

if the division issues a commitment for title guaranty or title guaranty certificate. The closing protection letter shall conform to the terms of coverage and form of the instrument as approved by the division board and may indemnify a person to whom a proposed title guaranty is to be issued against loss of settlement funds due to only the following acts of the division's named participating attorney, ~~or participating abstractor, or closer~~:

- a. Theft of settlement funds.
- b. Failure by the participating attorney, ~~or participating abstractor, or closer~~ to comply with written closing instructions of the person to whom a proposed title guaranty is to be issued relating to title certificate coverage when agreed to by the participating attorney, ~~or participating abstractor, or closer~~.

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

Approved April 11, 2008

CHAPTER 1056

REGULATION OF CARNIVAL AND FAIR SAFETY — AMUSEMENT RIDE INSPECTIONS

S.F. 2157

AN ACT relating to amusement ride safety inspection fees and special inspectors authorized by the division of labor services in the department of workforce development and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 88A.3, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

88A.3 RULES.

The commissioner shall adopt ~~and issue~~ rules for the safe installation, repair, maintenance, use, operation, and inspection of amusement devices, amusement rides, concession booths, and related electrical equipment at carnivals and fairs to the extent necessary for the protection of the public. The rules shall be based ~~upon~~ on generally accepted engineering standards and shall be concerned with, but not necessarily limited to, engineering force stresses, safety devices, and preventive maintenance. ~~Whenever such~~ If standards are available in suitable form ~~they, the standards~~ may be incorporated by reference. The rules shall provide for the reporting of accidents and injuries incurred from the operation of amusement devices or rides, concession booths, or related electrical equipment.

The commissioner may modify or repeal any rule adopted under the provisions of this chapter.

Sec. 2. Section 88A.4, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

88A.4 PERMIT AND INSPECTION FEES — NONLIABILITY AND SPECIAL INSPECTORS.

Annual inspection fees under this chapter shall be as follows:

1. Permit fees.
 - a. One through ten rides, or devices or concessions, ~~twenty~~ thirty dollars.

- b. Eleven or more rides, or devices or concessions, ~~thirty forty~~ dollars.
- 2. Mechanical and electrical inspection fees for amusement rides and devices.
 - a. For rides which are designed for seventy-five pounds or less per passenger unit, ~~sixty sev-~~
~~enty-five~~ dollars for each inspection.
 - b. For rides which are designed for seventy-five pounds or more and for which the manufac-
turer's recommended assembly time is less than forty work hours, ~~ninety one hundred ten~~ dol-
lars for each inspection.
 - c. For rides for which the manufacturer's recommended assembly time is forty work hours
or more, ~~one hundred twenty~~ two hundred fifty dollars for each inspection.
- 3. Electrical inspection of concession booths, and amusement devices fees, ~~thirty-five~~ forty
dollars each.
- 4. ~~Special inspectors authorization fee, twenty five dollars each. The special inspectors au-~~
~~thorization shall allow a person to perform inspections only on rides, devices, and concession~~
~~booths of an operator who makes the request for the special inspectors authorization. The fail-~~
~~ure of a special inspector to inform the commissioner of violations shall not subject the com-~~
~~missioner to liability for any damages incurred.~~

Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. The portion of the section of this Act amending section 88A.4, subsections 1 through 3, takes effect January 1, 2009.

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CHAPTER 1057

CULTURAL AFFAIRS — RECORDS, PROGRAMS, AND COMMITTEES

S.F. 2176

AN ACT relating to cultural affairs by providing for the preservation of electronic records, es-
tablishing local cultural committees, and creating a civil war sesquicentennial advisory
committee.

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

DIVISION I ONLINE RESEARCH CENTER

Section 1. Section 303.2, subsection 2, Code 2007, is amended by adding the following new
paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. 1. Establish, maintain, and administer a digital collection of historical
manuscripts, documents, records, reports, images, and artifacts and make the collection avail-
able to the public through an online research center.

DIVISION II CULTURE, HISTORY, AND ARTS TEAMS PROGRAM

Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 303.3E CULTURE, HISTORY, AND ARTS TEAMS PROGRAM.

1. The department of cultural affairs shall establish and administer a statewide program fa-
cilitating the promotion of culture, history, and arts in Iowa. The program's purpose shall be