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HOUSE FILE 168

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By COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

(Formerly Study Bill 1)

sub. for S. F. 171

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Vote: Ayes 76 Nays 16 Vote: Ayes 43 Nays 3

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the rate of the fee upon turkeys deli-
2 vered for processing.

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

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1 Section 1. Section one hundred eighty-four A point two
2 (184A.2), unnumbered paragraph one (1), Code 1979, is amended
3 to read as follows:

4 If approved by a majority of the voters at a referendum
5 as provided in section 184A.10, there is hereby imposed a
6 fee upon each turkey delivered for processing in the state
7 of Iowa. The rate of the fee imposed shall not be ~~one-half~~
8 more than one cent for each turkey weighing less than ten
9 pounds live weight and ~~one-cent~~ not more than two cents for
10 each turkey weighing ten or more pounds live weight, as es-
11 tablished at the discretion of the council.

12 Sec. 2. Section one hundred eighty-four A point eleven
13 (184A.11), Code 1979, is amended to read as follows:

14 184A.11 NOTICE. Notice of a referendum on the question
15 of whether to impose the fee shall be given by the secretary
16 by publishing the notice for a period of not less than five
17 days in a newspaper of general circulation in the state, and
18 for a similar period in ~~such~~ other newspapers as the secretary
19 prescribes. ~~No~~ A referendum shall not be commenced prior
20 to five days after the last day of the period of publication.
21 The notice of referendum shall set forth the period and voting
22 places for the referendum, and the maximum amount of the fee.
23 Each producer, upon signing a statement certifying that he
24 is a bona fide producer, as defined in this chapter, shall
25 ~~be~~ is entitled to one vote.

26 Sec. 3. This Act is effective January first following
27 its enactment.

28 EXPLANATION

29 This bill provides for the imposition of a discretionary
30 fee upon each turkey delivered for processing in the state.
31 The imposition of the fee would first have to be approved
32 as provided in section 184A.10, but the rate would then be
33 discretionary as established by the Iowa Turkey Marketing
34 Council within the limits stated in this bill. Present law
35 provides for a definite rate. The allowable maximum rate

1 provided for in this bill could exceed the rate presently
2 provided for by law. The bill will take effect on January
3 first following its enactment.

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FLOYD H. MILLEN
Speaker of the House

TERRY E. BRANSTAD
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 168, Sixty-eighth General Assembly.

DAVID L. WRAY
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved 2/28, 1979

ROBERT D. RAY
Governor