

House Study Bill 507 - Introduced

HOUSE FILE _____
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
JUDICIARY BILL BY CHAIRPERSON
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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to the exercise of eminent domain for carbon
- 2 oxide pipelines, and including applicability and effective
- 3 date provisions.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 6A.22, Code 2026, is amended by adding the
2 following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of
4 law, a person shall not exercise the power of eminent domain to
5 acquire right-of-way for, construct, or operate a pipeline for
6 the primary purpose of transporting carbon oxide.

7 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate
8 importance, takes effect upon enactment.

9 Sec. 3. APPLICABILITY. This Act applies to condemnation
10 proceedings for which the application filed under section 6B.3 is
11 filed on or after the effective date of this Act.

12 EXPLANATION

13 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
14 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

15 This bill prohibits exercising the power of eminent domain for
16 acquiring right-of-way for, constructing, or operating a pipeline
17 that has the primary purpose of transporting carbon oxide.

18 The bill takes effect upon enactment and applies to all
19 condemnation proceedings instituted on or after that date.