AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP DEPARTMENT[21]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 163.1(1), the Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship hereby amends Chapter 64, "Infectious and Contagious Diseases," Iowa Administrative Code.

The amendment provides that the Department will determine the disposal method for an animal affected with glanders instead of requiring immediate burning.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin as **ARC 2517C** on April 27, 2016. No comments were received from the public. The adopted amendment is identical to the noticed amendment.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no adverse impact on jobs has been found.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code section 163.1.

This amendment will become effective July 27, 2016.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend rule 21—64.11(163) as follows:

21—64.11(163) Disposal of diseased animal. Whenever any animal affected with glanders dies or is destroyed the carcass of such animal shall be burned immediately disposed of as determined by the department.

As glanders is transmissible to human beings great care must be exercised in handling diseased animals or carcasses.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 163.1.

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