

Sec. 4. FEES. In setting the fees for real estate broker's licenses and real estate salesperson's licenses pursuant to section 117.27, the real estate commission shall take into account the anticipated costs of implementing this Act and shall increase the fees accordingly.

Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATES. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment for purposes of rulemaking, administrative preparation, and competitive bidding procedures, and on July 1, 1991, for all other purposes.

Approved March 30, 1990

CHAPTER 1127

INJURY TO OR INTERFERENCE WITH A POLICE SERVICE DOG

S.F. 148

AN ACT prohibiting certain actions against police service dogs, and providing penalties.

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

Section 1. NEW SECTION. 717.6 INJURY OR INTERFERENCE WITH A POLICE SERVICE DOG.

1. A person who knowingly, and willfully or maliciously torments, strikes, administers a nonpoisonous desensitizing substance to, or otherwise interferes with a police service dog, without inflicting serious injury on the dog, commits a simple misdemeanor.

2. A person who knowingly, and willfully or maliciously tortures, injures so as to disfigure or disable, kills, or administers poison to a police service dog, commits a serious misdemeanor.

3. As used in this section, "police service dog" means a dog used by a peace officer in the performance of the officer's duties, whether or not the dog is on duty.

4. This section does not apply to a peace officer or veterinarian who terminates the life of such a dog for the purpose of relieving the dog of undue pain or suffering, or to a person who justifiably acts in defense of self or another.

Approved April 3, 1990

CHAPTER 1128

PURPLE HEART REGISTRATION PLATES

H.F. 2338

AN ACT relating to special motor vehicle registration plates for recipients of the purple heart medal.

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

Section 1. Section 321.34, Code Supplement 1989, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 13. PURPLE HEART PLATES. The owner of a motor vehicle subject to registration pursuant to section 321.109, subsection 1, light delivery truck, panel delivery truck, or pickup who was awarded a purple heart medal by the United States government for wounds received in military or naval combat against an armed enemy of the United States,