

CHAPTER 106†  
 COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
 S. F. 170

AN ACT relating to the appointment and tenure of the commissioner of public safety.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section eighty point two (80.2), Code 1971, is amend-  
 2 ed as follows:

3 80.2 Commissioner — appointment. The chief executive officer  
 4 of the department of public safety shall be the commissioner of pub-  
 5 lic safety. The governor shall appoint, with the approval of two-  
 6 thirds of the members of the senate, a commissioner of public safety,  
 7 who shall be a man of high moral character, of good standing in the  
 8 community in which he lives, of recognized executive and administra-  
 9 tive capacity, and who shall not be selected on the basis of political  
 10 affiliation. The commissioner of public safety shall devote his entire  
 11 time to the duties of this office; he shall not engage in any other trade,  
 12 business, or profession, nor shall he engage in any partisan or politi-  
 13 cal activity. He shall serve at the pleasure of the governor, at an  
 14 annual salary as fixed by the general assembly.

1 SEC. 2. Section eighty point three (80.3), Code 1971, is amended  
 2 by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

3 80.3 Vacancy. A commissioner of public safety appointed when  
 4 the general assembly is not in session shall serve at the pleasure of  
 5 the governor, but his term shall expire thirty days after the general  
 6 assembly next convenes in regular session, unless during such thirty  
 7 days he be approved by two-thirds of the members of the senate.

1 SEC. 3. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall  
 2 take effect and be in force from and after its publication in The Clin-  
 3 ton Herald, a newspaper published in Clinton, Iowa, and in The West  
 4 Des Moines Express, a newspaper published in West Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 1, 1971.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 170, was published in The Clin-  
 ton Herald, Clinton, Iowa, April 5, 1971, and in The West Des Moines Express, West  
 Des Moines, Iowa, April 8, 1971.

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†See Editor's note, page iii.

CHAPTER 107  
 IOWA CRIME COMMISSION  
 S. F. 507

AN ACT relating to the Iowa crime commission.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section eighty C point two (80C.2), Code 1971, is  
 2 amended as follows:

3     **80C.2 Commission established.** There is hereby established the  
 4 Iowa crime commission, hereinafter called the commission. The com-  
 5 mission shall be within the office of the governor[, however the gov-  
 6 ernor may assign the administration of the commission to the office  
 7 for planning and programming].

1     SEC. 2. Section eighty C point three (80C.3), Code 1971, is  
 2 amended as follows:

3     **80C.3 Commission functions.** The commission shall *act as the*  
 4 *state law enforcement planning agency for purposes established by*  
 5 *state or federal agencies. The commission may* conduct inquiries,  
 6 investigations, analysis and studies of all state, county, and city  
 7 departments and agencies concerned with the problems of crime, and  
 8 the commission may conduct inquiries, investigations, analyses, and  
 9 studies into the incidence and causes of crime in Iowa, in co-operation  
 10 with state, area, city and county agencies; and develop a statewide  
 11 program of interagency co-operation, in association with federal  
 12 agencies and officials, and those of other states concerned with the  
 13 problems of crime and based thereupon may make recommendations  
 14 to the governor, general assembly, and state agencies to carry out the  
 15 policy and purposes of this chapter. The commission in co-operation  
 16 with town, city, county and area agencies, and in conformity with  
 17 such guidelines as may be promulgated by federal agencies, shall  
 18 direct research, planning and action programs in furtherance of the  
 19 policy and purpose of this chapter.

1     SEC. 3. Section eighty C point six (80C.6), Code 1971, is amended  
 2 as follows:

3     **80C.6 Commission membership.** The commission shall consist of  
 4 [thirty-one] *thirty-two* members as follows:

5         1. Ten members shall be officials of town, cities or counties, ap-  
 6 pointed by the governor.

7         2. [Ten] *Eleven* members concerned with and knowledgeable about  
 8 the problems of criminal justice, appointed by the governor.

9         3. Ten officials of the state, as follows:

10             a. The attorney general.

11             b. The commissioner of public safety.

12             c. The director of the division of criminal investigation and bureau  
 13 of identification.

14             d. The director of the Iowa law-enforcement academy.

15             e. The director of the adult corrections services of the department  
 16 of social services.

17             f. *The chief of the Iowa highway safety patrol.*

18         The governor shall also appoint one state senator, one state repre-  
 19 sentative, a member of the board of parole, and a supreme court jus-  
 20 tice[, and an official of the state juvenile home].

21         4. The governor shall appoint an executive director of the commis-  
 22 sion who shall be his official representative, and who shall be the  
 23 principal executive administrator of the commission and shall also be  
 24 a member of the commission.

25         All commissioners designated by the governor shall serve at the  
 26 governor's pleasure.

Approved May 20, 1971.