

7—2505.2(17A,22) Statement of policy. The purpose of this chapter is to facilitate broad public access to public records. The chapter also seeks to facilitate sound agency determinations with respect to the handling of confidential records and the implementation of the fair information practices Act. This agency is committed to the policies set forth in Iowa Code chapter 22; agency staff are obligated to cooperate with members of the public in implementing the provisions of that chapter. To the extent an exemption to the release of a requested public record exists in the Iowa Code, whether based on confidentiality or otherwise, the Iowa Code provision governs. To the extent the Iowa Code does not exempt the release of such a record, the administrative rules govern.

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