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HOUSE FILE 2285

Judiciary & Law Enforcement

By SCHEELHAASE, DOYLE, JUNKER,
CRABB, DANKER and
BINNEBOESE

Passed House, Date 5-1-78 (4.20.78) Passed Senate, Date _____
Vote: Ayes 75 Nays 7 Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____
Approved _____

A BILL FOR

1 An Act to create an Iowa boundary commission.
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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H-6415

- 1 Amend House File 2285 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, line 25, by striking the second word
- 3 "the".
- 4 2. Page 1, by striking line 26 and inserting in
- 5 lieu thereof the following: "Iowa's boundaries and
- 6 problems related to those boundaries".

H-6415 FILED, ADOPTED BY PELTON of Clinton
MAY 1, 1978 *(p. 204)* SCHEELHAASE of Woodbury

1 Section 1. Chapter two (2), Code 1977, is amended by
2 adding the following new section:

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5 shall consist of three members of the senate appointed by
6 the president of the senate and three members of the house
7 of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house.
8 The commission shall select a chairperson and shall meet at
9 the call of the chairperson.

10 2. Members shall be appointed to a term of four years
11 commencing on July first of the year of appointment. Vacancies
12 shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments
13 and shall be for the remainder of the unexpired term of the
14 vacancy. The members of the commission shall be reimbursed
15 for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance
16 of their duties and shall receive forty dollars for each day
17 in which engaged in the performance of such duties. However,
18 such per diem compensation and expenses shall not be paid
19 when the general assembly is actually in session at the seat
20 of government. Per diem and expenses of the commission and
21 its members shall be paid from funds appropriated pursuant
22 to section two point twelve (2.12) of the Code.

23 3. The commission is authorized to meet with appropriate
24 representatives of affected states, agencies of those states
25 and Iowa, and agencies of the United States to discuss the
26 western Iowa boundary and problems related to that boundary
27 and to make periodic reports and recommendations to the general
28 assembly. The commission is authorized to expend reasonable
29 sums for the purchase of maps and other information helpful
30 to its discussions.

31 4. If a proposal is negotiated between Iowa and affected
32 states after meetings authorized under this section, the
33 attorney general of this state shall assist the commission
34 in drafting the necessary documents to be approved by the
35 Iowa general assembly in preparation for the ratification

1 of agreements between Iowa and affected states.

2 Staff assistance for meetings of the commission shall be
3 provided by the legislative service bureau.

4 Sec. 2. For the initial board, the president of the senate
5 and the speaker of the house shall each appoint pursuant to
6 section one (1) of this Act on the effective date of this
7 Act, one member to a two-year term and two members to a four-
8 year term.

9 EXPLANATION

10 The bill creates a Iowa boundary commission composed of
11 three members of the senate and three members of the house
12 of representatives. Terms of four years are provided. The
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Judiciary
Coleman, Chairperson
DeKoster
Redmond

HOUSE FILE 2285

By SCHEELHAASE, DOYLE, JUNKER,
CRABB, DANKER and
BINNEBOESE

(As Amended and Passed by the House)

Passed House, Date 5-12-78 (p. 2593) Passed Senate, Date 5-11-78 (p. 1469)

Vote: Ayes 82 Nays 5 Vote: Ayes 39 Nays 0

Approved June 13 1978

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House Amendments _____

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S-5843

1 Amend House File 2285, as amended, passed and
2 reprinted by the House, as follows:
3 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 30 the follow-
4 ing:
5 " _____. The commission may hold hearings with
6 authority to call witnesses, administer oaths, issue
7 subpoenas, and cite for contempt."
8 2. By numbering and renumbering subsections as
9 necessary in accordance with this amendment.

S-5843 FILED *Adopted 5/11/78 (p. 1469)* BY E. KEVIN KELLY
MAY 9, 1978 *House Journal 5/11/78 (p. 1469)*
(S-2285 not printed)

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DALE M. COCHRAN
Speaker of the House

ARTHUR A. NEU
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 2285, Sixty-seventh General Assembly.

DAVID L. WRAY
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved JUN 13, 1978

ROBERT D. RAY
Governor