

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Representative Hunton**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1318

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO REQUIRE PC&E ON-FARM INSPECTORS TO COMPLETE AT
9 LEAST TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS OF COLLEGE AGRICULTURE
10 COURSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

13 "REQUIRE PC&E ON-FARM INSPECTORS TO COMPLETE AT LEAST 24
14 HOURS OF COLLEGE AGRICULTURE COURSES."

16 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

18 *SECTION 1. Persons hereafter employed by, contracted with, or appointed*
19 *by the Department of Pollution Control and Ecology to perform on-farm*
20 *inspections must successfully complete forty (40) hours of training covering*
21 *the principles of agricultural production, agricultural engineering, farm*
22 *financial management, and wildlife and environmental biology within one (1)*
23 *year of the date of their appointment as an on-farm inspector. Such persons*
24 *shall maintain and upgrade their knowledge of farm operations by completing*
25 *three (3) continuing education units (CEU's) within two (2) years of the date*
26 *of their initial training and three (3) CEU's every two (2) years thereafter*
27 *to be administered through the University of Arkansas Continuing Education*
28 *system. Training shall be provided under the auspices of the Cooperative*
29 *Extension Service.*

31 *SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature*
32 *are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code*
33 *Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.*

35 *SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to*

1 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
2 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
3 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
4 act are declared to be severable.

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6 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
7 hereby repealed.

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/s/J. Hunton

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