Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Drake Richard Francis Senator Drake, Richard Francis - Represented Muscatine County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 29 Sept 1927 Muscatine Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Shirley Jean Henke 30 June 1950

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business

B. Civic responsibilities V.F.W. Elks, Masons, Shriner, American Legion

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership Lutheran

5. Sessions served 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th General Assemblies 1969-1970, 1971-1972; 1973-1974, 1975-1976 House of Representatives 67th, 68th General Assemblies 1977-1978; 1979-1980 - Senate

6. Public Offices

A. Local

B. State

C. National

7. Death

8. Children Rick; Cheryll

9. Names of parents Frank H. and Gladys (Strong) Drake

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10. Education He graduated from Muscatine, Iowa High School, 1945

11. Degrees Attended Iowa State College for 3 years; B.S. of N.S – graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, 1950

12. Other applicable information Republican

– Military service – World War II and Korean War – Lt. Commander in U.S. Navy, commanding Officer of U.S.S. Crow.

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Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
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NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE OR SENATOR Richard Francis Drake

1. BIRTHDATE AND PLACE 28 Sept. 27 Muscatine Iowa

2. MARRIAGE(S) TO WHOM/DATE/PLACE 30 June 1950 Shirley Jan Henke

3. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS

A. BUSINESS General Farming

B. CIVIC DUTIES 18 Legislative Sessions 35 years

C. PROFESSION Farmer

4. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION* Lutheran

5. NUMBER OF LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS SERVED 17 35 years

6. PUBLIC OFFICES HELD

A. LOCAL

B. STATE State Rep. 8 yrs
State Senate 27 yrs

C. NATIONAL

7. CHILDREN 2 grandchildren 6

8. NAMES OF PARENTS Frank F. Drake Gladys Young

*Optional information

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