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April 17, 2018

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

House File 2371, an Act exempting the state and municipalities from liability for claims involving honeybees on public property.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kim Reynolds".

Kim Reynolds
Governor

cc: Secretary of the Senate
Clerk of the House



House File 2371

AN ACT

EXEMPTING THE STATE AND MUNICIPALITIES FROM LIABILITY FOR
CLAIMS INVOLVING HONEYBEES ON PUBLIC PROPERTY.

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

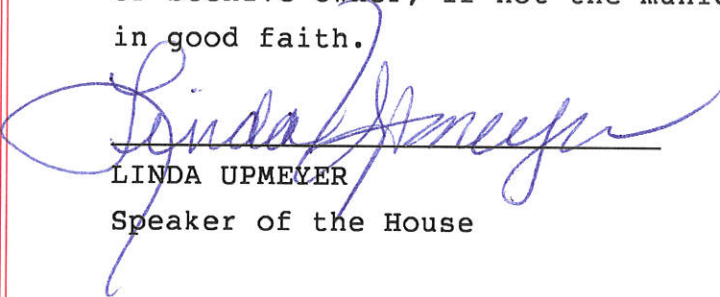
Section 1. Section 669.14, Code 2018, is amended by adding the following new subsection:


NEW SUBSECTION. 15. Any claim relating to a constructed honeybee hive on state property, provided the state and beehive owner, if not the state, acted reasonably and in good faith.

Sec. 2. Section 670.4, subsection 1, Code 2018, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:


NEW PARAGRAPH. g. Any claim relating to a constructed honeybee hive on municipal property, provided the municipality

or beehive owner, if not the municipality, acted reasonably and in good faith.

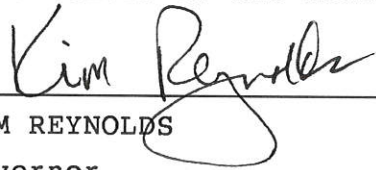

LINDA UPMEYER
Speaker of the House


CHARLES SCHNEIDER
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 2371, Eighty-seventh General Assembly.


CARMINE BOAL
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved April 17th, 2018


KIM REYNOLDS
Governor