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April 14, 2003

The Honorable Chester Culver
Secretary of State
State Capitol Building
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

House File 85, an Act relating to tip-up fishing in the waters of the Missouri and Big Sioux Rivers and subjecting violators to an existing penalty.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Vilsack".

Thomas J. Vilsack
Governor

TJV:jmc

cc: Secretary of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House





HOUSE FILE 85

AN ACT

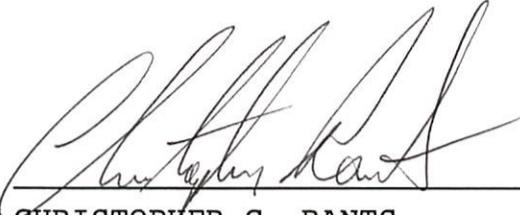
RELATING TO TIP-UP FISHING IN THE WATERS OF THE MISSOURI
AND BIG SIOUX RIVERS AND SUBJECTING VIOLATORS TO AN EXISTING
PENALTY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 481A.68, subsection 2, Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:

2. A person shall not use more than three tip-up fishing devices for fishing in the waters of the Mississippi river, the Missouri river, and the Big Sioux river, and its their connected ~~backwater~~ backwaters. A person may use two or three hooks on the same line, but the total number of hooks used by each person shall not exceed three. Each tip-up fishing device used in fishing shall have attached a tag plainly labeled with the owner's name and address. A person shall not use a tip-up fishing device for fishing within three hundred feet of a dam or spillway or in a part of the river which is closed or posted against use of the device. Three tip-up fishing devices may be used in addition to the two lines with

no more than two hooks per line, as specified in section 481A.72.



CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS

Speaker of the House



MARY E. KRAMER

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 85, Eightieth General Assembly.



MARGARET THOMSON

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved April 14, 2003



THOMAS J. VILSACK

Governor