

CHAPTER 1049

BREEDING BULLS — HEALTH CERTIFICATES

H.F. 2085

AN ACT relating to health certificate requirements for breeding bulls and making penalties applicable.

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

Section 1. Section 163.40, Code 1999, is amended by adding the following new subsection:
NEW SUBSECTION. 3. "Licensee" means a person required to obtain a license pursuant to section 163.41.

Sec. 2. Section 163.43, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

163.43 HEALTH CERTIFICATE REQUIRED.

~~1. No licensee shall lease as lessor, and no A person shall lease as not be lessee, a party to a lease of a breeding bull within this state in which the lessor is a licensee, unless such the breeding bull is accompanied by a health certificate signed. For the purposes of this section, a breeding bull is leased within this state if it is leased to an Iowa resident.~~

~~2. The health certificate shall be issued by a licensed veterinarian and showing who examines the breeding bull and signs the health certificate. The health certificate shall include all of the following:~~

~~1. That the breeding bull has been tested by a licensed veterinarian within sixty days prior to rental and found to be free from Bang's disease, and tuberculosis.~~

~~2. a. That, A statement that to the best of the knowledge and belief of the examining licensed veterinarian, the breeding bull is apparently free from any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease.~~

~~b. A statement that the breeding bull has reacted negatively to a test for brucellosis conducted within six months prior to the date that the veterinarian signs the health certificate.~~

~~c. If the breeding bull does not originate from this state, a statement that importing the breeding bull satisfies applicable importation requirements.~~

~~3. d. The identification number of the breeding bull tested and the as required pursuant to section 163.42.~~

~~e. The date of issuance of that the health certificate is issued.~~

~~3. Such The health certificate shall not be valid for one rental on one premise only after the term of the lease expires or after the breeding bull moves from the lessee's premises. Thereafter, a new health certificate must be issued after the breeding bull has been retested; but no new test for tuberculosis shall be required if the breeding bull is leased within sixty days of the last tuberculosis test as required in this section.~~

~~4. One copy of the health certificate shall be filed with the department within fourteen days after its issuance; and one issued to the licensee who shall maintain the health certificate as part of the licensee's business records. One copy of the health certificate shall be issued to the lessee when the breeding bull is delivered to the lessee. A licensee shall show the health certificate of any breeding bull upon the request of to any person designated by the department to enforce the provisions of this division section. The licensee shall also, within ten days after the lease of each breeding bull, notify the department in writing of the name and address of the person to whom the breeding bull is being leased, together with the date of delivery.~~

~~For the purposes of this section, a breeding bull is leased within this state if it is leased to an Iowa resident.~~

Sec. 3. Section 163.46, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

163.46 SALE OF SEMEN.

~~It shall be unlawful for the The owner of any a breeding bull located within this state to~~

~~shall not sell the semen from that bull for the purpose of artificial insemination unless that person has the owner is in possession of a signed health certificate signed and issued by a licensed veterinarian within twelve six months before the date the semen was is collected, provided the. The health certificate shall not be valid if the bull had not been is moved to any other premise another premises between the date of examination and the date of collection, showing. The health certificate shall show that on the date of issue the breeding bull had been tested negative for tuberculosis and Bang's disease brucellosis and, to the best knowledge and belief of the examining veterinarian, was apparently free from any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease. If a breeding bull is moved to any other premise after issuance of the health certificate but prior to collection of the semen, that health certificate shall be invalid for purposes of this section.~~

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CHAPTER 1050

HEALTH ORGANIZATIONS — RISK-BASED CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

H.F. 2316

AN ACT relating to the regulation of health organizations for purposes of solvency and establishing a measure for the risk-based capital of a health organization.

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

Section 1. NEW SECTION. 521F.1 PURPOSE.

The purpose of this chapter is to establish minimum capital requirements for health organizations that will provide protection related to the risks to which an individual health organization may be subject including, but not limited to, the health organization's asset risk, underwriting risk, credit risk, and other business risk.

Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 521F.2 DEFINITIONS.

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

1. "Adjusted risk-based capital report" means a risk-based capital report adjusted by the commissioner pursuant to section 521F.3, subsection 4.
2. "Commissioner" means the commissioner of insurance.
3. "Corrective order" means an order issued by the commissioner specifying corrective actions which the commissioner has determined are required.
4. "Domestic health organization" means a health organization domiciled in this state.
5. "Filing date" means March 1 of each year.
6. "Foreign health organization" means a health organization that is not domiciled in this state.
7. "Health organization" means a health maintenance organization, limited service organization, dental or vision plan, hospital, medical and dental indemnity or service corporation or other managed care organization licensed under chapter 514, 514B, or 1993 Iowa Acts, chapter 158, or any other entity engaged in the business of insurance, risk transfer, or risk retention, that is subject to the jurisdiction of the commissioner of insurance or the director of public health. "Health organization" does not include an insurance company licensed to transact the business of insurance under chapter 508, 515, or 520, and which is otherwise subject to chapter 521E.
8. "Revised risk-based capital plan" means a risk-based capital plan that has been rejected by the commissioner and has been revised by the health organization, with or without the commissioner's recommendation.