

**499A.18 HOMESTEAD.**

The ownership of an Each individual apartment shall constitute constitutes a homestead and be is exempt from execution, provided the owner member otherwise qualifies within the laws of the state of Iowa for such exemption.

Sec. 14. Section 499A.19, Code 1991, is amended to read as follows:

**499A.19 ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.**

The directors authorized under this chapter shall be elected by the members of the co-operation cooperative. If one member owns more than one apartment that member may nevertheless have but one vote at such election. If any apartment or room is owned by more than one member they may, nevertheless, have but one vote at such election. The election of officers shall be made by the board of directors. The officers and board of directors may hire a custodian or janitor for reasonable compensation to generally serve and oversee the apartment building. The annual election of the directors shall be held during the month of January of each year, and they shall serve until their successors are elected and qualified.

The board of directors shall elect as officers, a president and, a vice president, a secretary, and a treasurer.

It shall be is the duty of the secretary to keep the records of the co-operation cooperative, and a correct list of the owners and lessees of each apartment members, and all such records shall be submitted to any apartment or room owner member upon demand at any reasonable time.

Sec. 15. Section 499A.20, Code 1991, is amended to read as follows:

**499A.20 TITLE OF ACT.**

This chapter subchapter shall be known and cited as "The Multiple Cooperative Housing Act of 1947."

Sec. 16. The Code editor shall editorially change references to "co-operation" in chapter 499A, not amended in this Act, to "cooperative", as appropriate.

Sec. 17. Sections 499A.5, 499A.6, 499A.12, 499A.13, 499A.15, 499A.16, 499A.17, and 499A.21 are repealed.

Sec. 18. This Act applies to any cooperative organized pursuant to chapter 499A on or after December 1, 1990.

Sec. 19. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, is effective upon enactment.

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**CHAPTER 31****MAXIMUM LENGTH OF VEHICLES AND DRAWBARS**

*H.F. 309*

**AN ACT** relating to maximum lengths of saddle mounted or full mounted power unit combination vehicles and the length of draw bar or other connections on certain towing vehicles.

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

Section 1. Section 321.457, subsection 1, Code 1991, is amended to read as follows:

1. A combination of four vehicles is not allowed on the highways of this state, except for power units saddle mounted on other power units which shall be restricted to a maximum overall length of sixty-five feet unless subject to the maximum length provisions of subsection 3.

Sec. 2. Section 321.457, subsection 3, Code 1991, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

**NEW PARAGRAPH.** f. Power units saddle mounted or full mounted on other power units shall not exceed seventy-five feet in overall length.

Sec. 3. Section 321.461, Code 1991, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

**NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH.** If the towing vehicle is a motor truck and the towed vehicle is a single trailer with a single point of articulation at the hitch connection, the draw bar or other connection shall not exceed twenty-one feet. The length of the draw bar or other connection shall be measured from the centerline of the hitch assembly on the towing vehicle to the front of the body of the towed vehicle. A vehicle which has a drawbar or other connection which measures between fifteen and twenty-one feet in length shall have at least one yellow reflector visible on each vertical face of the drawbar or other connection, located near the midpoint between the towing and the towed vehicle. A vehicle which has a drawbar or other connection which measures between fifteen and twenty-one feet in length shall have affixed to the rear of the towed vehicle a sign indicating that the vehicle is a towed vehicle.

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## CHAPTER 32

### FALSIFICATION OF CERTIFICATES REQUIRED FOR MOVING SWINE

S.F. 53

**AN ACT** relating to certificates required for moving swine, and creating penalties.

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

Section 1. Section 163.1, Code 1991, is amended by adding the following new subsection:  
**NEW SUBSECTION.** 10. Impose civil penalties as provided in this chapter. The department may refer cases for prosecution to the attorney general.

Sec. 2. Section 163.30, subsection 5, Code 1991, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

**NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH.** The department may combine an official health certificate or a veterinarian inspection certificate with a certificate of inspection required under chapter 166D.

Sec. 3. **NEW SECTION.** 163.31 FALSIFICATION OF CERTIFICATES – PENALTY.

A person who falsifies an official health certificate or veterinarian inspection certificate issued pursuant to section 163.30 shall be subject to a civil penalty of not more than five thousand dollars for each reference to a swine falsified on the certificate. However, a person who falsifies a certificate of inspection issued pursuant to chapter 166D shall be subject to a civil penalty as provided in section 166D.16. A person shall not be subject to both penalties. A person shall also not be subject to a civil penalty totaling more than twenty-five thousand dollars for falsifying a certificate, regardless of the number of swine falsified on the certificate.

Sec. 4. Section 166D.16, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1991, is amended to read as follows:

The provisions of this chapter including departmental rules adopted pursuant to this chapter shall be administered and enforced by the department. A person violating a provision of this chapter or any rule adopted pursuant to this chapter shall be subject to a civil penalty of at least one hundred dollars but not more than one thousand dollars. However, a person