

10 to location and route as may seem to it just and proper. Before grant-  
 11 ing such franchise, the commission shall make a finding that the pro-  
 12 posed line or lines are necessary to serve a public use and represents a  
 13 reasonable relationship to an overall plan of transmitting electricity in  
 14 the public interest. No franchise shall become effective until the peti-  
 15 tioners shall pay, or file an agreement to pay, all costs and expenses of  
 16 the franchise proceeding, whether or not objections are filed, including  
 17 costs of inspections or examinations of the route, hearing, salaries,  
 18 publishing of notice, and any other expenses reasonably attributable  
 19 thereto. *The funds received for the costs and the expenses of the*  
 20 *franchise proceeding shall be remitted to the treasurer of state for*  
 21 *deposit in the general fund of the state.*

1 SEC. 5. Notwithstanding the provisions of section eight point  
 2 thirty-three (8.33) of the Code, all unencumbered or unobligated bal-  
 3 ances of appropriations made by this Act for the fiscal year beginning  
 4 July 1, 1975 and ending June 30, 1976 shall revert to the general fund  
 5 on August 31, 1976. In all other respects the provisions of section eight  
 6 point thirty-three (8.33) of the Code shall apply to this Act.

1 SEC. 6. All federal grants to and the federal receipts of the agencies  
 2 appropriated funds under this Act are appropriated for the purposes  
 3 set forth in such federal grants or receipts.

\*Approved April 28, 1975 except the item designated as Sec. 2 herein  
 which is delineated with my reasons therefor in my veto message delivered  
 to the Secretary of State this same date, the original of which is attached  
 hereto, which I hereby disapprove.

s/ ROBERT D. RAY, Governor

See *Welden v. Ray*, NW 2d

CHAPTER 17

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

S. F. 506

AN ACT making an appropriation to the state conservation commission and divisions of the  
 commission.

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

1 SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
 2 and the funds indicated to the state conservation commission and its  
 3 divisions for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975 and ending June 30,  
 4 1976 the following amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to  
 5 be used for the following purposes:

6		1975-1976
7		<u>Fiscal Year</u>
8	1. DIVISION OF LANDS AND WATERS	
9	For deposit in the state conservation fund from the general fund of	
10	the state for salaries, support, maintenance, equipment and miscella-	
11	neous purposes of the division, maintenance of state parks, waters, and	
12	forests, prison labor programs and including not more than eight	
13	hundred eighty-three thousand two hundred fifteen (883,215) dollars	
14	which shall be available for the administration fund from the state	
15	conservation fund in compliance with the provisions of section one	
16	hundred seven point seventeen (107.17) of the Code.....	\$3,071,037

17	2. DIVISION OF FISH AND GAME	
18	From the state fish and game protection fund for salaries, support,	
19	maintenance, equipment and miscellaneous purposes, including not	
20	more than eight hundred eighty-three thousand two hundred fifteen	
21	(883,215) dollars, which shall be available from the state fish and game	
22	protection fund for the administration fund in compliance with the	
23	provisions of section one hundred seven point seventeen (107.17) of the	
24	Code.....	\$5,369,026
25	3. STATE ADVISORY BOARD FOR PRESERVES	
26	From the general fund of the state for salaries, support, mainte-	
27	nance, equipment and miscellaneous purposes for carrying out the du-	
28	ties of the board.....	\$ 22,540
29	4. LAND SURVEYS	
30	From the general fund of the state for land surveys to establish and	
31	identify the boundaries to state-owned land along the Missouri and	
32	Mississippi Rivers.....	\$ 40,000
33	5. MISSOURI AND MISSISSIPPI RIVER BASIN COMMISSIONS	
34	From the general fund of the state for the state's contribution for	
35	support of the Missouri and Mississippi River Basin Commissions	
36	.....	\$ 42,710

1 SEC. 2. There is appropriated from the marine fuel tax fund for the  
2 fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975 and ending June 30, 1976 to the state  
3 conservation commission, division of lands and waters, such amounts  
4 of funds computed as provided in section three hundred twenty-four  
5 point eighty-four (324.84) of the Code, which funds shall be deposited  
6 in the state conservation fund for use in the state conservation  
7 commission recreational boating program as provided in subsections  
8 one (1) through five (5) of section three hundred twenty-four point  
9 seventy-nine (324.79) of the Code. Notwithstanding section seven (7) of  
10 this Act, the unencumbered or unobligated balances of funds  
11 specifically allocated for capital projects shall not revert to the fund  
12 from which appropriated until June 30, 1979.

1 SEC. 3. All receipts and refunds and reimbursements related to ac-  
2 tivities funded by the administration fund are appropriated to the ad-  
3 ministration fund. All refunds and reimbursements relating to ac-  
4 tivities of the state fish and game protection fund shall be credited  
5 to the state fish and game protection fund.

1 SEC. 4. The transfer of funds from the state conservation fund and  
2 the state fish and game protection fund to the administration funds  
3 shall not exceed the amounts specified in subsections one (1) and two  
4 (2) of section one (1) of this Act.

1 SEC. 5.\* The funds appropriated by subsection one (1) of section one  
2 (1) of this Act shall, except for administration personnel, be used to  
3 pay salaries and for support for a table of organization of not more  
4 than one hundred fifty-nine permanent full-time positions. The funds  
5 appropriated by subsection two (2) of section one (1) of this Act shall,  
6 except for administration personnel, be used to pay salaries and sup-  
7 port for a table of organization of not more than two hundred twenty-  
8 eight permanent full-time positions. The funds appropriated by subsec-  
9 tion three (3) of section one (1) of this Act shall be used to pay the sal-  
10 ary and support for not more than one permanent full-time position.  
11 The funds transferred for the administration fund pursuant to subsec-  
12 tions one (1) and two (2) of section one (1) of this Act shall be used to

\*Amended by ch 53 of these Acts

13 pay salaries and for support for a combined administration table of or-  
 14 ganization for both the division of lands and waters and division of  
 15 fish and game of not more than one hundred five permanent full-time  
 16 positions.

1 SEC. 6. All federal grants to and the federal receipts of the state  
 2 conservation commission are appropriated for the purposes set forth in  
 3 such federal grants or receipts.

1 SEC. 7. Notwithstanding the provisions of section eight point thirty-  
 2 three (8.33) of the Code, except as provided in section two (2) of this  
 3 Act, all unencumbered or unobligated balances of appropriations made  
 4 by this Act for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975 and ending June  
 5 30, 1976 shall revert to the fund from which appropriated on August  
 6 31, 1976. In all other respects the provisions of section eight point thirty-  
 7 three (8.33) of the Code shall apply to this Act.

Approved June 3, 1975

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## CHAPTER 18

### TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR TOWING ABANDONED VEHICLES

#### H. F. 910

AN ACT making an appropriation to the department of transportation to be used to reimburse nonprofit civic leagues or organizations for towing expenses incurred in the collection of abandoned motor vehicles.

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

1 SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
 2 to the department of transportation for the fiscal year beginning July  
 3 1, 1975 and ending June 30, 1976, the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dol-  
 4 lars, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used to reimburse non-  
 5 profit civic leagues or organizations for towing expenses incurred prior  
 6 to August 23, 1974 in the collection of abandoned motor vehicles, as  
 7 defined in section three hundred twenty-one point eighty-nine (321.89)  
 8 of the Code. Reimbursement shall be limited to one dollar for each  
 9 mile that an abandoned motor vehicle was towed and shall not apply  
 10 to expenses incurred in storing an abandoned motor vehicle. Claims for  
 11 reimbursement shall be filed with the department of transportation be-  
 12 fore January 1, 1976. No claims shall be paid until after the filing  
 13 deadline. If the total amount of valid claims exceeds the appropriation  
 14 made by this Act, the director of the department of transportation or a  
 15 designee shall reimburse the applicants on a proportional basis.

Approved July 8, 1975

This Act was passed by the G.A. prior to July 1, 1975; see §3.12 of the Code