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January 13, 1947.
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By GENERAL LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section three hundred seventy-two point six (372.6), Code 1946, relating to the title to the beds of meandered streams within the corporate limits of certain cities.

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

1 Section 1. Section three hundred seventy-two point six
2 (372.6), Code 1946, is amended by striking all beginning with
3 the word "When" in line one (1) and ending with the word
4 "taxation" in line eight (8) and inserting in lieu thereof
5 the following: "When said commissioners have been so
6 appointed and qualified, jurisdiction over the bed of the
7 meandered stream dividing or traversing the corporate limits
8 of the city shall immediately vest in the commission in trust
9 for the public, and the same while held by the commission
10 shall be exempt from taxation".

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 4

Fee simple title and fee title are used so interchangeable that the above amendment is desirable. The statute, section 372.6, should not attempt to qualify or impair the title of the state.