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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to carrying or transporting a rifle.  
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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*HF 132*

1 Section 1. Section 724.4, subsection 4, Code 1999, is  
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. 1. A person who carries an unloaded rifle  
4 and a cartridge clip or magazine for the rifle that is filled  
5 with ammunition, provided that the cartridge clip or magazine  
6 is not inserted into the rifle, and that the person otherwise  
7 legally carries or transports the rifle in accordance with  
8 this section.

9 EXPLANATION

10 This bill provides that a person who carries an unloaded  
11 rifle and a loaded clip cartridge or magazine for the rifle  
12 shall not be considered to be illegally carrying or  
13 transporting a weapon, provided that the clip cartridge or  
14 magazine is not inserted into the rifle, and the person  
15 follows all other legal requirements for carrying or  
16 transporting the weapon.

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