

SENATE FILE 1237

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to vital statistics.
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
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S-2508

1 Amend Senate File 1237, page 2, by striking
2 lines 16 through 20, inclusive, and
3 inserting in lieu thereof the following:
4 Sec. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate
5 importance, shall take effect and be in force
6 from and after its publication in the Adams
7 County Free Press, a newspaper published in
8 Corning, Iowa, and in The Clayton County Register,
9 a newspaper published in Elkader, Iowa.

S-2508 Filed - *Adopted 4/5* By GALLAGHER
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S-2507

1 Amend Senate File 1237 as follows:
2 1. Page 2, lines 1 and 2, by striking the word
3 and numbers "three (144.3)" and inserting in lieu
4 thereof the words and numbers "forty-three
5 (144.43)".
6 2. Page 2, line 14, by inserting after the
7 word "right" the words and numbers "under chapter
8 sixty-eight A (68A) of the Code".

S-2507 Filed - *Adopted 4/5* By COMMITTEE ON COUNTY GOVERNMENT
March 18, 1974

1 Section 1. Section one hundred forty-four point three
2 (144.3), Code 1973, is amended by adding the following new
3 unnumbered paragraph:

4 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. The provisions of this section
5 shall not apply to the following vital statistics if they are
6 sixty-five years old or older:

7 1. A record of birth if that birth did not occur out of
8 wedlock.

9 2. A record of marriage.

10 3. A record of divorce, dissolution of marriage, or
11 annulment of marriage.

12 4. A record of death if that death was not a fetal death.
13 However, a vital statistic, as described in this paragraph,
14 shall be inspected and copied, as of right, only when they are
15 in the custody of a county or of a local registrar.

16 Sec. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance,
17 shall take effect and be in force from and after its publica-
18 tion in _____, a newspaper published
19 in _____, Iowa, and in _____, a
20 newspaper published in _____, Iowa.

21 EXPLANATION

22 This bill makes certain vital statistics open to public
23 inspection if they are sixty-five years old or older. How-
24 ever, public inspection may be demanded only on the local
25 level. A publication clause is included.

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