

Red Tape Review Rule Report (Due: September 1, 2024)

Department Name:	IFA	Date:	4/19/2024	Total Rule Count:	6
IAC #:	265	Chapter/ SubChapter/ Rule(s):	Chapter #40	Iowa Code Section Authorizing Rule:	16.5(1)"r" and 16.40
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What is the intended benefit of the rule?

The Iowans Helping Iowans Housing Assistance Program was created in 2010 to aid Iowans whose homes were damaged or destroyed by natural disasters in Iowa. The Program was established to provide financial assistance to eligible residents for the purpose of either repairing or rehabilitating their disaster-affected homes or to purchase a home that was generally comparable to the homes they lived in prior to the disaster.

Is the benefit being achieved? Please provide evidence.

No, the benefit is no longer being achieved. The last loan issued under this program was in 2012 and loans issued under the program had a term of five years. While loans issued under this program were subject to a five-year retention agreement, those agreements have since expired.

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

None.

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

None.

Do the costs justify the benefits achieved? Please explain.

Not applicable.

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.

Not applicable.

Does this chapter/rule(s) contain language that is obsolete, outdated, inconsistent, redundant, or unnecessary language, including instances where rule language is duplicative of statutory language?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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Yes, the entire chapter, 265.40, is obsolete.

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

265.40.1
265.40.2
265.40.3
265.40.4 (previously repealed and marked as reserved)
265.40.5
265.40.6
265.40.7

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

None

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

METRICS

Total number of rules repealed:	6
Proposed word count reduction after repeal and/or re-promulgation	2482
Proposed number of restrictive terms eliminated after repeal and/or re-promulgation	45

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

No.