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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the maximum fine for knowingly trespassing on  
2 the property of another person.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 716.8, subsection 1, Code 1999, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3 1. Any person who knowingly trespasses upon the property  
4 of another commits a simple misdemeanor punishable as provided  
5 in section 903.1 except that if a fine is imposed, the fine  
6 shall not exceed two hundred fifty dollars.

7 EXPLANATION

8 This bill provides that the maximum fine for knowingly  
9 trespassing on the property of another is increased to \$250.  
10 Currently under Code section 903.1, the maximum fine for a  
11 simple misdemeanor is \$100.

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