

CHAPTER 1017
DISCHARGE OF MECHANIC'S LIEN
H.F. 2287

AN ACT permitting the posting of a bond to discharge a mechanic's lien and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 572.15, Code 1985, is amended to read as follows:

572.15 DISCHARGE OF SUBCONTRACTOR'S MECHANIC'S LIEN.

Every A mechanic's lien of a subcontractor may be discharged at any time by the owner, principal contractor, or intermediate subcontractor filing with the clerk of the district court of the county in which the property is located a bond in twice the amount of the sum for which the claim for the lien is filed, with surety or sureties, to be approved by said the clerk, conditioned for the payment of any sum for which the claimant may obtain judgment upon the claim. This section applies to any mechanic's lien perfected under this chapter that has not been discharged as of the effective date of this Act as well as any mechanic's lien filed on or after the effective date of this Act.

Sec. 3.* This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect from and after its publication in the Jasper County Tribune, a newspaper published in Colfax, Iowa, and in The Cedar Valley Times, a newspaper published in Vinton, Iowa.

Approved March 13, 1986

Pursuant to the authority vested in the undersigned Secretary of State of the State of Iowa, under the provisions of Section 3.9, Code of Iowa, 1985, there being no newspaper by the name of The Cedar Valley Times, published in Vinton, Iowa, I hereby designate that House File 2287 be published in the Cedar Valley Daily Times, a newspaper published in Vinton, Iowa.

MARY JANE ODELL, *Secretary of State*

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 2287, was published in the Cedar Valley Daily Times, Vinton, Iowa, on March 19, 1986, and in the Jasper County Tribune, Colfax, Iowa, on March 20, 1986.

MARY JANE ODELL, *Secretary of State*

CHAPTER 1018
FIRE REPORTS
H.F. 660

AN ACT relating to the reporting of fires and emergency responses to the state fire marshal and the payment of fees for the fire reports.

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

Section 1. Section 100.3, Code 1985, is amended to read as follows:

100.3 TIME OF INVESTIGATION — REPORT.

~~Whenever~~ When death, serious bodily injury, or property damage in excess of two hundred thousand dollars has occurred as a result of a fire, or if arson is suspected, the fire official required by section 100.2 to make fire investigations, shall notify the state fire marshal's division immediately. Within ten days following the end of the month For all other fires causing an

*Section 2 was amended out of bill

estimated damage of fifty dollars or more or emergency responses by the fire service, the fire official required by section 100.2 to investigate shall file a report with the fire marshal's division within ten days following the end of the month. The report shall indicate all fire incidents occurring which have an estimated damage of fifty dollars or more and state for each incident the name of the owners and occupants of the property at the time of the fire, the value of the property, the estimated total loss to the property, the origin of the fire as determined by investigation, and other facts, statistics, and circumstances concerning the fire incidents incident. The report on each emergency response shall include the nature of the incident and other facts, statistics and circumstances concerning the emergency response.

Sec. 2. Section 100.34, Code 1985, is amended to read as follows:

100.34 FEE FOR FIRES REPORTED.

Every official reporting a fire to the state fire marshal as required by section 100.3 shall be paid the sum of ~~one dollar~~ two dollars for each fire so reported to the satisfaction of the state fire marshal and ~~mileage expenses for each mile traveled to and from the place of fire when the vehicle used is not owned by a governmental unit.~~ Said The allowances shall be paid semiannually by the state fire marshal out of any funds appropriated for the use of the office of ~~said the state fire marshal, provided that such.~~ The fees shall not be paid to any full-time salaried public official who is paid for full time at such fire service duties.

Approved March 18, 1986

CHAPTER 1019

FAILURE TO PAY MOTOR VEHICLE PENALTIES

H.F. 2068

AN ACT relating to the suspension of motor vehicle licenses for the failure to pay a fine, penalty, surcharge, or court cost.

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

Section 1. Section 321.210A, Code Supplement 1985, is amended to read as follows:

321.210A SUSPENSION FOR FAILURE TO PAY FINE, PENALTY, SURCHARGE, OR COURT COSTS.

The department shall suspend the motor vehicle license of a person who, upon conviction of violating a law regulating the operation of a motor vehicle, has failed to pay the criminal fine or penalty, surcharge, or court costs, as follows:

1. Upon the failure of a person to timely pay the fine, penalty, surcharge, or court costs the clerk of the district court shall notify the person by regular mail that if the fine, penalty, surcharge, or court costs remain unpaid after sixty days from the date of mailing, the clerk will notify the department of the failure for purposes of instituting suspension procedures.

2. Upon the failure of a person to pay the fine, penalty, surcharge, or court costs within sixty days of receiving notice from by the clerk of the district court as provided in subsection 1, the clerk shall report the failure to the department.

3. Upon receipt of a report of a failure to pay the fine, penalty, surcharge, or court costs from the clerk of the district court, the department shall in accordance with its rules, suspend the person's motor vehicle license until the fine, penalty, surcharge, or court costs are paid, unless the person proves to the satisfaction of the ~~clerk and the department~~ that the person cannot pay the fine, penalty, surcharge, or court costs.

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