

**Per Iowa Code 714.5 Library materials and equipment –  
unpurchased merchandise – evidence of intention.**

The fact that a person fails to return library materials for two (2) months or more after the date the person agreed to return the library materials, or fails to return library equipment for one (1) month or more after the date the person agreed to return the library equipment, is evidence of intent to deprive the owner (City of Iowa Falls- Barlow Memorial Library,) provided a reasonable attempt, including the mailing by restricted certified mail of notice that such material or equipment is overdue and criminal actions will be taken, has been made to reclaim the materials or equipment. In the case of lost library materials or equipment, arrangements may be made to make a monetary settlement.

[C62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, §709.21; C79, 81, §714.5]  
85 Acts, ch 187, §2; 87 Acts, ch 56, §1; 2016 Acts, ch 1011, §121

The Iowa Code contains all permanent laws that are passed by the Iowa General Assembly and signed by the Governor.