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House File 234

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Cities and Towns.

By PUTNEY and FREI.

## A BILL FOR

An Act to amend Chapter three hundred sixty-eight (368), Code, 1946, relating to the authorization of cities and towns, including special charter cities, to establish rules and fees for the storage, collection and disposal of garbage and other rubbish in sanitary districts.

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

1 Section 1. That section three hundred sixty-eight point  
2 nine (368.9), Code, 1946, be amended by adding to subsection  
3 two (2) the following:  
4 "Any city or town under any form of municipal government,  
5 including special charter cities, may within sanitary districts  
6 by ordinance establish rules for storage and rules and fees  
7 for the proper collection and disposal of garbage, rubbish  
8 and other waste material as may become dangerous to the public.  
9 health or detrimental to the best interests of the community.  
10 Such fee shall be charged only where such collection service  
11 is rendered and they shall be equitable and in proportion to  
12 the service rendered. Where such charges are not paid for  
13 more than sixty (60) days after they become due and when they  
14 are unpaid on July 1st of each year they shall be delinquent  
15 and constitute a lien upon the property to which the service

16 is being rendered. Such delinquency shall be promptly reported  
17 to the city council who shall certify the amounts thereof and  
18 the costs of making said delinquent collection together with  
19 all necessary information to the county auditor who shall  
20 spread the same upon the tax records. They shall then be  
21 collected in the same manner as delinquent sewer rental  
22 assessments are collected.”

1 . Sec. 2. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith  
2 are hereby repealed.

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 234

This is a bill to permit cities and towns to make and enforce rules and regulations and establish fees for the collection of garbage and the disposal of refuse.