

limited to, yard campaign signs, bumper stickers, pins, buttons, pens, political business cards, and matchbooks.

Sec. 17. Section 68A.406, subsection 1, paragraph f, Code 2005, is amended to read as follows:

f. Property leased by a candidate, committee, or an organization established to advocate the nomination, election, or defeat of a candidate or the passage or defeat of a ballot issue that has not yet registered pursuant to section 68A.201, when the property is used as campaign headquarters or a campaign office and the placement of the sign is limited to the space that is actually leased.

Sec. 18. Section 68A.406, subsection 2, Code 2005, is amended by adding the following new paragraphs:

NEW PARAGRAPH. e. Within three hundred feet of an absentee voting site during the hours when absentee ballots are available in the office of the county commissioner of elections as provided in section 53.10.

NEW PARAGRAPH. f. Within three hundred feet of a satellite absentee voting station during the hours when absentee ballots are available at the satellite absentee voting station as provided in section 53.11.

Sec. 19. Section 68A.406, subsection 3, Code 2005, is amended to read as follows:

3. Yard Campaign signs with dimensions of thirty-two square feet or less are exempt from the attribution statement requirement in section 68A.405. Campaign signs in excess of thirty-two square feet, or signs that are affixed to buildings or vehicles regardless of size except for bumper stickers, are required to include the attribution statement required by section 68A.405. The placement or erection of yard campaign signs shall be exempt from the requirements of chapter 480 relating to underground facilities ~~organization~~ information.

Sec. 20. Section 68A.503, subsection 4, paragraph c, Code 2005, is amended to read as follows:

c. The placement of yard campaign signs under section 68A.406.

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CHAPTER 73

SALE AND PURCHASE OF AMMONIUM NITRATE

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AN ACT regulating the sale of ammonium nitrate by fertilizer dealers, and providing penalties.

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

Section 1. Section 200.3, Code 2005, is amended by adding the following new subsections:
NEW SUBSECTION. 0A. "Ammonium nitrate" means a compound that is chiefly composed of ammonium salt of nitric acid which contains not less than thirty-three percent nitrogen, one-half of which is in the ammonium form and one-half in the nitrate form.

NEW SUBSECTION. 12A. "Licensee" means a person licensed under section 200.4.

Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 200.17A AMMONIUM NITRATE SECURITY.

A licensee who sells ammonium nitrate on a retail basis shall comply with all of the following:

1. The licensee shall store the ammonium nitrate in a location which secures it from unauthorized access, and which prevents and provides for the detection of its theft.
2. A licensee shall only sell ammonium nitrate to a purchaser who presents a current official identification issued by the federal government or a state government which includes the purchaser's photograph and identifying information including the person's legal name and home address.
3. The licensee shall maintain a record of each sale of ammonium nitrate as follows:
 - a. The record shall be on a form promulgated or approved by the department. The form shall include at least all of the following:
 - (1) The date of sale.
 - (2) The quantity of ammonium nitrate purchased.
 - (3) The information contained in the purchaser's official identification as provided in this section. If the official identification is a driver's license, the information shall include the driver's license number. A photocopy of the purchaser's current official identification on file with the licensee shall comply with the requirements of this subparagraph.
 - (4) The purchaser's telephone number.
 - (5) The purchaser's signature.
 - b. The licensee shall maintain the record for at least two years after the date of the sale.
4. The department, a law enforcement officer as defined in section 80B.3, or an agent of the United States department of justice may examine and photocopy the record during regular business hours.

Sec. 3. Section 200.18, subsection 2, Code 2005, is amended to read as follows:

2. ~~a. A~~ Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a person violating this chapter or rules adopted by the secretary pursuant to this chapter shall be is guilty of a simple misdemeanor. ~~However, a~~

~~b. A person who tampers with, possesses, or transports anhydrous ammonia or anhydrous ammonia equipment commits is guilty of~~ a serious misdemeanor under section 124.401F.

~~c. A person who intentionally presents false identification or other information required in section 200.17A in order to purchase ammonium nitrate commits a serious misdemeanor. A person who purchases ammonium nitrate from a person required to be licensed under section 200.4 with the intention of manufacturing an explosive or incendiary device or material is guilty of a class "D" felony.~~

~~2A. A person who is licensed pursuant to section 200.4 who fails to comply with the requirements of section 200.17A shall be subject to disciplinary action by the department. For a first violation, the department may suspend the person's license for up to ninety days. For a subsequent violation, the department may suspend the person's license for a longer period or revoke the person's license.~~

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