

Sec. 2. Section 99D.22, subsection 2, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

For the purposes of this chapter, the following shall be considered in determining if a horse is an Iowa-foaled thoroughbred horse, quarter horse, or standardbred horse:

Sec. 3. Section 99D.22, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

a. All thoroughbred horses, quarter horses, or standardbred horses foaled in Iowa prior to January 1, 1985, which are registered by the jockey club, American quarter horse association, or United States trotting association as Iowa foaled shall be considered to be Iowa foaled.

Sec. 4. Section 99D.22, subsection 2, paragraph c, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

To be eligible for registration as an Iowa thoroughbred, quarter horse, or standardbred stallion, the following requirements shall be met:

Sec. 5. Section 99D.22, subsection 2, paragraph c, subparagraph (1), Code 1995, is amended by striking the subparagraph and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(1) Stallion residency from January 1 through July 31 for the year of registration. However, horses going to stud for the first year shall be eligible upon registration with residency to continue through July 31.

Sec. 6. Section 99D.22, subsection 3, paragraphs a and d, Code 1995, are amended to read as follows:

a. Adopt standards to qualify thoroughbred, quarter horse, or standardbred stallions for Iowa breeding. A stallion shall stand for service in the state at the time of the foal's conception and shall not stand for service at any place outside the state during the calendar year in which the foal is conceived.

d. Adopt a schedule of fees to be charged to breeders of thoroughbreds, quarter horses, or standardbreds to administer this subsection.

Sec. 7. Section 99D.22, subsection 4, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

4. To qualify for the Iowa horse and dog breeders fund, a dog shall have been whelped in Iowa and raised for the first six months of its life in Iowa. In addition, the owner of the dog shall have been a resident of the state for at least two years prior to the whelping. The department of agriculture and land stewardship shall adopt rules and prescribe forms to bring Iowa breeders into compliance with residency requirements of dogs and breeders in this subsection.

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CHAPTER 134

FARM DEER

S.F. 85

AN ACT providing for the regulation of farm deer and making penalties applicable.

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

Section 1. Section 189A.2, Code 1995, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 5A. "Farm deer" means an animal belonging to the cervidae family and classified as part of the dama species of the dama genus, commonly referred to

as fallow deer; part of the elaphus species of the cervus genus, commonly referred to as red deer or elk; or part of the nippon species of the cervus genus, commonly referred to as sika. However, a farm deer does not include any unmarked free ranging elk.

Sec. 2. Section 189A.2, subsection 14, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

14. "Livestock" means ~~any a live or dead animal which is limited to~~ cattle, sheep, swine, goats, ~~horses, mules or other equines, whether live or dead~~ farm deer, or which is classified as an equine including a horse or mule.

Sec. 3. Section 189A.2, subsection 16, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

16. "Meat food product" means any product capable of use as human food which is made wholly or in part from any meat or other portion of the carcass of any cattle, sheep, swine, or goats, excepting products which contain meat or other portions of such carcasses only in a relatively small proportion or historically have not been considered by consumers as products of the meat food industry, and which are exempted from definition as a meat food product by the secretary under such conditions as the secretary may prescribe to assure that the meat or other portions of such carcass contained in such product are not adulterated and that such products are not represented as meat food products. This term as applied to food products of equines or farm deer shall have a meaning comparable to that provided in this paragraph with respect to cattle, sheep, swine, and goats.

Sec. 4. Section 189A.18, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

189A.18 HUMANE SLAUGHTER PRACTICES.

Every establishment subject to the provisions of this chapter engaged in the slaughter of bovine, porcine, or ovine animals or farm deer shall slaughter all such animals in an approved humane slaughtering method. For purposes of this section an approved humane slaughtering method shall include and be limited to slaughter by shooting, electrical shock, captive bolt, or use of carbon dioxide gas prior to the animal being shackle hoisted, thrown, cast or cut; however, the slaughtering, handling or other preparation of livestock in accordance with the ritual requirements of the Jewish or any other faith that prescribes and requires a method whereby slaughter becomes effected by severance of the carotid arteries with a sharp instrument is hereby designated and approved as a humane method of slaughter under the law.

Sec. 5. Section 481A.1, subsection 20, paragraph h, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

h. The Cervidae: such as ~~deer and elk or deer, other than farm deer.~~ As used in this paragraph, "farm deer" means an animal belonging to the cervidae family and classified as part of the dama species of the dama genus, commonly referred to as fallow deer; part of the elaphus species of the cervus genus, commonly referred to as red deer or elk; or part of the nippon species of the cervus genus, commonly referred to as sika. However, a farm deer does not include any unmarked free ranging elk.

Sec. 6. Section 717.1, subsection 2, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

2. "Livestock" means an animal belonging to the bovine, caprine, equine, ovine, or porcine species; farm deer, as defined in section 481A.1; or poultry.

Sec. 7. The department of agriculture and land stewardship shall conduct a study relating to the needs and desirability of adopting or enhancing animal health requirements including health certificates for farm deer. In conducting the study, the department shall solicit comments and participation from organizations representing farm deer producers, cattle producers, pork producers, sheep producers, and the department of natural resources. As used in this section, "farm deer" means an animal belonging to the cervidae family and classified as part of the dama species of the dama genus, commonly referred to as fallow deer; part of the elaphus species of the cervus genus, commonly referred to as red deer or elk; or part of the nippon species of the cervus genus, commonly referred to as sika. However, a farm deer does not include any unmarked free ranging elk.