

CHAPTER 1145
COMPUTER DATA STORAGE SYSTEMS
S.F. 2306

AN ACT authorizing the use of computer data storage systems for the collection, storage, and retrieval of intelligence data, providing for restrictions on access to these computer data storage systems, and requiring the adoption of rules for authorization to access a computer data storage system containing intelligence data.

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

Section 1. Section 68A.1, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

68A.1 PUBLIC RECORDS DEFINED. Wherever used in this chapter, "public records" includes all records, and documents, tape, or other information, stored or preserved in any medium, of or belonging to this state or any county, city, township, school corporation, political subdivision, or tax-supported district in this state, or any branch, department, board, bureau, commission, council, or committee of any of the foregoing.

Sec. 2. Section 692.8, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

Intelligence data contained in the files of the department of public safety or a criminal justice agency ~~shall not~~ may be placed within a computer data storage system, provided that access to the computer data storage system is restricted to authorized employees of the department or criminal justice agency and the computer data storage system is not interconnected with any other computer, computer system, or communication facility outside of the department or agency and cannot be accessed by persons outside of the department or agency.

Sec. 3. Section 692.10, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

692.10 RULES. The department shall adopt rules designed to assure the security and confidentiality of all systems established for the exchange of criminal history data and intelligence data between criminal justice agencies and for the authorization of officers or employees to access a department or agency computer data storage system in which criminal intelligence data is stored.

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