

9 years, or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than six
10 (6) months, or by fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

[C. C. 8803, modified.]

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See chapter 214.

CHAPTER 275

REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS

PUBLIC PRINTING

S. F. 255

AN ACT to amend, revise, and codify sections one hundred (100), one hundred one (101), and two hundred seventy-five (275) of the compiled code of Iowa, and sections two hundred forty-one-a twenty-one (241-a21), two hundred forty-one-a twenty-nine (241-a29), two hundred forty-one-a thirty (241-a30), two hundred forty-one-a fifty-five (241-a55), two hundred forty-one-a sixty-two (241-a62), two hundred forty-one-a sixty-three (241-a63), two hundred forty-one-a sixty-four (241-a64), two hundred forty-one-a sixty-six (241-a66), two hundred forty-one-a sixty-eight (241-a68), two hundred forty-one-a seventy-four (241-a74), and two hundred forty-seven-a three (247-a3) of the supplement to said code, relating to reports of public officers, to the printing thereof, and to the duration of contracts for public printing.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That sections one hundred (100) and one hundred one (101) of the compiled code of Iowa are amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

1 SECTION 1. **Iowa official register.** The secretary of state shall, in
2 odd-numbered years, compile for publication the Iowa official register
3 which shall contain historical, political and other statistics of general
4 value, but nothing of a partisan character.

[C. C. 100, modified.]

That section two hundred forty-one-a thirty (241-a30) of the supplement to the compiled code of Iowa is amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

1 SEC. 2. **Paper.** The board may contract for paper as part of the
2 printing or may purchase paper and furnish the same to the contrac-
3 tor. All paper purchased for use of the state shall, when practicable,
4 have a distinguishing mark or water line by which it can be identified.

[C. C. 259; S. C. C. 241-a30.]

1 SEC. 3. **Paper account.** The board shall keep an accurate account
2 with any one doing printing for the state, and charge him with the
3 value of all paper drawn, and credit him with all paper used on behalf
4 of the state, and compel an accounting for all paper not so used.

[C. C. 263.]

That sections two hundred forty-one-a sixty-two (241-a62), two hundred forty-one-a sixty-three (241-a63), two hundred forty-one-a sixty-four (241-a64) and two hundred forty-one-a sixty-six (241-a66) of the supplement to the compiled code of Iowa are amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

1 **SEC. 4. Official reports made to governor.** All official reports shall
2 be made to the governor unless otherwise provided.

[New.]

1 **SEC. 5. Biennial reports—time covered and date of filing.** Reports
2 of the following officials and departments shall cover the biennial
3 period ending June thirtieth in each even-numbered year, and shall
4 be filed as soon as practicable after the end of the reporting period:

- 5 1. Secretary of state relative to corporations.
- 6 2. Auditor of state on fiscal condition of state.
- 7 3. Auditor of state on biennial expenditures.
- 8 4. Treasurer of state as to state of the treasury.
- 9 5. Superintendent of public instruction.
- 10 6. Board of control.
- 11 7. Board of education.
- 12 8. Board of health and safety.
- 13 9. Board of parole.
- 14 10. Live stock sanitary board.
- 15 11. Printing board.
- 16 12. Industrial commissioner.
- 17 13. Commissioner of labor.
- 18 14. Curators of historical society.
- 19 15. Curator of historical, memorial, and art department.
- 20 16. State librarian.
- 21 17. Library commission.
- 22 18. Custodian of public buildings and grounds.
- 23 19. Fish and game warden.
- 24 20. Adjutant general.

[S. C. C. 241-a62, 241-a64, modified.]

1 **SEC. 6. Annual reports—time covered and date of filing.** Reports
2 of the following officials and departments shall cover the year ending
3 December thirty-first of each year, and shall be filed as soon as prac-
4 ticable after said date.

- 5 1. Commissioner of insurance.
- 6 2. Weather and crop service.
- 7 3. Apiarist.
- 8 4. Horticultural society.
- 9 5. State geologist.
- 10 6. Fire marshal.
- 11 7. Board of accountancy.
- 12 8. Board of examining engineers.
- 13 9. Inspector of passenger boats.

[S. C. C. 241-a63, modified.]

1 **SEC. 7. Governor.** The biennial report of the governor to the
2 general assembly on reprieves, commutations, pardons, and remission
3 of fines and forfeitures shall cover the two (2) years ending with
4 December thirty-first immediately preceding the convening of the

5 general assembly in regular session and shall be filed as soon as prac-
6 ticable after said date.

[S. C. C. 241-a62, modified.]

1 SEC. 8. **Attorney general.** The biennial report of the attorney
2 general shall cover the period of his regular term and shall be filed
3 as soon as practicable after the expiration of said term and not later
4 than February first.

[S. C. C. 241-a66, modified.]

1 SEC. 9. **Auditor of state on municipal finances.** The annual report
2 of the auditor of state on municipal finances shall cover the year
3 ending March thirty-first preceding the filing of the report, and shall
4 be filed as soon as possible after said date and not later than September
5 first.

[S. C. C. 241-a66, modified.]

1 SEC. 10. **Superintendent of banking.** The annual report of the
2 superintendent of banking shall cover the year ending June thirtieth
3 of each year, and shall be filed as soon as practicable after said date
4 and not later than September first.

[S. C. C. 241-a63, modified.]

1 SEC. 11. **Highway commission.** The annual report of the state
2 highway commission shall cover the year ending December thirty-first
3 and shall be filed not later than January fifteenth of each year, pro-
4 vided the summary report of county highway engineers may be filed
5 on a date not later than February first.

[S. C. C. 241-a63, modified.]

1 SEC. 12. **Board of railroad commissioners.** The annual report of
2 the board of railroad commissioners shall, as to all statistical data,
3 cover the year ending December thirty-first preceding the filing of
4 the report, and the proceedings of the board to date of filing the
5 report each year. Said report shall be filed on or before December first.

[S. C. C. 241-a63, modified.]

1 SEC. 12-a1. **Mine inspectors.** The report of the mine inspectors-
2 shall cover the biennial period ending December thirty-first (31st)
3 of each odd-numbered year, and shall be filed on or before August
4 fifteenth (15th) following the end of said reporting period.

[S. C. C. 732, modified.]

1 SEC. 12-a2. **Delay in filing report.** Should the governor deem the
2 delay in filing a report to be unreasonable he shall take such steps as
3 will correct the delinquency.

[New.]

That section two hundred forty-one-a seventy-four (241-a74) of the supplement to the compiled code of Iowa is amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

1 SEC. 13. **Miscellaneous documents.** There shall be published,
2 printed and bound uniform with the official reports unless otherwise
3 provided and for the periods indicated, the following miscellaneous
4 documents, each of which shall be compiled by the head or secretary
5 of the department or association having charge thereof:

- 6 1. Iowa year book of agriculture, annually.
- 7 2. Iowa official register, biennially.
- 8 3. Assessments by executive council relative to public utilities,
- 9 annually.
- 10 4. Census, when taken and compiled.
- 11 5. Proceedings of Iowa state dairy association, annually.
- 12 6. Proceedings of state teachers association, annually.
- 13 7. Proceedings of Iowa academy of science, annually.
- 14 8. Proceedings of pioneer law makers association, biennially.

[S. C. C. 241-a74, modified.]

- 1 **SEC. 14. Disposal of reports.** Reports after being filed with the
- 2 governor and considered by him, shall be delivered to the superin-
- 3 tendent of printing.

[New.]

That section two hundred forty-seven-a three (247-a3) of the supplement to the compiled code of Iowa is amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

- 1 **SEC. 15. Biennial report.** The custodian shall, at the time provided
- 2 by law, make a verified report which shall cover all transactions for
- 3 the preceding biennial period and show in detail:
- 4 1. All expenditures made on account of the department of public
- 5 buildings and property.
- 6 2. The condition of all real and personal property of the state
- 7 under his care or control, together with a report of any loss or de-
- 8 struction, or injury to any such property, with the causes thereof.
- 9 3. The measures necessary for the care and preservation of the
- 10 property under his control.
- 11 4. Any recommendations as to methods which would tend to ren-
- 12 der the public service more efficient and economical.
- 13 5. Any other matter ordered by the governor.

[S. C. C. 247-a3, modified.]

That section two hundred seventy-five (275) of the compiled code of Iowa, and section two hundred forty-one-a fifty-five (241-a55) of the supplement to the compiled code of Iowa is amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

- 1 **SEC. 16. Distribution of biennial report of expenditures.** The
- 2 biennial report of expenditures shall be distributed as follows:
- 3 To each member of the general assembly.....15 copies
- 4 To each state officer, member of board or commission..... 1 copy
- 5 To each public, free and college library in the state..... 1 copy
- 6 To state library.....10 copies
- 7 To state historical department..... 5 copies
- 8 To each county auditor, treasurer and clerk of the district
- 9 court 1 copy
- 10 To each newspaper in the state..... 1 copy
- 11 The remaining copies in excess of the reserve list shall be otherwise
- 12 distributed as provided by law.

[C. C. 275.]

1 **SEC. 17. General distribution.** The superintendent may send addi-
2 tional copies of publications to other state officials, individuals, institu-
3 tions, libraries, or societies that may make request therefor.

[S. C. C. 241-a55.]

That section two hundred forty-one-a twenty-one (241-a21) of the sup-
plement to the compiled code of Iowa be amended, revised, and codified to
read as follows:

1 **SEC. 18. Duration of contract.** Contracts for printing and for
2 work and material relating thereto shall be for a period not exceeding
3 three (3) years. The present contract for printing and binding the
4 Iowa Supreme Court Reports may be extended for a period not exceed-
5 ing three years from the date of said contracts.

[S. C. C. 241-a21, modified.]

That section two hundred forty-one-a twenty-nine (241-a29) of the sup-
plement to the compiled code of Iowa be amended, revised and codified to
read as follows:

1 **SEC. 19. Emergency contracts.** The board may at any time award
2 a special contract or may authorize its assistants as designated in
3 section two hundred forty-one-a twenty-six (241-a26) of this supple-
4 ment to award a special contract for any work or material coming
5 within the provisions of this and the two following chapters of this
6 title but not included in contracts already in existence, or which can-
7 not properly be made the subject of a general contract, if the amount
3 of each such contract shall not exceed the amount of five hundred
9 (500) dollars, and if special bids have been duly solicited by the said
10 board from persons or firms engaged in the kind of work under con-
11 sideration who have indicated a desire to bid on the class of work
12 to be done.

[S. C. C. 241-a29, modified.]

That section two hundred forty-one-a sixty-eight (241-a68) of the sup-
plement to the compiled code of Iowa be amended, revised, and codified to
read as follows:

1 **SEC. 20. Iowa documents.** At the time of printing the official re-
2 ports there shall also be printed from the same type or plates an
3 edition of five hundred (500) copies to be grouped together and bound
4 in volumes of convenient size to be known as the Iowa Documents,
5 of which there shall be one edition for each biennial period. Each
6 volume as thus grouped shall contain a table of contents of all the
7 volumes. There shall be included in the Iowa documents, in addition
8 to the official report, the inaugural address and the messages and
9 budget of the governor.

[S. C. C. 241-a68, modified.]

1 **SEC. 21. Disposal of plates and slugs.** Plates and slugs from which
2 former editions of the codes and supplements to the codes have been
3 printed shall, when no longer needed, be sold by the state printing
4 board and the proceeds deposited with the state treasurer to the
5 credit of the general fund.

[New.]

That section 241-a59, supplement to the compiled code is amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

1 **SEC. 22. Cumulative legislative bulletin.** The superintendent of
 2 printing shall, throughout each legislative session, and commencing
 3 with the close of the fourth week thereof, compile and cause to be
 4 printed, each alternate week, a cumulative bulletin of bills and joint
 5 resolutions, which bulletin shall contain a brief history of each bill,
 6 and detailed information as to the status of legislation and shall be
 7 conveniently indexed. The last issue of each bulletin shall be brought
 8 down to the time of final adjournment and shall be promptly furnished
 9 to all members of the general assembly and to such others as the
 10 superintendent may determine.

Approved April 21, A. D. 1923.

CHAPTER 276

COMMISSIONERS FOR IOWA

S. F. 259

AN ACT to amend, revise, and codify sections six hundred eighty-four (684) to six hundred eighty-eight (688), inclusive, of the compiled code of Iowa, and sections six hundred ninety-three-a one (693-a1) to six hundred ninety-three-a five (693-a5), inclusive, and section one hundred two (102) of the supplement to said code, relating to the appointment, powers, and duties of commissioners in other states, and to the fees to be collected by the secretary of state.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That sections six hundred eighty-four (684) to six hundred eighty-eight (688), inclusive, of the compiled code of Iowa, and sections six hundred ninety-three-a one (693-a1) to six hundred ninety-three-a five (693-a5), inclusive, of the supplement to said code are amended, revised, and codified to read as follows:

1 **SECTION 1. Appointment and tenure.** The governor may appoint
 2 and commission, in each of the states of the United States, other than
 3 this state, and in each territory or insular possession of the United
 4 States, one (1) or more commissioners who shall continue in office
 5 for three (3) years from the date of commission. Such appointment
 6 may be revoked at any time by the governor.

[C. C. 684, modified.]

1 **SEC. 2. Seal.** Each such commissioner shall have an official seal,
 2 on which shall be engraved the words, "Commissioner for Iowa" with
 3 his surname and at least the initials of his christian name; also the
 4 name of the state in which he acts, which seal must be so engraved
 5 as to make a clear impression on wax, wafer, or paper.

[C. C. 685.]