

CHESTER J. CULVER GOVERNOR

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April 23, 2010

The Honorable Michael Mauro Secretary of State State Capitol Building L O C A L

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

**Senate File 2216**, an Act allowing certain game birds to be shot when released on a licensed hunting preserve and providing a penalty.

The above Senate File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

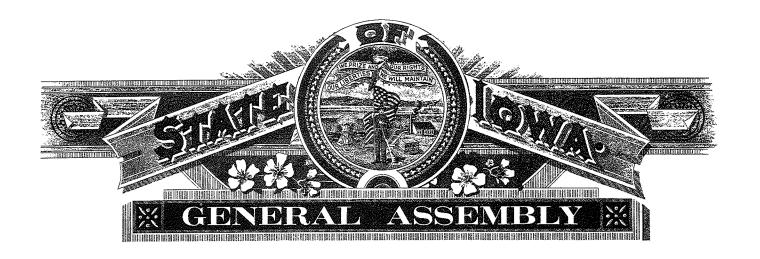
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cc: Secretary of the Senate Chief Clerk of the House





Senate File 2216

## AN ACT

ALLOWING CERTAIN GAME BIRDS TO BE SHOT WHEN RELEASED ON A LICENSED HUNTING PRESERVE AND PROVIDING A PENALTY.

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

Section 1. Section 481A.21, Code Supplement 2009, is amended to read as follows:

481A.21 Birds as targets.

A person shall not keep or use any live pigeon or other bird as a target, to be shot at for amusement or as a test of skill in marksmanship, or shoot at a bird kept or used for such purpose, or be a party to such shooting, or lease any building, room, field, or premises, or knowingly permit the use thereof, for the purpose of such shooting. This section does not prevent any person from shooting at live pigeons, sparrows, and starlings when used in the training of hunting dogs. This section does not prevent any person from shooting at a game bird that is released a minimum of fifty twenty-five yards from that

person on a licensed hunting preserve. For the purposes of this section, "game bird" means the same as defined in section 484B.1.

JOHN P. KIBBIE

President of the Senate

PATRICK J. MURPHY

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2216, Eighty-third General Assembly.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL

Secretary of the Senate

Approved

2010

CHESTER J. CULVER

Governor