

CHAPTER 1146

TEXTBOOKS USED AT HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

H.F. 2197

AN ACT recommending institutions of higher learning to provide students with specific textbook information.

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

Section 1. NEW SECTION. 261.7 TEXTBOOK NOTICE — LEGISLATIVE INTENT AND RECOMMENDATION.

1. In order to promote consumer choice and lower the costs of textbooks in higher education, the general assembly intends that students enrolled in institutions of higher learning have access to appropriate textbook information prior to the start of classes, with adequate time to pursue alternative purchase avenues.

2. The general assembly recommends that every public and private institution for higher education in this state, including those institutions referenced in chapters 260C and 262 and section 261.9, post the list of required and suggested textbooks for all courses and the corresponding international standard book numbers for such textbooks at least fourteen days before the start of each semester or term, to the extent possible, at the locations where textbooks are sold on campus and on the web site for the respective institution for higher education.

3. The college student aid commission is directed to convey the legislative intent and recommendation contained in this section to every institution for higher education in the state registered pursuant to chapter 261B at least once a year.¹

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CHAPTER 1147

ELUDING LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EXPLOSIVES REGULATION

H.F. 2266

AN ACT relating to the criminal offenses of eluding or attempting to elude a law enforcement vehicle and the possession of an incendiary or explosive device or material, and the regulation of explosives, and providing penalties.

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

Section 1. Section 101A.1, subsection 3, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

3. "Explosive" or "~~explosives~~" means any chemical compound, mixture or device, the primary or common purpose of which is to function by explosion, ~~i.e.~~, with substantially instantaneous release of gas and heat, unless such compound, mixture, or device is otherwise specifically classified by the United States department of transportation. The term "~~explosives~~" "explosive" includes all ~~material materials~~ which ~~is~~ are classified as a class A, class B, and class C explosives 1, division 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, or 1.4 explosive by the United States department of transportation, under 49 C.F.R. § 173.50, and all materials classified as explosive materials under 18 U.S.C. § 841, and includes, but is not limited to, dynamite, black powder, pellet powders, initiating explosives, blasting caps, electric blasting caps, safety fuse, fuse lighters, fuse igniters, squibs, cordeau detonative fuse, instantaneous fuse, igniter cord, igniters, smokeless pro-

¹ See chapter 1191, §125 herein