

**CHAPTER 208****APPLE STANDARDS***H.F. 331*

**AN ACT** relating to standards for apples established by the secretary of agriculture, providing for the establishment of fees, and providing penalties.

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

Section 1. **NEW SECTION. 159.32 STANDARDS FOR APPLES.**

1. The secretary may establish standards for apples. The standards shall conform to those established by regulations of the United States department of agriculture pursuant to the federal Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946, as codified in 7 U.S.C. 1621 et seq.

2. The secretary may establish independent standards, including grades or other classifications, of apples. The establishment of independent standards shall be based on a determination that the standards will benefit the apple industry. Independent standards shall be based on factors relating to the condition of the apples, which may relate to the following: maturity, form, ripeness, cleanliness, color, freshness, shape, size, smoothness, or soundness. The independent standards may be based on the following: the care of picking or packing; the level of decay, browning, or freezing; or damage caused by disease, pests, dirt, or other foreign matter, broken skin, bruises, sunburn, or sprayburn. The secretary, before establishing independent standards, shall consult with representatives of interested persons, including producers.

3. The secretary may inspect apples according to the standards, including grades, established pursuant to this section. The secretary may certify that inspected apples comply with the standards. The secretary may set fees necessary for inspection or certification.

4. A person who, for profit or pecuniary advantage, knowingly misrepresents that the apples have been inspected or certified according to the standards established pursuant to this section is guilty of a fraudulent practice as provided in chapter 714.

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**CHAPTER 209****CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES***S.F. 88*

**AN ACT** relating to children, youth, and families, providing for the collection, development, and dissemination of statistical information, eliminating certain requirements for review and reporting by the county board of social welfare, providing for the continued existence of the division of children, youth and families in the department of human rights, and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 15.108, subsection 9, paragraph a, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

a. Collect and assemble, or cause to have collected and assembled, all pertinent information available regarding the industrial, agricultural, and public and private recreation and tourism opportunities and possibilities of the state of Iowa, including raw materials and products that may be produced from them; power and water resources; transportation facilities; available markets; the availability of labor; the banking and financing facilities; the availability of industrial sites; the advantages of the state as a whole, and the particular sections of the state, as industrial locations; the development of a grain alcohol motor fuel industry and its related

products; and other fields of research and study as the board deems necessary. This information, as far as possible, shall consider both the encouragement of new industrial enterprises in the state and the expansion of industries now existing within the state, and allied fields to those industries. The information shall also consider the changing composition of the Iowa family, the level of poverty among different age groups and different family structures in Iowa society, and the changing composition of the Iowa work force and the impact of those changes on Iowa families. The department shall work with the division of children, youth and families of the department of human rights in developing the information relating to the family.

Sec. 2. Section 234.11, unnumbered paragraph 2, Code 1989, is amended by striking the paragraph.

Sec. 3. Section 601K.32, Code 1989, is amended by adding the following new subsection:  
NEW SUBSECTION. 6. Cooperate with the department of economic development in connection with that department's collection, assembly, and dissemination of information on the changing composition of the Iowa family, the level of poverty among different age groups and different family structures in Iowa society, and the changing composition of the Iowa work force and the impact of those changes on Iowa families.

Sec. 4. REPEAL. Section 601K.40, Code 1989, is repealed.

Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act takes effect June 29, 1989.

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## CHAPTER 210

### EDUCATIONAL STANDARDS AND REQUIREMENTS

*S.F. 450*

**AN ACT** relating to educational standards, permitting waiver of student participation in physical education under certain circumstances if the student is participating on an athletic team, and making technical changes.

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

Section 1. Section 256.7, subsection 3, unnumbered paragraph 2, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

By ~~January 1, 1989~~ June 30, 1990, the state board shall adopt rules under chapter 17A that prescribe a process for the appointment and operation of evaluation panels for evaluating the performance of teachers possessing initial certification to determine whether the teachers meet the requirements adopted by the board for progressing to the next certification level.

Sec. 2. Section 256.7, subsection 6, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

6. Hear appeals of persons aggrieved by decisions of boards of directors of school corporations under chapter 290 and other appeals prescribed by law. The state board ~~shall~~ may review the record and shall review the decision of the director of the department of education or the administrative law judge designated by the director in appeals heard and decided by the director under chapter 290, and may affirm, modify, or vacate the decision, or may direct a rehearing before the director.

Sec. 3. Section 256.7, subsection 8, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

8. Develop plans for the approval of teacher preparation programs that incorporate the results of recently completed research and national studies on teaching for the twenty-first century