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LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to local laws and regulations regarding smoking
2 prohibitions and cigarettes and tobacco products.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 142B.6, unnumbered paragraph 3, Code
2 1997, is amended by striking the paragraph.

3 Sec. 2. Section 453A.56, Code 1997, is amended by striking
4 the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

5 453A.56 LOCAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS.

6 A city or county may adopt laws or regulations specifically
7 targeted to reduce or eliminate access to, sale to, or use of
8 cigarettes or tobacco products by persons under eighteen years
9 of age which shall supersede any inconsistent or conflicting
10 provision of this chapter.

11 EXPLANATION

12 This bill eliminates the provision in the smoking
13 prohibitions chapter (Code chapter 142B) which provides that
14 local laws and rules are superseded if they are inconsistent
15 or conflict with the provisions of the Code chapter.

16 The bill also replaces the provision in the cigarette and
17 tobacco products chapter (Code chapter 453A) which requires
18 uniform application of the Code chapter with language which
19 allows cities and counties to adopt laws or regulations which
20 are specifically targeted to reduce or eliminate access to,
21 sale to, or use of cigarettes or tobacco products by persons
22 under 18 years of age.

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