ARKANSAS WHEAT PROMOTION BOARD (344) FISCAL YEAR 2018 As Enacted by Act 320 of 2017

I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES

MISSION

The Arkansas Wheat Promotion board was created by Act 283 of 1985. The purpose of the Board is to plan and conduct a program of research, market development and advertising to promote the wheat industry in Arkansas.

TOTAL APPROPRIATION

The total appropriation is \$447,995 for FY2018.

FUNDING SOURCE

The board's single appropriation is funded entirely from special revenues collected from a one cent per bushel assessment on all wheat grown in Arkansas.

II) CHANGE LEVEL REQUESTS

The Board increases \$277,995 in the Research/Development line item for anticipated increases in expenditures for this purpose, which is a return to the previously authorized appropriation level.

III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS (Total FY2017 Authorized Positions: 0)

Total Authorized Positions FY2018: 0

Total Base Level Positions: 0

Increase/(Decrease) from Base Level: 0

Extra Help Positions FY2018: 0 (Base Level Extra Help: 0)

IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE

None.