

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 1388**

TO LIMIT THE FEE LEVIED ON CATTLE FOR THE FUNDING OF THE BRUCELLOSIS CONTROL AND  
ERADICATION PROGRAM.

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**Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1388**

Amend House Bill No. 1388 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 23, delete "(a)(1)", and substitute "(a)(1)(A)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:

~~"fee it feels necessary to continue to be used for~~ the brucellosis program.

(B)(i) However, if the Executive Director of the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission determines there is a bovine emergency, the executive director may promulgate a rule to temporarily raise the fee set in subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section after receiving approval of the rule from the Legislative Council or, if the General Assembly is in session, the Joint Budget Committee.

(ii) A rule adopted to raise the fee under this subdivision (a)(1)(B) shall be effective only during the period of time the bovine emergency persists or for one (1) year, whichever is shorter.

(iii) If a bovine emergency persists after one (1) year, the commission may promulgate a rule to extend the increased fee for additional one-year periods by following the procedures stated in subdivision (a)(1)(B)(i) of this section each year the rule increasing the fee is to be effective.

(iv) The executive director shall not adopt an emergency rule to raise the fee under this subdivision (a)(1)(B)."



The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_  
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