

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 344

5 By: Senator G. Baker  
6 By: Representative J. Burris  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE  
11 PLANT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

14 CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE  
15 PLANT BOARD.  
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 2-16-206(a), concerning the membership of  
21 the State Plant Board, is amended to read as follows:

22 (a) There is created and established a State Plant Board, composed of  
23 ~~sixteen (16)~~ seventeen (17) members, as follows:

24 (1) The head of the Department of Entomology, University of  
25 Arkansas College of Agriculture;

26 (2) The head of the Department of Plant Pathology, University of  
27 Arkansas College of Agriculture;

28 (3) A practical cotton grower, actively engaged in the business,  
29 to be appointed by the Governor;

30 (4) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas fertilizer and  
31 cotton oil mills, actively engaged in the business, to be appointed by the  
32 Governor;

33 (5) A practical rice grower, actively engaged in the business,  
34 to be appointed by the Governor;

35 (6) A practical horticulturist, actively engaged in the  
36 business, to be elected by the Arkansas State Horticultural Society;



1 (7) A nurseryman, actively engaged in the business, to be  
2 elected by the Arkansas Green Industry Association;

3 (8) A practical seed grower, actively engaged in the business,  
4 to be elected by the Arkansas Seed Growers Association;

5 (9) A pest control operator, actively engaged in the business,  
6 to be elected by the Arkansas Pest Control Association, Inc.;

7 (10) A seed dealer, actively engaged in the business, to be  
8 elected by the Arkansas Seed Dealers Association;

9 (11) A feed manufacturer, actively engaged in the business, to  
10 be elected by the Arkansas Feed Manufacturers Association;

11 (12) A pesticide manufacturer, actively engaged in the business,  
12 to be elected by the Arkansas Agricultural Pesticide Association;

13 (13) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas Agricultural  
14 Aviation Association, to be elected by the Arkansas Agricultural Aviation  
15 Association;

16 (14) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas Forestry  
17 Association, to be elected by the Arkansas Forestry Association;

18 (15) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas Turfgrass  
19 Association, to be elected by the Arkansas Turfgrass Association; and

20 ~~(15)~~(16) Two (2) farmers actively and principally engaged in  
21 farming in this state, appointed by the Governor.

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