

February 1, 2022

TO: W. Charles Smithson, Secretary of the Senate
Meghan Nelson, Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: Scott Marler, Director *SCM*

RE: FY2021 Recycled Content Plastic Bag and Soy Inks Report

As required in Iowa Code section 307.21, I am pleased to report the following summary of purchasing activity for soy based inks and recycled content trash bags. The figures are for Fiscal Year 2021.

Soy Based Inks

The department currently has no equipment which will operate with soy ink.

Recycled Garbage Can Liners

Iowa Code section 8A.315 requires that a minimum of 50 percent of garbage can liner purchases shall be recycled content plastic garbage can liners. The department purchased 2,259 recycled content plastic garbage can liners for \$58,563.17. This represents 68% of all garbage can liners purchased and 98% of the total amount spent on all garbage can liners.

This report will be submitted to the document repository. If you have any questions, please let me know.