- a. Notification or registration with a chief law enforcement officer under section 80A.3A.
- b. Licensing requirements for bail enforcement businesses and bail enforcement agents under chapter 80A.
- 2. A person other than a certified peace officer shall not be authorized to apprehend, detain, or arrest a principal on a bail bond, wherever issued, unless one of the following applies:
- a. The person is a bail enforcement agent licensed under chapter 80A and has notified the chief law enforcement officer under section 80A.3A.
- b. The person is a bail enforcement agent licensed under the laws of another state and has registered with the chief law enforcement officer under section 80A.3A.
- c. The person is a bail enforcement agent from a state that does not license such businesses who has registered with the chief law enforcement officer under section 80A.3A.
- Sec. 14. IMPLEMENTATION OF ACT. Section 25B.2, subsection 3, shall not apply to this Act.

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CHAPTER 1150

REAL ESTATE TITLES INVOLVING BANKRUPTCY

S.F. 2378

AN ACT relating to real estate titles involving bankruptcy.

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

Section 1. NEW SECTION. 626C.1 DEFINITION.

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires, "bankruptcy transcript" means a document or documents certified by the clerk or deputy clerk of any United States bankruptcy court as being true and correct copies of documents on file with the United States bankruptcy court of any district in the United States which is entitled to full faith and credit in this state. "Bankruptcy transcript" includes a bankruptcy court clerk's certificate of the proceedings that have transpired in a bankruptcy as is necessary to satisfy all applicable title standards of this state.

Sec. 2. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. 626C.2 FILING AND STATUS OF BANKRUPTCY TRANSCRIPTS.

A bankruptcy transcript authenticated in accordance with an Act of Congress or the statutes of the state may be filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of a county in which real estate affected by the bankruptcy is located.

- Sec. 3. NEW SECTION. 626C.3 NOTICE OF FILING.
- 1. At the time of the filing of the bankruptcy transcript, the person filing the transcript shall make and file with the clerk of the district court an affidavit setting forth the name and last known post office address of the owner of the affected real estate and of the person filing the bankruptcy transcript.
- 2. Within three business days upon the filing of the bankruptcy transcript and the affidavit as provided in subsection 1, the clerk shall mail notice of the filing of the bankruptcy transcript to the owner of the affected real estate at the address given and shall make a note of the mailing in the docket. The notice shall include the name and post office address of the person filing the bankruptcy transcript and the attorney for that person, if any, in this state.

Sec. 4. NEW SECTION. 626C.4 STAY.

- 1. If the real estate owner files an application for stay within twenty days of the date of mailing the notice of filing the bankruptcy transcript by the clerk with the district court in which the bankruptcy transcript is filed that an appeal from any portion of the bankruptcy transcript is pending or will be taken, or that a stay of execution has been granted, the court shall stay the effect of the bankruptcy transcript until the appeal is concluded, the time for appeal expires, or the stay of execution expires or is vacated.
- 2. The district court for the county in which the bankruptcy transcript is filed has no jurisdiction to stay the effects of the bankruptcy transcript either as initially filed or as amended if the transcript contains a certificate by the clerk of the bankruptcy court of any of the following:
- a. The order affecting real estate has not been appealed and the time for filing an appeal has expired.
- b. The order affecting real estate has been appealed and the order has been affirmed on appeal and is not further appealable.
- c. An appeal from the order affecting real estate has been filed and no stay from that order has been granted by the bankruptcy court to the appealing party.
- 3. An amendment to the bankruptcy transcript demonstrating the finality of the bankruptcy court proceedings shall terminate any jurisdiction of the district court to stay the effects of the bankruptcy transcript.

Sec. 5. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. 626C.5 AMENDMENT.

A bankruptcy transcript may be amended as necessary to clear title to all real estate located in the county of filing which is affected by any bankruptcy without payment of any additional fee.

Sec. 6. NEW SECTION. 626C.6 FEE.

For filing a bankruptcy transcript, the clerk shall collect a fee in the amount collected for filing and docketing a petition under section 602.8105, subsection 1, paragraph "a".

Sec. 7. NEW SECTION. 626C.7 OPTIONAL PROCEDURE.

The right of a party in interest or the owner of real estate to record all documents necessary to clear title to real estate involved in a bankruptcy case, instead of proceeding under this chapter, remains unimpaired.

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CHAPTER 1151

PRICE REGULATION FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES PROVIDERS S.F. 2380

AN ACT relating to the election of a local exchange carrier to be price-regulated.

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

Section 1. Section 476.97, subsection 2, Code 1997, is amended to read as follows:

2. The board, after notice and opportunity for hearing, may approve, modify, or reject the plan. The board shall approve, modify, or reject the plan by no later than ninety days after the date the plan is filed. The local exchange carrier shall have ten days to accept or reject any board modifications to its plan. If the local exchange carrier rejects a modification to its