CHAPTER 71

FELONY STALKING — BAIL H.F. 296

AN ACT to restrict the posting of bond for the offense of felony stalking.

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

Section 1. Section 811.1, subsection 3, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

3. Notwithstanding subsections 1 and 2, a defendant awaiting judgment of conviction and sentencing following either a plea or verdict of guilty of, or appealing a conviction of, any felony offense included in section 708.11, subsection 3 or a felony offense under chapter 124 not provided for in subsection 1 or 2 is presumed to be ineligible to be admitted to bail unless the court determines that such release reasonably will not result in the person failing to appear as required and will not jeopardize the personal safety of another person or persons.

Approved April 27, 1999

CHAPTER 72

AGRICULTURAL DRAINAGE WELLS — CLOSING DEADLINE H.F. 339

AN ACT extending the deadline for closing agricultural drainage wells and making penalties applicable.

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

Section 1. Section 455I.3, subsection 1, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

1. Not later than December 31, 1999 2001, the owner of land which is within a designated agricultural drainage well area shall close each agricultural drainage well located on the land. The owner shall close the agricultural drainage well in a manner using materials and according to specifications required by rules which shall be adopted by the department in consultation with the division. The department may provide different closing requirements based on classifications established by the department. However, the department's requirements shall ensure that an agricultural drainage well is closed by using sealing materials such as bentonite to permanently seal the agricultural drainage well from contamination by surface or subsurface water drainage.

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