

Sec. 3. Section 602.8103, subsection 4, paragraph c, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

c. Records, dockets, and court files of civil and criminal actions heard in the municipal court which were transferred to the clerk, other than juvenile and adoption proceedings, or heard in justice of the peace proceedings, after a period of twenty years from the date of filing of the actions.

Sec. 4. Section 602.8103, subsection 4, Code 1995, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. j. Court reporters' notes and certified transcripts of those notes in mental health hearings under section 229.12 and substance abuse hearings under section 125.82, ninety days after respondent has been discharged from involuntary custody.

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**CHAPTER 1020**  
VESSELS – CERTIFICATES OF TITLE  
S.F. 2259

**AN ACT** relating to issuance of a certificate of title for a documented vessel.

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

Section 1. Section 462A.77, subsection 3, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

3. a. A person who, on January 1, 1988, is the owner of a vessel seventeen feet or longer in length with a valid certificate of number issued by the state is not required to file an application for a certificate of title for the vessel. A person who, on or after January 1, 1988, purchases a vessel seventeen feet or longer in length which was registered with a valid certificate of number issued by this state before January 1, 1988, shall obtain a certificate of title for the vessel.

b. A person who is the owner of a vessel that is documented with the United States coast guard is not required to file an application for a certificate of title for the vessel and the vessel is exempt from the requirements of sections 462A.82\* and 462A.84.

Sec. 2. Section 462A.82, Code 1995, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 3. If a vessel is documented with the United States coast guard, the owner shall mail or deliver to the county recorder proof of the documentation and the owner's certificate of title issued pursuant to this chapter is canceled upon the delivery. A title tax is not required on these transactions.

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\*Section 462A.82, subsections 1 and 2 probably intended