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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

HOUSE FILE 2142
BY SCHRADER

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to open burning notification requirements and
2 providing a penalty.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 100.40A OPEN BURNING
2 NOTIFICATION.

3 1. A person shall not conduct an open burn without
4 providing the local fire department or a 911 service with
5 notification at least one day prior to conducting the open
6 burn.

7 2. For purposes of this section, "911 service" means the
8 same as defined in section 34.1.

9 3. A person violating a provision of this section is
10 guilty of a simple misdemeanor punishable by a fine of one
11 hundred dollars.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill relates to open burning notification
14 requirements.

15 The bill prohibits a person from conducting an open burn
16 without providing a local fire department or a 911 service
17 with notification at least one day prior to conducting the
18 open burn. The bill provides that a person violating a
19 provision of this section is guilty of a simple misdemeanor
20 punishable by a fine of \$100.

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Legislative Fiscal Bureau

Fiscal Note

HF 2142 - Open Burning Notifications (LSB 6167 HH)

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Description

The Bill requires a person wanting to have an open burn to notify the local fire department or 911 service at least one day prior to the open burn. The Bill specifies that a person in violation is guilty of a simple misdemeanor with a fine of \$100.

Assumptions

1. The number of persons that would not notify the local fire department is unknown, but not expected to be significant.
2. The number of potential violations is unknown, but is not expected to be significant.

Correctional Impact

House File 2142 is expected to have minimal correctional impact.

Fiscal Impact

House File 2142 is expected to have minimal fiscal impact.

Sources

Department of Natural Resources

Criminal and Juvenile Justice Planning Division, Department of Human Rights

_____/s/ Dennis C Prouty_____

February 7, 2002

The fiscal note and correction impact statement for this bill was prepared pursuant to Joint Rule 17 and pursuant to Section 2.56, Code of Iowa. Data used in developing this fiscal note and correctional impact statement are available from the Legislative Fiscal Bureau to members of the Legislature upon request.
