

SENATE FILE 246
BY KING

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the application procedure for variances for
2 open burning.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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NAT. RES. & ENVIRONMENT

1 Section 1. Section 455B.143, Code 2001, is amended by
2 adding the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 6. This section shall not apply to a
4 person seeking a variance from the rules or standards for open
5 burning. An application for a variance from the rules or
6 standards for open burning shall be submitted to the fire
7 chief of the fire district where the burn would take place.

8 EXPLANATION

9 This bill provides that an application for a variance from
10 rules or standards for open burning shall not be submitted to
11 the department of natural resources. Rather, the bill
12 provides that the application shall be submitted to the fire
13 chief of the fire district where the burn would take place.

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