

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

Section 1. Section 478A.2, Code 1981, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Notwithstanding the provisions of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section, a person who is engaged in the business of manufacturing, wholesaling or retailing gas appliances equipped with pilot lights may sell or install gas appliances not meeting the requirements of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section after the effective date of this Act subject to the following limitations:

- 1. These gas appliances must be in the possession of the person or stored at a location within this state as of the effective date of this Act.
- 2. The person shall not acquire or manufacture for sale or installation in this state after the effective date of this Act any gas appliances not meeting the requirements of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section.

Approved April 3, 1981