

House File 123 - Introduced

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BY REICHERT

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the sale of wild turkey bones and providing
2 penalties.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
4 TLSB 1081HH 82
5 av/sh/8

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1 1 Section 1. Section 481A.55, subsection 1, Code 2007, is
1 2 amended to read as follows:
1 3 1. Except as otherwise provided, a person shall not buy or
1 4 sell, dead or alive, a bird or animal or any part of one which
1 5 is protected by this chapter, but this section does not apply
1 6 to fur-bearing animals, bones of wild turkeys that were
1 7 legally taken, and the skins, plumage, and antlers of legally
1 8 taken game. This section does not prohibit the purchase of
1 9 jackrabbits from sources outside this state. A person shall
1 10 not purchase, sell, barter, or offer to purchase, sell, or
1 11 barter for millinery or ornamental use the feathers of
1 12 migratory game birds; and a person shall not purchase, sell,
1 13 barter, or offer to purchase, sell, or barter mounted
1 14 specimens of migratory game birds.

1 15 EXPLANATION
1 16 This bill allows a person to buy or sell the bones of wild
1 17 turkeys that were legally taken. A violation of this
1 18 provision is punishable by a scheduled fine of \$50.
1 19 LSB 1081HH 82
1 20 av:nh/sh/8