

1 SEC. 2. Section four hundred ninety point six (490.6), Code 1966,  
2 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sub-  
3 sections:

4 "8. The possible use of alternative routes.

5 9. The relationship of the proposed project to the present and fu-  
6 ture land use and zoning ordinances.

7 10. The inconvenience or undue injury which may result to property  
8 owners as a result of the proposed project.

9 11. By affidavit, that informational meetings were held in each  
10 county which the proposed project will affect and the time and place  
11 of each meeting."

1 SEC. 3. Section four hundred ninety point thirteen (490.13), Code  
2 1966, is hereby amended by inserting in line two (2) after the word  
3 "the" the words "informational meetings,".

Approved May 13, 1970.

## CHAPTER 1232

### REGULATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

S. F. 1063

AN ACT relating to the regulation of public utilities.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section four hundred ninety A point six (490A.6),  
2 Code 1966, is hereby amended by inserting after the period in line  
3 ten (10) the following new paragraph:

4 "All public utilities, including those exempted from rate regulation  
5 by the provisions of section four hundred ninety A point one (490A.1)  
6 of the Code, shall give written notice of any proposed increase of  
7 any rate or charge to all affected customers served by the public utility  
8 at least thirty days prior to the effective date thereof. If the public  
9 utility is subject to rate regulation, the notice to affected customers  
10 shall also state that the customer has a right to file a written objec-  
11 tion to such rate increase and that he may request the commission to  
12 hold a public hearing to determine if such rate increase should be  
13 allowed. The commission shall prescribe the manner and method  
14 that the written notice to each affected customer of the public utility  
15 shall be served."

Approved March 20, 1970.