

SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE FILE NO. 22.]

A BILL

*Com. on
Agriculture*

FOR AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE TRAFFIC IN HOGS INFECTED WITH THE SWINE
PLAGUE, OR HOG CHOLERA, AND TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF THE SAME.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* All traffic in swine
2 which have died with the swine plague or hog cholera, or from other diseases, within this
3 state, is hereby prohibited; and it shall be unlawful for any person to haul in any vehicle or
4 public conveyance any dead hogs, which have so died, or are known to be affected with such
5 disease, upon any public road or highway, or upon any farm or enclosure other than that
6 upon which said hogs have died: *provided, however,* there is nothing in this section that shall
7 be so construed as to prohibit the actual owner, or persons in charge of such dead hogs, to
8 immediately haul or ship the same in a tight wagon-box or box-cars to the nearest tank or
9 rendering establishment.

SEC. 2. Any person failing to dispose of any swine which have died with the swine plague,
2 hog cholera, or other diseases, and not selling the same as provided for in this act, shall imme-
3 diately cause the same to be burned, or buried to a depth of at least thirty (30) inches, so as
4 to prevent the spread of the disease.

SEC. 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misde-
2 meanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail
3 not more than thirty, nor less than ten, days, and by fine of not less than five dollars, nor
4 more than one hundred.

SEC. 4. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect on and after
2 its publication in the *Council Bluffs Daily Nonpareil*, published in the city of Council Bluffs,
3 and the *Iowa State Register*, published in the city of Des Moines.

B. F. CLAYTON, from the Committee on Agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred substitute for house file No. 22, a bill for an act to prohibit the traffic in hogs which have died with the swine plague or other diseases, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and have instructed me to report the same back to the house with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

B. F. CLAYTON, *Chairman.*

Ordered passed on file.

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2 which have died with the swine plague or hog cholera, or from other diseases, within this
3 state, is hereby prohibited, except as hereinafter provided; and it shall be unlawful for any
4 person to haul in any vehicle or public conveyance any dead hogs, which have so died, or are
5 known to be affected with such disease, upon any public road or highway, or upon any farm
6 or enclosure other than that upon which said hogs have died: *provided, however,* there is noth-
7 ing in this section that shall be so construed as to prohibit the actual owner, or persons in
8 charge of such dead hogs, to immediately haul or ship the same in a tight wagon-box or box-
9 cars to the nearest tank or rendering establishment for the purpose of selling the same.

SEC. 2. Any person failing to dispose of any swine which have died with the swine plague,
2 hog cholera, or other diseases, and not selling the same as provided for in this act, shall imme-
3 diately cause the same to be burned, or buried to a depth of at least thirty (30) inches, so as
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3 the *Iowa State Register*, published in the city of Des Moines.

MINORITY BILL, AS SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE FILE NO. 22.]

A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO PREVENT THE DISSEMINATION AND SPREAD OF HOG CHOLERA
AND OTHER CONTAGIOUS OR INFECTIOUS DISEASES AMONG SWINE.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That all traffic
2 in swine which have died of hog cholera, swine plague, or other contagious or infectious dis-
3 eases is hereby prohibited within the jurisdiction of this state. And it shall be unlawful for
4 any person to haul in any vehicle or other conveyance any hogs which have so died, or are
5 known to be affected with such disease, upon any public highway or upon any enclosure ex-
6 cept his own or that of which he may have charge at the time as superintendent or tenant.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of every person to immediately burn or bury, to the depth of
2 at least three feet, any and all swine which he or they may have lost by hog cholera, or other
3 infectious or contagious diseases, as a sanitary measure for both man and beast.

SEC. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person in this state to permit to run at large, or to
2 drive on the public highways, any swine known to be affected with the said hog cholera, or
3 other contagious or infectious diseases; but it shall be his duty to restrain the same within
4 his own enclosures, and use all proper diligence to prevent the spread of such disease, or dis-
5 eases, among other herds of swine.

SEC. 4. Any person knowingly violating any of the provisions of this act, shall be deemed
2 guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in
3 the county jail not more than twenty days, or by fine in any sum not exceeding one hundred
4 dollars, and shall be liable on civil suit for damages to parties injured in consequence of such
5 misdemeanor.

SEC. 5. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect on and after
2 its publication in the *Iowa State Register* and the *Iowa State Leader*, papers published at Des
3 Moines, Iowa.