

CHAPTER 2
PIPELINE SAFETY VIOLATIONS — CIVIL PENALTIES
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AN ACT increasing civil penalties applicable to specified pipeline safety violations.

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

Section 1. Section 479.31, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2013, is amended to read as follows:

A person who violates this chapter or any rule or order issued pursuant to this chapter shall be subject to a civil penalty levied by the board not to exceed ~~ten one hundred thousand~~ one million dollars for each violation. Each day that the violation continues shall constitute a separate offense. However, the maximum civil penalty shall not exceed ~~five hundred thousand~~ one million dollars for any related series of violations. Civil penalties collected pursuant to this section shall be credited to and are appropriated for the Iowa energy center created in section 266.39C.

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