

**701—40.59(422) Exemption of payments received by a beneficiary from an annuity purchased under an employee's retirement plan when the installment has been included as part of a decedent employee's estate.** All payments received on or after July 1, 2002, by a beneficiary of a deceased pensioner or annuitant are exempt from Iowa income tax to the extent the payments are from an annuity purchased under an employee's pension or retirement plan when the commuted value of the installments has been included as a part of the decedent employee's estate for Iowa inheritance tax purposes. Thus, a lump sum payment received by a beneficiary from an annuity purchased under an employee's pension or retirement plan is exempt from Iowa income tax to the extent the commuted value of the annuity was included as part of the decedent employee's estate for Iowa inheritance tax purposes. Under prior law, only installment payments of an annuity received by a beneficiary were exempt from Iowa income tax if the commuted value of the installments had been included as part of the decedent employee's estate for Iowa inheritance tax purposes.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 422.7 as amended by 2002 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2305.