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House File 561

Agriculture: Gettings, Chair; Lageschulte and Miller (Sergeant of Calhoun.

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HOUSE FILE 561

Place On Calendar

By COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

(Formerly Study Bill 168)

Passed House, Date 3-6-78 (p. 794) Passed Senate, Date _____

Vote: Ayes 91 Nays 1 Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____

Approved _____

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the state standard of weights and measures.

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

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H-5416

- 1 Amend House File 561 as follows:
2 1. Page 1, line 31, by striking the numerals
3 "1978" and inserting in lieu thereof the numerals
4 "1979".

H-5416 FILED - Adopted 3/6 BY SCHROEDER of Pottawattamie
FEBRUARY 22, 1978 (p. 793)

1 Section 1. Section two hundred thirteen point one (213.1),
2 Code 1977, is amended to read as follows:

3 213.1 ~~STATE SEALER~~ METROLOGIST. The department shall
4 designate one of its assistants to act as state ~~sealer~~
5 metrologist of weights and measures. All weights and measures
6 sealed by him or her shall be impressed with the word "Iowa."

7 Sec. 2. Section two hundred thirteen point two (213.2),
8 Code 1977, is amended by striking the section and inserting
9 in lieu thereof the following:

10 213.2 PHYSICAL STANDARDS. Weights and measures, which
11 conform to the standards of the national bureau of standards
12 existing as of the effective date of this Act, that are
13 traceable to the United States standards supplied by the
14 federal government or approved as being in compliance with
15 its standards by the national bureau of standards shall be
16 the state primary standard of weights and measures. Such
17 weights and measures shall be verified upon initial receipt
18 of same and as often as deemed necessary by the secretary
19 of agriculture. The secretary may provide for the alteration
20 in the state primary standard of weights and measures in order
21 to maintain traceability with the standard of the national
22 bureau of standards. All such alterations shall be made
23 pursuant to rules promulgated by the secretary in accordance
24 with chapter seventeen A (17A) of the Code.

25 Sec. 3. Section two hundred thirteen point four (213.4),
26 Code 1977, is amended to read as follows:

27 213.4 SEALING MILK BOTTLES. The state ~~sealer~~ metrologist
28 shall not be required to seal bottles for milk or cream, but
29 they shall be inspected from time to time in order to ascertain
30 whether they are standard.

54/6-31 Sec. 4. This Act is effective January 1, 1978.

32 EXPLANATION

33 This bill changes the classification of the sealer of
34 weights and measures to "metrologist" and sets as the state
35 primary standard of weights and measures those adopted by
36 the National Bureau of Standards.

69 3/9 Do pass 4/5 (p. 789)

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Hutchins, Chairperson
Miller of Cerro Gordo
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HOUSE FILE 561

By COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

(As Amended and Passed by the House)

Passed House, Date 3-2-78 (p. 794) Passed Senate, Date 4-13-78 (p. 872)

Vote: Ayes 91 Nays 1 Vote: Ayes 42 Nays 0

Approved May 5, 1978

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DALE M. COCHRAN
Speaker of the House

ARTHUR A. NEU
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 561, Sixty-seventh General Assembly.

DAVID L. WRAY
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved May 5, 1978

ROBERT D. RAY
Governor