

chapter means the board of accountancy established by this section. Upon the expiration of each of the terms and of each succeeding term, except that of the member from the accounting practitioner advisory committee, a successor shall be appointed for a term of three years beginning and ending as provided in section 69.19. Members except the member from the accounting practitioner advisory committee shall serve a maximum of three terms or nine years, whichever is less. Vacancies occurring in the membership of the board for any cause shall be filled in the same manner by the governor for the unexpired term and ~~shall be~~ are subject to senate confirmation. The public members of the board of accountancy shall be allowed to participate in administrative, clerical, or ministerial functions incident to giving the examination, but shall not determine the content of the examination or determine the correctness of the answers.

Sec. 2. Section 116.4, Code 1983, is amended by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

116.4 APPLICATIONS. Applications for certification as a certified public accountant and licensure as an accounting practitioner shall be on forms prescribed and furnished by the board. Character references may be required, but shall not be obtained from certified public accountants or accounting practitioners. An applicant shall not be ineligible for licensure because of age, citizenship, sex, race, religion, marital status or national origin although the application may require citizenship information. The board may consider the past felony record of an applicant only if the felony conviction relates directly to practice of accountancy.

Sec. 3. Section 116.5, Code 1983, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 4. If an applicant for certification as a certified public accountant does not successfully complete the required portions of the examination required by subsection 3 but does successfully complete the portions of the examination required for licensure as an accounting practitioner, the applicant may apply for a license as an accounting practitioner. The applicant remains eligible to retake the examination for certification as a certified public accountant in accordance with this section.

Sec. 4. Section 116.10, Code 1983, is repealed.

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CHAPTER 93
SOIL CONSERVATION LOAN PROGRAM
H.F. 518

AN ACT relating to the amount of money an individual farmer may be loaned under the soil conservation loan program.

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

Section 1. Section 175.2, subsection 18, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

18. "Conservation farm equipment" means the specialized planters, cultivators, and tillage equipment used for reduced tillage or no-till planting of row crops.

Sec. 2. Section 175.34, subsection 2, paragraph d, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

d. The amount of financing that may be provided under the soil conservation loan program shall not exceed the cost of implementing the permanent soil and water conservation practice or of acquiring the conservation farm equipment which the owner or operator is seeking to implement or acquire less any amounts the owner or operator will receive in public cost-sharing funds under chapter 467A or other provisions of state or federal law for ~~such~~ the implementation or acquisition. However, the maximum amount of loans that an owner or operator may receive ~~in one year~~ pursuant to this program shall not exceed ~~twenty five~~ fifty thousand dollars for permanent soil and water conservation practices and fifty thousand dollars for conservation farm equipment.

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CHAPTER 94

JUVENILE VICTIM RESTITUTION PROGRAM

H.F. 528

AN ACT relating to the revision of the juvenile victim restitution program.

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

Section 1. **DECLARATION OF PURPOSE.** The general assembly finds that programs which provide for victim restitution, community service, and other creative dispositions should be encouraged for use by juvenile courts pursuant to sections 232.29 and 232.46.

Sec. 2. **NEW SECTION. 232A.1 DEFINITIONS.** For purposes of this chapter, "agency" means the criminal and juvenile justice planning agency established in chapter 80C.

Sec. 3. **NEW SECTION. 232A.2 PROGRAM CREATED.** A juvenile victim restitution program is created which shall be funded through moneys appropriated by the general assembly to the agency. The primary purpose of the program is to provide funds to compensate victims for losses due to the delinquent acts of juveniles.

Upon completion of a district's plan, the agency shall provide funds in conformance with the procedures and policies of the state. The agency shall reclaim any portion of an initial allocation to a judicial district that is unencumbered on December 31 of any year. The agency shall immediately reallocate the reclaimed funds to those judicial districts from which funds were not reclaimed in the manner provided in this section for the original allocation. Any portion of an amount allocated that remains unencumbered on June 30 of any year shall revert to the general fund of the state.

Sec. 4. **NEW SECTION. 232A.4 REPORTS REQUIRED.** Each judicial district shall submit a report of the progress and financial status of its juvenile victim restitution program to the agency on a quarterly basis. The agency shall prepare and submit a report on the progress and financial status of the programs to the general assembly no later than March 15, 1984, and again every year thereafter.