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By SPECIAL BILLS COMMITTEE.

A BILL FOR

An Act to repeal chapter five hundred forty-nine (549), Code 1946, pertaining to adoption, registration, awarding, establishing regulations to award, revoke and prohibit the unauthorized use of the trade-mark "Made in Iowa" and the penalty prescribed therefor and to amend chapter twenty-eight (28), Code 1946, relating to the Iowa development commission, adopting, registering, and awarding the use of the trade-mark or label "Made in Iowa", and to revoke the unauthorized use thereof and to provide penalties for the unauthorized use of said trade-mark.

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

1 Section 1. Chapter five hundred forty-nine (549), Code,
2 1946, is hereby repealed.

1 Sec. 2. Amend section twenty-eight point seven (28.7), Code
2 1946, by inserting after subsection three (3), the following:

3 4. To aid in the promotion and development of manufact-
4 uring in Iowa, the Iowa development commission, may adopt a
5 label or trade-mark bearing the words "Made in Iowa" together
6 with any other appropriate design or inscription and this label
7 or trade-mark shall be registered in the office of the secretary
8 of state.

9 a. The Iowa development commission shall have the
10 right to register or file such label or trade-mark under the laws

11 of the United States or any foreign country which permits such
12 registration, making such registration as an association or
13 through an individual for the use and benefit of the Iowa develop-
14 ment commission.

15 b. The said Iowa development commission shall establish
16 uniform regulations and shall then grant to any manufacturer,
17 producer, or processor in the state, who conforms to such
18 regulations, the right to use said label or trade-mark. In making
19 such regulation, the Iowa development commission may make require-
20 ments as to the quality of such product, both as to materials and
21 workmanship.

22 c. Upon failure to comply with any requirements
23 established by the Iowa development commission, such privilege
24 may be then revoked, it being the purpose of this chapter to
25 make the said label or trade-mark stand for Iowa-made goods, and
26 also for goods of quality and merit.

27 d. No person, firm, partnership, or corporation shall
28 use the said label or trade-mark or advertise the same, or attach
29 the same on any manufactured article or agricultural product
30 except under permission obtained in accordance with the provisions
31 of this chapter. Any person or persons who shall use the said
32 label or trade-mark except as herein authorized shall be guilty
33 of a misdemeanor.

1 Sec. 3. Renumber remaining subsections.