

JAN 23 1996
JUDICIARY

HOUSE FILE 2094
BY SIEGRIST, CHURCHILL, DISNEY,
GRUNDBERG, JACOBS, METCALF,
FALLON, CATALDO, McCOY, and
CONNORS

(COMPANION TO LSB 3831SS BY
DEARDEN)

Passed House, Date _____ Passed Senate, Date _____
Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____
Approved _____

A BILL FOR

1 An Act prohibiting abuse of a human corpse, and providing a
2 penalty.

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

4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20

HF 2094

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 709.18 ABUSE OF A CORPSE.
2 A person commits abuse of a human corpse if the person
3 knowingly and intentionally engages in a sex act, as defined
4 in section 702.17, with a human corpse. Abuse of a human
5 corpse is a class "D" felony.

6 EXPLANATION

7 This bill establishes the crime of abuse of a human corpse
8 which is defined as knowingly and intentionally engaging in a
9 sex act with a human corpse. Abuse of a human corpse is a
10 class "D" felony for which the sentence is confinement for no
11 more than five years and a possible fine of at least \$500 and
12 no more than \$7,500.

13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31
32
33
34
35