

CHAPTER 1101

FAILURE TO OBEY SCHOOL BUS WARNING DEVICES – PROCEDURES

H.F. 2119

AN ACT relating to violations involving disobedience of the warning lamps, signal lamps, and stop arms of school buses.

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

Section 1. Section 321.372A, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

321.372A PROMPT INVESTIGATION OF REPORTED VIOLATION OF FAILING TO OBEY SCHOOL BUS WARNING DEVICES.

The driver of a school bus who observes a violation of section 321.372, subsection 3, may prepare a written report on a form provided by the department of public safety indicating that a violation has occurred. The school bus driver or a school official may deliver the report not more than ~~twenty-four~~ seventy-two hours after the violation occurred to a peace officer of the state or a peace officer of the county or municipality in which the violation occurred. The report shall state the time and the location at which the violation occurred and shall include the registration plate number and a description of the vehicle involved in the violation.

Not more than ~~forty-eight~~ hours seven calendar days after receiving a report of a violation of section 321.372, subsection 3, from a school bus driver or a school official, the peace officer shall ~~investigate~~ initiate an investigation of the reported violation and contact the owner of the motor vehicle involved in the reported violation and request that the owner supply information identifying the driver in accordance with section 321.484. If, from the investigation, the peace officer is able to identify the driver and has reasonable cause to believe a violation of section 321.372, subsection 3, has occurred, the peace officer shall prepare a uniform traffic citation for the violation and shall ~~personally~~ serve it upon personally or by certified mail to the driver of the vehicle.

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CHAPTER 1102

SNOW ROUTE PARKING VIOLATIONS

H.F. 2143

AN ACT regulating the parking of motor vehicles on snow routes, and providing a penalty.

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

Section 1. Section 321.236, subsection 1, unnumbered paragraph 2 and paragraph a, Code 1989, are amended to read as follows:

Parking meter, and snow route, and overtime parking violations which are denied shall be charged and proceed before a court the same as other traffic violations and court costs shall be assessed as provided in section 805.6, subsection 1, paragraph "a" for parking violation cases. Parking violations which are admitted:

a. May be charged and collected upon a simple notice of a fine ~~not exceeding five dollars~~ payable to the city clerk or clerk of the district court, if authorized by ordinance. The fine shall not exceed five dollars except for snow route parking violations in which case the fine shall not exceed twenty-five dollars. No costs or other charges shall be assessed. All fines collected by a city pursuant to this paragraph shall be retained by the city and all fines collected by a county pursuant to this paragraph shall be retained by the county.

Sec. 2. Section 805.8, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code Supplement 1989, is amended to read as follows:

a. For parking violations under sections 321.236, 321.239, 321.358, 321.360, and 321.361, the scheduled fine is five dollars. However, violations charged by a city or county upon simple notice of a fine instead of a uniform citation and complaint as permitted by section 321.236, subsection 1, paragraph "a", are not scheduled violations, and this section shall not apply to any offense charged in that manner. For a parking violation under section 111.38 or 321.362 the scheduled fine is ten dollars.

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CHAPTER 1103

PUBLIC UTILITY RATE AUTOMATIC ADJUSTMENTS

H.F. 2238

AN ACT eliminating the requirement of zero balancing of automatic adjustments in the rates and charges of public utility service.

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

Section 1. Section 476.6, subsection 11, unnumbered paragraph 2, Code Supplement 1989, is amended by striking the paragraph.

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CHAPTER 1104

REGULATION OF BEEKEEPING

H.F. 2250

AN ACT relating to the importation of bees and bee-related items, increasing certain fees, and providing penalties.

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

Section 1. **NEW SECTION. 160.1A DEFINITIONS.**

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

1. "Apiary" means a place where one or more bee colonies are maintained.
2. "Appliance" means any equipment, structure, or container used to house bees.
3. "Bee" means a honeybee belonging to the genus *apis*.
4. "Colony" means a queen bee and more than one worker bee located on beeswax combs and enclosed in a container.

Sec. 2. Section 160.2, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

160.2 DUTIES.

The apiarist shall give lectures and demonstrations in the state on the production of honey, the care of the apiary, the marketing of honey, and upon other kindred subjects relative to the care of bees and the profitable production of honey; shall examine the bees, combs, and beekeeping appliances in any locality which the apiarist may suspect of being affected African