

January 28, 1963.

Passed in File,
Highway Safety Comm 2/10

Passed Senate, Date.....

Vote: Ayes.....*46*..... Nays.....*0*.....

Approved.....*4-2-63*.....

Senate File 78

By HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE.

Passed House, Date.....*3-15-63*.....

Vote: Ayes.....*92*..... Nays.....*0*.....

Return to House 3/27
Reconsider Vote 3/27
Reconsider Vote on
amended bill 3/29
Vote: - 3/29 ayes 98
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A BILL FOR

An Act to prohibit bicycles or animal drawn vehicles from using the interstate system.

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

- 1 Section 1. Section three hundred twenty-one point two
- 2 hundred eighty-five (321.285), subsection eight (8), Code 1962,
- 3 is amended by adding the following:
- 4 "It is further provided that any kind of vehicle, implement,
- 5 or conveyance incapable of attaining and maintaining a speed of
- 6 forty (40) miles per hour shall be prohibited from using the
- 7 interstate system."

EXPLANATION OF SENATE FILE 78

For safety reasons the above subsection specifies that vehicular traffic on fully controlled access, divided and multi-laned highways must maintain a minimum speed of 40 miles per hour. It is impossible for a bicycle or an animal drawn vehicle to obtain this minimum speed. Therefore, such traffic on the high speed roads is not only a traffic hazard to all traffic but is actually endangering their own life. Within the time that portions of the state's interstate system has been open to traffic we have had one bicycle rider, a young lad, killed on the interstate in the vicinity of Sioux City.

SENATE FILE 78

- 1 Amend the title to Senate File 78 by striking from line
- 2 one (1) the words "bicycles or animal drawn vehicles" and
- 3 inserting in lieu thereof the words "certain vehicles and
- 4 implements".

Filed
March 27, 1963.

adopted 3/29 *Senate concurred 3/29*

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