

# A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE THE DRAFT HORSE INDUSTRY OF THE STATE OF IOWA,  
AND TO AID IN PROMOTING METHODS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF DRAFT HORSES  
AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Whenever there shall have been filed in the office of the secretary of state for  
2 Iowa, verified proofs of the organization of the Iowa Draft Horse Breeders' Association, to-  
3 gether with proofs that such association has five hundred (500) bona fide members who are  
4 draft horse breeders in this state, together with the names of the president, vice-president, sec-  
5 retary and treasurer, such association shall be recognized as the Iowa Draft Horse Breeders'  
6 Association and be entitled to the benefits of this act.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the Iowa Draft Horse Breeders' Association to aid in the pro-  
2 motion of the draft horse industry of the state and to furnish instruction on the breeding and  
3 raising of draft horses; aid in organizing local associations for promoting colt and stallion  
4 shows, publishing and disseminating information pertaining to horse breeding and manage-  
5 ment, and encouraging the horse breeding interests of the state. The said association shall act  
6 by and through an executive board to be composed of the dean of the division of agriculture  
7 of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts at Ames; professor of animal hus-  
8 bandry at the same institution; secretary of the department of agriculture and the president  
9 and secretary of said Iowa Draft Horse Breeders' Association.

Sec. 3. The executive board may employ one or more competent persons, who shall de-  
2 vote their entire time to carrying out the provisions of this act. Such person or persons  
3 shall hold office at the discretion of the board and shall receive a salary not to exceed eigh-  
4 teen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00) per annum and actual expenses while engaged in carrying  
5 on the work.

Sec. 4. The salaries of all persons employed under the provisions of this act shall be paid  
2 monthly out of the appropriation herein provided, and all traveling expenses and all general  
3 expenses incurred by the said association in carrying out the purposes of this act shall be  
4 paid out of said appropriation and in the manner provided by sections one hundred seventy-d  
5 (170-d), one hundred seventy-e (170-e) and one hundred seventy-f (170-f) of the supplement  
6 to the code, 1907, and upon statements filed with the executive council of the board, under

7 whose authority such expense was incurred, shall have audited and approved the bill in such  
8 manner as the committee shall provide.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act and the payment  
2 of all expenses connected therewith, there is hereby appropriated out of any fund in the  
3 treasury of state, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of seven thousand five hundred dol-  
4 lars (\$7,500.00).

Sec. 6. None of the money appropriated by this act shall be used to pay the salaries or ex-  
2 pense, or used in any manner for the private benefit of any member of the board of said as-  
3 sociation.