

SENATE FILE 2108

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to a state hazardous materials response teams  
2 commission.

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

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NAT. RES. & ENVIRONMENT

1 Section 1. STATE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSE TEAMS  
2 COMMISSION -- REPORT.

3 1. The department of natural resources shall form a state  
4 hazardous materials response teams commission consisting of  
5 representatives from the department of natural resources, the  
6 state department of transportation, the homeland security and  
7 emergency management division of the department of public  
8 defense, the Iowa firemen's association, the Iowa association  
9 of professional fire chiefs, and the Iowa professional  
10 firefighters. The commission shall study the issue of state  
11 hazardous materials response teams and develop findings and  
12 recommendations. The findings and recommendations shall  
13 include, at a minimum, all of the following:

14 a. A proposed plan, including a time table, for  
15 implementing state hazardous materials response teams.

16 b. A proposed budget for implementing state hazardous  
17 materials response teams.

18 c. An analysis of the costs and benefits of implementing  
19 state hazardous materials response teams.

20 2. By December 15, 2004, the department of natural  
21 resources shall submit a report to the governor and the  
22 general assembly regarding the findings and recommendations of  
23 the state hazardous materials response teams commission. At a  
24 minimum, the report shall consist of the findings and  
25 recommendations of the commission provided for in subsection  
26 1.

27 EXPLANATION

28 This bill relates to a state hazardous materials response  
29 teams commission.

30 The bill requires the department of natural resources to  
31 form a state hazardous materials response teams commission  
32 consisting of representatives from the department of natural  
33 resources, the state department of transportation, the  
34 homeland security and emergency management division of the  
35 department of public defense, the Iowa firemen's association,