

4. Staffing for the committee shall be jointly provided by the department of economic development and the state department of transportation.

5. The committee shall submit a report to the general assembly by September 1, 2000. The report shall, at a minimum, include the committee's findings and recommendations on the air service issues identified in this Act.

Sec. 3. FINANCIAL INVESTMENT AND ASSISTANCE FOR AVIATION. The general assembly finds that a substantial economic benefit can be achieved for the citizens of the state through competitive passenger and cargo service markets and that public savings and additional economic development opportunities warrant the attention of the state.

Sec. 4. ISSUE REVIEW. The joint appropriations subcommittee on transportation, infrastructure and capitals shall review existing and potential new funding streams for airports.

Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

Approved May 11, 2000

CHAPTER 1183

VETERINARY PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS

S.F. 419

AN ACT applying certain veterinary practice requirements to persons providing veterinary medical services, owning a veterinary clinic, or practicing veterinary medicine.

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

Section 1. Section 169.5, Code 1999,¹ is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 10. A person who provides veterinary medical services, owns a veterinary clinic, or practices in this state shall obtain a certificate from the board and be subject to the same standards of conduct, as provided in this chapter and rules adopted by the board, as apply to a licensed veterinarian, unless the board determines that the same standards of conduct are inapplicable. The board shall issue, renew, or deny a certificate; adopt rules relating to the standards of conduct; and take disciplinary action against the person, including suspension or revocation of a certificate, in accordance with the procedures established in section 169.14. Certification fees shall be established by the board pursuant to section 169.5, subsection 9, paragraph "j". Fees shall be established in an amount sufficient to fully offset the costs of certification pursuant to this subsection. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2002, the department shall retain fees collected to administer the program of certifying veterinary clinics and the fees retained are appropriated to the department for the purposes of this subsection. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2002, notwithstanding section 8.33, fees which remain unexpended at the end of the fiscal year shall not revert to the general fund of the state but shall be available for use for the following fiscal year to administer the program. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2002, and succeeding fiscal years, certification fees shall be deposited in the general fund of the state and are appropriated to the department to administer the certification provisions of this subsection. This subsection shall not apply to an animal shelter, as defined in section 162.2, that provides veterinary medical services to animals in the custody of the shelter.

¹ Code Supplement 1999 probably intended

Sec. 2. **CERTIFICATION PROGRAM REPORT.** The board of veterinary medicine shall, prior to the implementation of the veterinary clinic certification program pursuant to section 1 of this Act, submit a report to the general assembly prior to January 1, 2001, regarding the status of the board's development of the certification program. The report shall include the criteria to be used for certification, the methods and procedures to be used in the certification process, the anticipated cost of operating the certification program, the estimated certification fee to be charged each clinic, and the general manner of implementation of the program.

Sec. 3. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** Section 1 of this Act, amending section 169.5, takes effect July 1, 2001.

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CHAPTER 1184

REMEDIATION OF AGRICHEMICAL SITES

S.F. 466

AN ACT relating to the remediation of agrichemical sites, and establishing a fund.

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

Section 1. **NEW SECTION.** 161.1 TITLE.

This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Iowa Agrichemical Remediation Act".

Sec. 2. **NEW SECTION.** 161.2 DEFINITIONS.

1. "Action level" means the same as defined in section 455B.602.
2. "Active site cleanup" means the same as defined in section 455B.602.
3. "Agrichemical" means a fertilizer or pesticide.
4. "Board" means the agrichemical remediation reimbursement board¹ created under section 161.3.
5. "Contaminated site" means the same as defined in section 455B.602.
6. "Contamination" means the same as defined in section 455B.602.
7. "Department" means the department of agriculture and land stewardship.
8. "Fertilizer" means a fertilizer or soil conditioner as defined in section 200.3.
9. "Fertilizer site" means a place where containers used for storing or mixing a fertilizer,² if any of the following applies:
 - a. The container holds one thousand gallons or more of a liquid fertilizer or one thousand pounds or more of a dry fertilizer.
 - b. The container is in the process of being transported.
10. "Fund" means the agrichemical remediation fund created under section 161.8.
11. "Passive site cleanup" means the same as defined in section 455B.602.
12. "Pesticide" means a pesticide as defined in section 206.2.
13. "Pesticide site" means a place where a container used for storing or mixing a pesticide is located, if any of the following applies:
 - a. The container holds fifty gallons or more of a liquid pesticide or two hundred pounds or more of a dry pesticide.
 - b. The container is in the process of being transported.
14. "Prohibited release" means the same as defined in section 455B.602.
15. "Remediation" means the same as defined in section 455B.602.

¹ Agrichemical remediation board probably intended

² According to enrolled Act