

CHAPTER 85
PEACE OFFICERS

H. F. 820

AN ACT relating to the authority of peace officers employed by the department of public safety.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section eighty point nine (80.9), Code 1975, is amended
2 by adding the following new subsection:
3 NEW SUBSECTION.
4 3. They may administer oaths, acknowledge signatures, and take
5 voluntary testimony pursuant to their duties as provided by law.

Approved June 30, 1975

CHAPTER 86
CRIME COMMISSION

S. F. 303

AN ACT relating to the composition and appointment of members of the Iowa crime commission.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section eighty C point six (80C.6), Code 1975, is amend-
2 ed to read as follows:
3 **80C.6 Commission membership.** The commission shall consist
4 of ~~thirty-two~~ nine members *who are concerned with and knowledgeable*
5 *about the problems of criminal justice and who are appointed*
6 *by the governor as follows:*
7 1. ~~Ten~~ Five members ~~shall be officials of cities or counties, appoint-~~
8 ~~ed by the governor representative of law enforcement and criminal~~
9 ~~justice agencies maintaining programs to reduce and control crime,~~
10 ~~two of whom shall be officials of cities or counties, two of whom~~
11 ~~shall be officials of the state and one of whom shall be a representa-~~
12 ~~tive of a juvenile justice agency.~~
13 2. ~~Eleven~~ Four citizen members ~~concerned with and knowledgeable~~
14 ~~about the problems of criminal justice, appointed by the governor who~~
15 ~~have demonstrated knowledge and concern in the prevention and~~
16 ~~control of crime and delinquency. At least one citizen member shall~~
17 ~~be appointed to represent the citizens of the state who are affected~~
18 ~~by unemployment, low income or substandard housing.~~
19 3. ~~Ten~~ officials of the state, as follows:
20 a. The attorney general.
21 b. The commissioner of public safety.
22 c. The director of the division of criminal investigation and bureau
23 of identification.
24 d. The director of the Iowa law enforcement academy.
25 e. The director of the adult corrections services of the department of
26 social services.

27 f. ~~The chief of the Iowa highway safety patrol-~~
 28 ~~The governor shall also appoint one state senator, one state represen-~~
 29 ~~tative, a member of the board of parole and a supreme court justice-~~
 30 4. The governor shall appoint an executive director of the commis-
 31 sion who shall be his official representative, and who shall be the prin-
 32 cipal executive administrator of the commission ~~and shall also be a~~
 33 ~~member of the commission.~~
 34 All commissioners designated by the governor shall serve at the gov-
 35 ernor's pleasure. *No member of the general assembly shall be ap-*
 36 *pointed as a voting member of the commission.*

Approved July 14, 1975

This Act was passed by the G.A. prior to July 1, 1975; see §3.7 of the Code

CHAPTER 87

SURFACE COAL MINING

S. F. 314

AN ACT relating to the regulation of surface coal mining, imposing additional fees and providing a penalty for violation of the Act.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter eighty-three A (83A), Code 1975, is amended by
 2 adding section two (2) of this Act:

1 SEC. 2. NEW SECTION. **Environmental standards.** A surface coal
 2 mining operation for which application for registration is made on and
 3 after July 1, 1976 and, with respect to lands from which the overburden
 4 has not been removed, any coal mining operation existing on July 1,
 5 1976 shall comply with the following environmental standards:

6 1. Spoil, debris, soil, and waste materials from the cut made to ob-
 7 tain access to the coal seam shall be placed according to a plan ap-
 8 proved by the department.

9 2. A diverse, effective and permanent vegetative cover capable of
 10 self-regeneration and plant succession at least equal in extent of cover
 11 to the natural vegetation shall be established on all affected land.
 12 Plant succession includes crop succession if the land had the capability
 13 of the crop succession before registration of a site. Introduced species
 14 may be used in the revegetation process where necessary to achieve the
 15 rehabilitation work required by the department under this chapter. If
 16 the effectiveness of the revegetation requirements of this subsection
 17 cannot be determined by the department before the expiration of the
 18 twelve-month period allowed for rehabilitation pursuant to section
 19 eighty-three A point nineteen (83A.19) of the Code, the department
 20 shall extend the time for rehabilitation as necessary to meet the re-
 21 quirements of this subsection. The department may retain a portion of
 22 the bond or other security under this chapter as necessary to assure per-
 23 formance of the requirements of this subsection.

24 3. Topsoil shall be removed in a separate layer and replaced on the
 25 backfill area, or if not utilized immediately, segregated in a separate
 26 pile from other spoil. For purposes of this chapter "topsoil" means a
 27 nontoxic soil substrate capable of sustaining vegetation as required in
 28 this section. This soil substrate may consist of the A, B, and C soil ho-