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Memorandum

To: Senator David Sanders and Representative Jeffrey Wardlaw, Co-Chairman
 Arkansas Legislative Council Review Committee

From: Jane Benton, Director *Jane Benton*

Date: July 22, 2013

Subject: **Special Procurement Report—0480 Arkansas Department of Corrections Agricultural Fertilizer, Seed and Chemical**

Under the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 19-11-263, Special Procurements, this report reflects the Arkansas Department of Correction's Special Procurements.

Based on justification provided by the Arkansas Department of Correction (ADC), it is my determination that an unusual or unique situation exists that makes the application of all requirements of competitive sealed bidding or competitive sealed proposals contrary to the public interest. The provisions of this section of the Arkansas Procurement Law, Ark. Code Ann. § 19-11-263, will be used in the procurement of agricultural fertilizer, seed and chemicals for ADC farm units owing to the volatility in the market. Other provisions of the Procurement Law did not allow the flexibility required by ADC to properly purchase those items in a timely manner or at a cost most beneficial to the State.

**July 2013
 FARM FERTILIZER REPORT**

<u>PO #</u>	<u>VENDOR</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>UNIT</u>
4501359291	Green Point AG	\$ 6,650.00	Tucker
4501363101	Crop Production Services	17,600.00	EARU
4501363706	Andy Haden	2,100.00	Cummins
4501367988	Green Point AG	<u>9,710.00</u>	Cummins
TOTAL		\$ 45,692.00	

SEED AND AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS REPORT

<u>PO#</u>	<u>VENDOR</u>	<u>COMMODITY</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>UNIT</u>
4501360744	Gilbert AG	Seed	\$ 13,817.25	Cummins
4501361347	BWI	Seed	2,252.50	Grimes
4501364678	Crop Production Services	Seed	5,868.00	EARU
4501366763	Crop Production Services	Chemical	12,755.97	EARU
4501366764	Jimmy Sanders	Chemical	1,957.00	Cummins
4501367969	Green Point AG	Chemical	6,525.00	Cummins
4501367976	MFA Inc	Chemical	112.50	Cummins
4501367980	Helena Chemical PB	Chemical	1,417.50	Cummins
4501367984	Crop Production Services	Chemical	<u>1,625.00</u>	Cummins
TOTAL			\$ 36,060.00	