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HOUSE FILE 756

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BY COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Place On Calendar

(Formerly Study Bill 198)

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Vote: Ayes 77 Nays 16 Vote: Ayes 38 Nays 1

Approved May 4, 1981

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to nonresident exemptions from the state
2 motor vehicle licensing requirements.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Amend House File 756 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1 the following
- 3 new section:
- 4 "Section 1. Section 321.1, Code 1981, is amended
- 5 by adding the following new subsection:
- 6 NEW SUBSECTION. "Resident" means a resident of
- 7 this state. Every natural person is presumed to be
- 8 a resident of this state if one or more of the
- 9 following elements exist:
- 10 a. A person files a claim for the homestead tax
- 11 credit in the state.
- 12 b. A person enrolls his or her child in a public
- 13 school in this state.
- 14 c. A person resides in this state for a period
- 15 exceeding thirty days, except for infrequent or brief
- 16 absences.
- 17 d. A person accepts employment or engages in any
- 18 trade or business in this state, except as provided
- 19 in section 321.55.
- 20 e. A person is registered to vote in this state.
- 21 Any corporation, partnership, or other business
- 22 entity whose principle place of business is located
- 23 in this state is deemed to be a resident of this
- 24 state."
- 25 2. Renumber sections and correct internal
- 26 references as are necessary in accordance with this
- 27 amendment.

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BY HARBOR of Mills

4/2 4/3/81 (p 1036)

1 Section 1. Section 321.176, subsection 3, Code 1981, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 3. A nonresident ~~who-is-at-least-sixteen-years-of-age~~
4 ~~and-who-has-in-his-immediate-possession-a-valid-operator's~~
5 operating a motor vehicle within the legal scope of the
6 nonresident's home state or country license issued-to-him
7 ~~in-his-home-state-or-country-may-operate-a-motor-vehicle-in~~
8 ~~this-state-only-as-an-operator.~~

9 Sec. 2. Section 321.176, subsections 4 and 5, Code 1981,
10 are amended by striking the subsections.

11 EXPLANATION

12 The bill amends the current law to provide that a non-
13 resident is exempt from this state's licensing requirements
14 if operating a motor vehicle pursuant to the legal require-
15 ments of the nonresident's home state or country. The bill
16 takes effect July 1 following enactment.

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~~nonresident's home state or country license issued to him
in his home state or country may operate a motor vehicle in
this state only as an operator.~~

Sec. 2. Section 321.176, subsections 4 and 5, Code 1981,
are amended by striking the subsections.

DELRWYN STROMER
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 756, Sixty-ninth General Assembly.

PAT H. HARPER
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved 5/4, 1981

ROBERT D. RAY
Governor

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AN ACT

RELATING TO NONRESIDENT EXEMPTIONS FROM THE STATE MOTOR VEHICLE
LICENSING REQUIREMENTS.

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

Section 1. Section 321.176, subsection 3, Code 1981, is
amended to read as follows:

3. A nonresident ~~who is at least sixteen years of age
and who has in his immediate possession a valid operator's
operating a motor vehicle within the legal scope of the~~

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