

for the current tax year. The department shall utilize the estimated replacement tax liability as reported by the taxpayer or the taxpayer's prior year's replacement tax amounts to estimate the current tax year's taxable value for that property. Furthermore, a taxpayer who has a new major addition of operating property which is put into service for the first time in the current calendar year shall report to the director by October 1 of the current calendar year, or at the time the major addition is put into service, whichever time is later, on forms prescribed by the director, the cost of the major addition and, if not previously reported, shall report the estimated replacement taxes which that asset will generate in the current calendar year. For the purposes of computing the taxable value of property in a taxing district, the taxing district's share of the estimated replacement tax liability shall be the taxing district's percentage share of the "assessed value allocated by property tax equivalent" multiplied by the total estimated replacement tax. "Assessed value allocated by property tax equivalent" shall be determined by dividing the taxpayer's current year assessed valuation in a taxing district by one thousand, and then multiplying by the prior year's consolidated tax rate.

Sec. 11. EFFECTIVE DATE AND RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment and applies retroactively to January 1, 2010, for tax years beginning on or after that date.

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CHAPTER 1162

ENVIRONMENTALLY PREFERABLE CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE POLICY FOR STATE AND PUBLIC EDUCATION FACILITIES

H.F. 823

AN ACT requiring public schools, community colleges, institutions under the control of the state board of regents, and state agencies to comply with an environmentally preferable cleaning and maintenance policy unless specified conditions for noncompliance are satisfied.

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

Section 1. NEW SECTION. 8A.318 **Building cleaning and maintenance — environmentally preferable cleaning products.**

1. *Findings and intent.* The general assembly finds that human beings are vulnerable to and may be severely affected by exposure to chemicals, hazardous waste, and other environmental hazards. The federal environmental protection agency estimates that human exposure to indoor air pollutants can be two to five times, and up to one hundred times, higher than outdoor levels. Children, teachers, janitors, and other staff members spend a significant amount of time inside school buildings. Likewise, state employees and citizens of this state spend a significant amount of time inside state buildings. These individuals are continuously exposed to chemicals from cleaners, waxes, deodorizers, and other maintenance products.

2. *Definitions.* As used in this section, unless the context otherwise requires:

a. "Environmentally preferable cleaning and maintenance products" includes but is not limited to cleaning and maintenance products identified by the department and posted on the department's internet site.

b. "State building" means a public facility or building owned by or leased by the state, or an agency or department of the state.

3. *Use of environmentally preferable cleaning and maintenance products.*

a. All school districts in this state, community colleges, institutions under the control of the state board of regents, and state agencies utilizing state buildings, are encouraged to conform

to an environmentally preferable cleaning policy designed to facilitate the purchase and use of environmentally preferable cleaning and maintenance products for purposes of public school, community college, regents institution, and state building cleaning and maintenance.

b. Each school district, community college, institution under the control of the state board of regents, or state agency utilizing public buildings shall conduct an evaluation and assessment regarding implementation of an environmentally preferable cleaning policy pursuant to this section. On or after July 1, 2012, all state agencies, and all school districts, community colleges, and institutions under the control of the state board of regents which have not opted out of compliance pursuant to paragraph “c”, shall purchase only cleaning and maintenance products identified by the department or that meet nationally recognized standards. School districts, community colleges, institutions under the control of the state board of regents, and state agencies procuring supplies for schools and state buildings may deplete their existing cleaning and maintenance supply stocks and implement the new requirements in the procurement cycle for the following year. This section shall not be interpreted in a manner that prohibits the use of disinfectants, disinfecting cleaners, sanitizers, or any other antimicrobial product regulated by the federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, 7 U.S.C. § 136 et seq., when necessary to protect public health and provided that the use of these products is in accordance with responsible cleaning procedure requirements.

c. A school district, community college, or institution under the control of the state board of regents may, based upon the evaluation and assessment conducted pursuant to paragraph “b”, opt out of compliance with the requirements of this section, upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the board of directors of the school district or a determination by the president of the community college or by the president or administrative officer of the regents institution. A school district, community college, or regents institution opting out of compliance pursuant to this paragraph shall notify the department of education, the state board for community colleges, or the state board of regents, respectively, of this decision.

4. *Information requirements — department internet site.* The department shall provide information on the department’s internet site regarding environmentally preferable cleaning and maintenance products used by the department. The department may also provide information regarding other cleaning and maintenance products that the department is aware of that meet nationally recognized standards. Information shall also be provided, at the discretion of the department, regarding the nationally recognized standards and the entity establishing the standards.

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CHAPTER 1163

PUBLIC HEALTH REGULATION — MISCELLANEOUS CHANGES

H.F. 2284

AN ACT relating to various activities regulated and programs administered by the department of public health, including fetal death certification, and optometry, cosmetology, and barbering licensure.

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

Section 1. Section 144.31, Code 2009, is amended to read as follows:

144.31 Medical certification — fetal death.

1. The medical certification for a fetal death shall be completed within ~~twenty-four~~ seventy-two hours after delivery by the physician in attendance at or after delivery except when inquiry is required by the county medical examiner.