

**CHAPTER 1039****POLLING PLACES — DIRECTIONAL SIGNS***H.F. 2330*

**AN ACT** relating to directional signs visible from the street at polling places.

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

Section 1. Section 49.21, Code 1999, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

**NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH.** On the day of an election, the commissioner shall post a sign stating "vote here" at the entrance to each driveway leading to the building where a polling place is located. The sign must be visible from the street or highway fronting the driveway, but shall not encroach upon the right-of-way of such street or highway.

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**CHAPTER 1040****IMPLEMENTS OF HUSBANDRY***H.F. 2368*

**AN ACT** relating to weight restrictions on certain implements of husbandry and providing for a study.

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

Section 1. Section 321.463, subsection 4, paragraph b, Code Supplement 1999, is amended by striking the paragraph and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

b. (1) Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, the weight on any one axle of a fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon operated on the highways of this state shall not exceed twenty-four thousand pounds from February 1 through May 31 or twenty-eight thousand pounds from June 1 through January 31, provided, however, that the maximum gross vehicle weight of the fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon shall not exceed ninety-six thousand pounds.

A fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon shall comply with the other provisions of this section and chapter when operated over a bridge in this state. A local authority may issue a special permit, based on a statewide standard developed by the department, allowing the operation over a bridge within its jurisdiction of a fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon with a weight in excess of the weights allowed under this chapter.

(2) For purposes of this paragraph "b", "highway" does not include a bridge.

For purposes of this paragraph "b", "fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon" means all of the following:

- (a) A fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon manufactured on or after July 1, 2001.
- (b) After July 1, 2005, any fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon.

The year of manufacture of a fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon manufactured on or after July 1, 2001, shall be permanently made a part of the identification plate on the vehicle. Fraudulently altering or defacing or attempting to fraudulently alter or deface the year of manufacture or other product identification number on a fence-line feeder, grain cart, or tank wagon is a violation of section 321.92.