

**CHAPTER 1004**  
OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES IN BORDER CITIES  
*H.F. 2066*

**AN ACT** relating to the operation of motor vehicles in border cities and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 321.457, subsection 2, paragraph f, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

f. A motor vehicle or combination of vehicles may be operated upon the highways of this state, irrespective of the length and weight limitations imposed by the laws of this state, if the motor vehicle or combination of vehicles is operated within the corporate limits of a city abutting a border of this state and such operations have been approved by ordinance of the city council and if the length and weight of the motor vehicle or combination of vehicles is in conformity with the laws relating to length and weight of the abutting state ~~on July 1, 1974~~. If a city council has authorized such operation upon highways within the corporate limits, then the limit of travel for such motor vehicles or combination of vehicles within the state is extended to the commercial zones as described by federal regulations concerning interstate commerce, ~~49 code of federal regulations, paragraphs 1048.10, 1048.38, and C.F.R. § 1048.101 as they exist on July 1, 1974~~ and to the interstate system as provided in 23 U.S.C. § 127 and 49 U.S.C. § 31112(c), as amended by 1995 Pub. L. No. 104-59.

Sec. 2. IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, is effective upon enactment.

Approved March 1, 1996

---

**CHAPTER 1005**  
IMPLEMENTS OF HUSBANDRY  
*S.F. 2072*

**AN ACT** relating to implements of husbandry by providing for machinery towed by a motor vehicle or farm tractor, and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 321.1, subsection 32, paragraph f, Code Supplement 1995, is amended to read as follows:

f. Self-propelled machinery ~~or machinery towed by a motor vehicle or farm tractor~~ operated at speeds of less than thirty miles per hour or machinery towed by a motor vehicle or farm tractor. The machinery must be specifically designed for, or especially adapted to be capable of, incidental over-the-road and primary off-road usage. In addition, the machinery must be used exclusively for the mixing and dispensing of nutrients to bovine animals fed at a feedlot, or the application of organic or inorganic plant food materials,

agricultural limestone, or agricultural chemicals. However, the machinery shall not be specifically designed or intended for the transportation of such nutrients, plant food materials, agricultural limestone, or agricultural chemicals.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

Approved March 4, 1996

---

**CHAPTER 1006**  
ABUSE OF A HUMAN CORPSE  
S.F. 2088

**AN ACT** prohibiting abuse of a human corpse, and providing a penalty.

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

Section 1. **NEW SECTION.** 709.18 ABUSE OF A CORPSE.

A person commits abuse of a human corpse if the person knowingly and intentionally engages in a sex act, as defined in section 702.17, with a human corpse. Abuse of a human corpse is a class "D" felony.

Approved March 11, 1996

---

**CHAPTER 1007**  
MINIMUM SCHOOL DAY REQUIREMENTS  
S.F. 2083

**AN ACT** relating to minimum instructional time requirements for a school week.

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

Section 1. Section 256.7, subsection 19, paragraph b, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

b. If the total hours of instructional school time for grades one through twelve for any five consecutive school days equal a minimum of twenty-seven and one-half hours, even though any one day of school is less than the minimum instructional hours because of a staff development opportunity provided for the professional instructional staff or because parent-teacher conferences have been scheduled beyond the regular school day. Furthermore, if the total hours of instructional time for the first four consecutive days equal at least twenty-seven and one-half hours because parent-teacher conferences have been scheduled beyond the regular school day, a school or school district may record zero hours of instructional time on the fifth consecutive school day as a minimum school day.

Approved March 20, 1996