

1987 Regular Session  
Of The  
**Seventy-Second General Assembly**  
Of The  
State Of Iowa

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**CHAPTER 1**  
EFFECTIVE DATES OF ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS  
*S.F. 68*

AN ACT relating to the effective dates of laws and resolutions passed by the general assembly, providing for the applicability of the Act, and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 3.7, Code 1987, is amended to read as follows:

**3.7 ACTS EFFECTIVE JULY 1 OR AUGUST 15 DATES OF ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS.**

1. All Acts and resolutions of a public nature passed at regular sessions of the general assembly shall take effect on the first day of July following their passage, unless some other specified time is provided in the an Act, or they have sooner taken effect by publication or resolution.

2. All Acts and resolutions of a public nature which are passed prior to July 1 at a regular session of the general assembly and which are approved by the governor on or after such July 1, shall take effect on August 15 next forty-five days after approval. However, this section subsection shall not apply to Acts provided for in section 3.12; or Acts and resolutions which specify when they take effect; or Acts which take effect by publication.

3. All Acts and resolutions passed at a special session of the general assembly shall take effect ninety days after adjournment of the special session unless a different effective day is stated in an Act or resolution.

4. An Act which is effective upon enactment is effective upon the date of signature by the governor; or if the governor fails to sign it and returns it with objections, upon the date of passage by the general assembly after reconsideration as provided in article III, section 16 of the Constitution of the State of Iowa; or if the governor fails to sign or return an Act submitted during session, but prior to the last three days of a session, on the fourth day after it is presented to the governor for the governor's approval. An Act which has an effective date which is dependent upon the time of enactment shall have the time of enactment determined by the standards of this subsection.

5. A concurrent or joint resolution which is effective upon enactment is effective upon the date of final passage by both chambers of the general assembly, except that such a concurrent or joint resolution requiring the approval of the governor under section 262A.4 or otherwise requiring the approval of the governor is effective upon the date of such approval. A resolution which is effective upon enactment is effective upon the date of passage. A concurrent or joint resolution or resolution which has an effective date which is dependent upon the time of enactment shall have the time of enactment determined by the standards of this subsection.

6. Unless retroactive effectiveness is specifically provided for in an Act or resolution, an Act or resolution which is enacted after an effective date provided in the Act or resolution shall take effect upon the date of enactment.

7. Proposed legalizing Acts shall be published prior to passage as provided in chapter 585.

8. An Act or resolution under this section is also subject to the applicable provisions of sections 16 and 17 of article III of the Constitution of the State of Iowa.

Sec. 2. Sections 3.8, 3.9, 3.10, 3.15, and 3.16, Code 1987, are repealed.

Sec. 3. This Act applies to all Acts and resolutions of the 1987 regular session and subsequent sessions of the general assembly.

Sec. 4. This Act takes effect upon enactment.

Approved February 19, 1987

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**CHAPTER 2**  
**ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORMS**  
*H.F. 129*

**AN ACT** relating to forms of acknowledgements.

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

Section 1. Section 558.39, Code 1987, is amended by adding the following new subsections:  
**NEW SUBSECTION. 12.** In the case of natural persons acting as custodian pursuant to chapter 565B or any other Uniform Transfers to Minors Act:

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that the custodian executed the instrument as custodian for (name of minor), under the (State) Uniform Transfers to Minors Act, as the voluntary act and deed of the person and of the custodian.

**NEW SUBSECTION. 13.** In the case of corporations or national banking associations acting as custodians pursuant to chapter 565B or any other Uniform Transfers to Minors Act:

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, to me personally known, who, by me duly sworn, did say that they are the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, respectively, of the Corporation executing the foregoing instrument; that (no seal has been procured by) (the seal affixed thereto is the seal of) the corporation; that the instrument was signed (and sealed) on behalf of the Corporation by authority of its Board of Directors; that \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledged the execution of the instrument as custodian of (name of minor), under the (State) Uniform Transfers to Minors Act, to be the voluntary act and deed of the person and of the custodian.

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