

## HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

Bill:	Senate File 473	House Committee:	<b>PASSED</b> 3/29/2029	<b>20-0</b>
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### ILHAC Code Updates *Code Chapter 267*

**Senate File 473** proposes to make a couple of changes to updates provisions of the Iowa Livestock Health Advisory Council (ILHAC). The impetus for the bill is that the Iowa Poultry Association has changed its official name to the North Central Poultry Association and the Code needed to be changed to reflect that. Furthermore, the Iowa Turkey Federation requested to become a member on the council. The Council agreed with these requested changes.

Other minor Code updates were to:

- specify of definition for several terms used in the Chapter 267 such as ‘College of veterinary medicine’, ‘Council’, ‘Fund’, ‘Livestock’, ‘Member organization’, and ‘Producer’;
- prohibits members of the Council from getting expenses or compensation;
- repeals the provision requiring IDALS to furnish supplies since existing provisions requires ISU to hold the biannual meetings; and
- clarifies the duties: specifically, the council’s recommendations apply to the ILHAC funds and eliminates the ability for the College of veterinary medicine to obligate funds without recommendations from the Council.

**Fiscal Note:** No fiscal note requested or needed.

### Section by Section Analysis of SF 473

#### Section 1—Definitions for ILHAC Code 267

Section 267.1, Code 2023, is amended by striking the section and replacing it with a larger list of definitions. This section provides definitions for-- ‘College of veterinary medicine’, ‘Council’, ‘Fund’, ‘Livestock’, ‘Member organization’, and ‘Producer’.

#### Section 2—ILHA Creation & Membership

Section 267.2, Code 2023, is amended by-- including the term ‘creation’ in the first sentence specifying the reason for ILHAC, changing the name of the Iowa poultry association to its new name of ‘North central poultry association’, adding an addition council member representing the Iowa turkey federation.

#### Section 3—ILHAC Expenses and Compensation Prohibited

Section 267.2, Code 2023, is amended to prohibits members of the Council from getting expenses or compensation.

Sections 4—Duties & Objectives of ILHAC

Section 267.5, Code 2023 is amended to clarify existing verbiage concerning the duties and objectives of ILHAC , specifically the council’s recommendations apply to the ILHAC funds and specifies more explicitly that the college of veterinary medicine may not obligate moneys from the fund without recommendations from the Council for that fiscal year.

Section 5—ILHAC Acceptance/Use of Non-Appropriated Fund Moneys

Section 267.7, Code 2023, is amended to provide new verbiage concerning other monies not appropriated to the fund from other (non-state entities; from any source public or private) to support ILHAC programs.

Section 6—ILHAC Fund Use to Conduct Research Livestock Diseases

Section 267.8 is amended to an ‘intent’ sentence that—‘... moneys in the fund are appropriated for use by the college of veterinary medicine to conduct research of disease affecting livestock.’

Sections 7—Repeal of IDALS Provisioning of Supplies and Support for ILHAC Meeting

Section 267.4 is repealed. This section obligates the Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship (IDLAS) to furnish ILHAC with the meeting place and all supplies and service necessary to enable ILHAC to perform its duties. Those obligations are assigned to Iowa State University in section 4 of this bill.

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## Amendment Analysis

No amendment filed.