

## Red Tape Review Rule Report (Due: September 1, 2025)

<b>Department Name:</b>	Health and Human Services Department	<b>Date:</b>	September 1, 2025	<b>Total Rule Count:</b>	5
<b>IAC #:</b>	641	<b>Chapter/ SubChapter/ Rule(s):</b>	39	<b>Iowa Code Section Authorizing Rule:</b>	136C
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**What is the intended benefit of the rule?**

This chapter sets forth regulations regarding radiation producing machines, radioactive materials, and the transportation of radioactive materials.

**Is the benefit being achieved? Please provide evidence.**

Yes, the regulation of these radioactive sources is for the health and safety of the public, and is required by Iowa Code 136C.

**What are the costs incurred by the public to comply with the rule?**

There are no costs to the public to comply with this rule.

**What are the costs to the agency or any other agency to implement/enforce the rule?**

The agency incurs personnel and administrative costs to enforce the provisions of this rule chapter.

**Do the costs justify the benefits achieved? Please explain.**

Yes, both the public and industry professionals who interact with radiological sources benefit from clear and coherent rules.

**Are there less restrictive alternatives to accomplish the benefit?** ☐ YES ☒ NO

If YES, please list alternative(s) and provide analysis of less restrictive alternatives from other states, if applicable. If NO, please explain.

The regulation of radiation producing machines, as well as the licensure and transportation of radioactive materials is required by Iowa Code 136C.

Does this chapter/rule(s) contain language that is obsolete, outdated, inconsistent, redundant, or unnecessary language, including instances where rule language is duplicative of statutory language? [list chapter/rule number(s) that fall under any of the above categories]

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This chapter underwent a fulsome review as a part of the Red Tape Review process laid out in Executive Order 10. As a result of this review, restrictive terms were removed, areas that were duplicative were combined or eliminated, and editorial updates were made to processes and procedures to ensure they reflect current policies and procedures.

**RULES PROPOSED FOR REPEAL (list rule number[s]):**

None

**RULES PROPOSED FOR RE-PROMULGATION (list rule number[s] or include rule text if available):**

39.1- 39.18

***\*For rules being re-promulgated with changes, you may attach a document with suggested changes.***

#### METRICS

Total number of rules repealed:	0
Proposed word count reduction after repeal and/or re-promulgation	19,620
Proposed number of restrictive terms eliminated after repeal and/or re-promulgation	247

**ARE THERE ANY STATUTORY CHANGES YOU WOULD RECOMMEND INCLUDING CODIFYING ANY RULES?**

Not applicable.