## **CHAPTER 1036**

## CONFINEMENT FEEDING OPERATIONS — SWINE FARROWING AND GESTATING OPERATIONS

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AN ACT relating to management of swine, including by providing for biosecurity and development in a farrowing and gestating operation which is part of a confinement feeding operation, and making penalties applicable.

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

- Section 1. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the general assembly to support swine confinement feeding operations maintaining swine as part of a farrowing and gestating operation by improving the biosecurity of the confinement feeding operation which provides for the on-site raising of replacement breeding swine for the confinement feeding operation's sow herd.
- Sec. 2. Section 459.102, subsection 46, paragraph b, Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:
- b. (1) For a confinement feeding operation maintaining swine as part of a farrowing and gestating operation, two thousand five hundred or more animal units.
- (2) In calculating the animal unit capacity of a confinement feeding operation under subparagraph (1), an animal unit does not include replacement breeding swine, if all of the following apply:
  - (a) The replacement breeding swine are raised at the confinement feeding operation.
  - (b) The replacement breeding swine are used in the farrowing and gestating operation.
- (3) The method of calculating animal units under subparagraph (2) shall only be used for purposes of determining whether a confinement feeding operation is a qualified confinement feeding operation subject to section 459.206.

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