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SENATE FILE 1087

By COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the designation of the general assembly
2 and acts thereof.

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

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1 Section 1. Section two point two (2.2), Code 1971, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2.2 DESIGNATION OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY. Each general assembly
4 shall be designated by numbers with a new consecutive number
5 designated every two calendar years. The general assembly
6 meeting in the years one thousand nine hundred sixty-nine
7 and one thousand nine hundred seventy shall be designated
8 as the Sixty-third General Assembly.

9 ~~The session of the general assembly commencing on the~~
10 ~~second Monday of January, one thousand nine hundred sixty-~~
11 ~~nine, shall be designated as the 1969 regular session of the~~
12 ~~Sixty-third General Assembly. The session of the general~~
13 ~~assembly commencing on the second Monday of January, one~~
14 ~~thousand nine hundred seventy shall be designated as the 1970~~
15 ~~regular session of the Sixty-third General Assembly.~~
16 ~~Subsequent regular sessions of the general assembly shall~~
17 ~~be designated by the year in which they convene.~~

18 ~~In addition, a regular session commencing in an odd numbered~~
19 ~~year may be designated as the first regular session of a~~
20 ~~numbered general assembly, and a regular session commencing~~
21 ~~in an even numbered year may be designated as the second~~
22 ~~regular session of the numbered general assembly.~~

23 Sessions of the general assembly may be designated by the
24 year in which they convene.

25 A special session of the general assembly shall be
26 designated as a special session in the particular year of
27 a numbered general assembly.

28 ~~One of these~~ These methods of designation shall be used
29 in all official references to the general assembly and its
30 sessions.

31 Sec. 2. Section fourteen point ten (14.10), Code 1971,
32 subsection two (2), is amended by adding the following new
33 subsection:

34 "Chapters of the first regular session shall be numbered
35 from one (1) and chapters of the second regular session shall

1 be numbered from one thousand one (1001)."

2 Sec. 3. Section fourteen point eighteen (14.18), Code
3 1971, is amended by striking the section and inserting in
4 lieu thereof the following:

5 14.18 CITATION OF SESSION LAWS. The session laws of each
6 general assembly shall be known and cited as ".....
7 General Assembly, Chapter (or File No.), Section....."
8 (inserting the appropriate number).

9 EXPLANATION

10 This bill simplifies the designation of the general
11 assembly. For instance a general assembly could be designated
12 "1972 Regular Session of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly."

13 It also provides for a system of numbering the chapters
14 of the session laws which, when used, will clearly designate
15 whether it was the first or second regular session of the
16 general assembly by the size of the chapter number.

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1 Amend Senate File 1087, page 2, line 23 by striking the
2 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall". word "may"

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February 16, 1972

By RILEY and DEKOSTER

1 Amend Senate File 1087, page 3, by striking line 6 and insert
2 in lieu thereof the following:
3 "general assembly shall be known and cited as
4 '.....Session of the'"

Filed and adopted
February 17, 1972

By RILEY

1 Amend Senate File 1087 as follows:
2 Strike from page 2 lines 1 to 30 and insert the
3 following:
4 Section 1. Section two point two (2.2), Code 1971,
5 is amended by striking the section and inserting in
6 lieu thereof the following:
7 Each regular session of the general assembly shall
8 be designated by the year in which it convenes and by a
9 number with a new consecutive number assigned with
10 the session beginning in each odd-numbered year.
11 A special session of the general assembly shall be
12 designated as an extraordinary session in the partic-
13 ular year of a numbered general assembly.

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