

CHAPTER 118

VULNERABLE ELDER — DEFINITION CHANGES

H.F. 328

AN ACT relating to the definition of vulnerable elder.

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

Section 1. [Section 235F.1, subsection 17](#), Code 2019, is amended to read as follows:

17. “*Vulnerable elder*” means a person sixty years of age or older who is unable to protect himself or herself from elder abuse as a result of ~~age or~~ a mental or physical condition or because of a personal circumstance which results in an increased risk of harm to the person.

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