Senate File 510 S-3199 1 Amend Senate File 510 as follows: 2 1. Page 92, after line 28 by inserting: 3 <DIVISION 4 HATE CRIMES Sec. . NEW SECTION. 718A.1B Intimidation 5 6 by desecration of flag or insignia in violation of 7 individual rights. For the purposes of this section, *"intimidation* 8 9 by desecration of flag or insignia in violation of 10 individual rights means a violation of section 718A.1A 11 with intent to intimidate a person on the basis of that 12 person's veteran status or on the basis of a person's 13 association with a veteran, and shall be classified as 14 a hate crime as defined in section 729A.2. A person 15 who commits intimidation by desecration of flag or 16 insignia in violation of individual rights is guilty of 17 a simple misdemeanor. 18 Sec. . Section 729A.1, Code 2015, is amended to 19 read as follows: 729A.1 Violations of an individual's rights 20 21 prohibited. 1. Persons within the state of Iowa have the right 22 23 to  $\overline{be}$  free from any violence, or intimidation by 24 threat of violence, committed against their persons 25 or property because of their race, color, religion, 26 ancestry, national origin, political affiliation, sex, 27 sexual orientation, age, or disability. 2. Persons within the state of Iowa have the 28 29 right to be free from any violence or intimidation 30 committed against their persons or property because 31 of their veteran status or on the basis of a person's 32 association with a veteran. 33 . Section 729A.2, unnumbered paragraph 1, Sec. 34 Code 2015, is amended to read as follows: 35 "Hate crime" means one of the following public 36 offenses when committed against a person or a person's 37 property because of the person's race, color, religion, 38 ancestry, national origin, political affiliation, sex, 39 sexual orientation, age, veteran status, or disability, 40 or the person's association with a person of a certain 41 race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, 42 political affiliation, sex, sexual orientation, age, 43 veteran status, or disability: 44 Sec. . Section 729A.2, Code 2015, is amended by 45 adding the following new subsection: 46 NEW SUBSECTION. 5. Intimidation by desecration 47 of flag or insignia in violation of individual rights 48 under section 718A.1B.> 49 2. By renumbering as necessary.

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