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SENATE FILE 152

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Vote: Ayes 42 Nays 3 Vote: Ayes 97 Nays 0
Approved April 3, 1981

A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing that manufacturers and nonresident vendors
2 shall not sell pilot lights commencing two years after
3 the commerce commission has certified an alternative
4 ignition device for a gas appliance.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 478A.1, Code 1981, is amended by adding
2 the following new subsections:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. "Manufacturer" means a person engaged
4 in the business of producing pilot lights.

5 NEW SUBSECTION. "Nonresident vendor" means a person en-
6 gaged in the business of selling or distributing pilot lights
7 who has neither a wholesale nor retail sales outlet or dis-
8 tribution center within this state.

9 Sec. 2. Section 478A.2, Code 1981, is amended to read
10 as follows:

11 478A.2 PILOT LIGHTS PROHIBITED. New gas appliances
12 equipped with pilot lights shall not be sold ~~or installed~~
13 by manufacturers or nonresident vendors in this state
14 commencing twenty-four months after the commission has
15 certified an intermittent ignition device for the gas appliance
16 as provided in section 478A.3. The commission may determine
17 that an intermittent ignition device is not feasible for a
18 particular gas appliance or that the use of a pilot light
19 on a particular gas appliance is necessary for public health
20 and safety. ~~The provisions of this~~ This section shall does
21 not apply to the sale and installation of a gas appliance
22 in a residence that does not have a one hundred twenty volt
23 power supply.

24 EXPLANATION

25 This bill amends section 478A.2 by prohibiting the sale
26 of gas appliances equipped with pilot lights by manufacturers
27 or out-of-state merchants two years after the commerce commis-
28 sion has certified an intermittent ignition device for the
29 gas appliance. Current law prohibits the sale or installation
30 of a pilot light by anyone two years after certification of
31 an alternative device. This bill takes effect July 1 following
32 its enactment.

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S-3049

1 Amend Senate File 152 as follows:
 2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 23 and
 3 inserting in lieu thereof the following:
 4 "Section 1. Section 478A.2, Code 1981, is amended
 5 by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:
 6 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Notwithstanding the
 7 provisions of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section,
 8 a person who is engaged in the business of
 9 manufacturing, wholesaling or retailing gas
 10 appliances equipped with pilot lights may sell or
 11 install gas appliances not meeting the requirements of
 12 unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section after the
 13 effective date of this Act subject to the following
 14 limitations:
 15 1. These gas appliances must be in the possession
 16 of the person or stored at a location within this
 17 state as of the effective date of this Act.
 18 2. The person shall not acquire or manufacture
 19 for sale or installation in this state after the
 20 effective date of this Act any gas appliances not
 21 meeting the requirements of unnumbered paragraph 1
 22 of this section."

S-3049 FILED *Adopted 2/16 (S. 477)* BY MICK LURA
 FEBRUARY 3, 1981 *motion to reconsider*
w/2 2/16

SENATE FILE 152

S-3071

1 Amend Senate File 152 as follows:
 2 1. By striking everything after the enacting
 3 clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
 4 "Section 1. Chapter 478A, Code 1981, is repealed."
 5 2. Amend the title, by striking lines 1 through
 6 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "An
 7 Act to repeal Chapter 478A, Code 1981."

S-3071 FILED

BY GARY L. BAUGHER

FEBRUARY 17, 1981

Referred out of order 2/18 (S. 505)

1 Section 1. Section 478A.2, Code 1981, is amended by
2 adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

3 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Notwithstanding the provisions
4 of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section, a person who is
5 engaged in the business of manufacturing, wholesaling or
6 retailing gas appliances equipped with pilot lights may sell
7 or install gas appliances not meeting the requirements of
8 unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section after the effective
9 date of this Act subject to the following limitations:

10 1. These gas appliances must be in the possession of the
11 person or stored at a location within this state as of the
12 effective date of this Act.

13 2. The person shall not acquire or manufacture for sale
14 or installation in this state after the effective date of
15 this Act any gas appliances not meeting the requirements of
16 unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section.

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2. The person shall not acquire or manufacture for sale or installation in this state after the effective date of this Act any gas appliances not meeting the requirements of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section.

SENATE FILE 152

AN ACT

PROVIDING THAT MANUFACTURERS AND NONRESIDENT VENDORS SHALL NOT SELL PILOT LIGHTS COMMENCING TWO YEARS AFTER THE COMMERCE COMMISSION HAS CERTIFIED AN ALTERNATIVE IGNITION DEVICE FOR A GAS APPLIANCE.

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

Section 1. Section 478A.2, Code 1981, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Notwithstanding the provisions of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section, a person who is engaged in the business of manufacturing, wholesaling or retailing gas appliances equipped with pilot lights may sell or install gas appliances not meeting the requirements of unnumbered paragraph 1 of this section after the effective date of this Act subject to the following limitations:

1. These gas appliances must be in the possession of the person or stored at a location within this state as of the effective date of this Act.

TERRY E. BRANSTAD
President of the Senate

DELRWYN STROMER
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 152, Sixty-ninth General Assembly.

LINDA HOWARTH MACKAY
Secretary of the Senate

Approved April 3, 1981

ROBERT D. RAY
Governor