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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:** August 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.

**SEED AND AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS REPORT**  
**August 2013**

<u>PO#</u>	<u>VENDOR</u>	<u>COMMODITY</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>UNIT</u>
4501372642	MFA Inc	Chemical	\$ 11,903.25	Tucker
4501373178	Green Point Ag	Chemical	9,910.00	EARU
4501374871	Crop Production Services	Chemical	4,511.80	EARU
4501374872	MFA Inc	Chemical	556.00	Tucker
4501375062	Green Point Ag	Chemical	70,367.50	Tucker
4501375675	MFA Inc	Chemical	768.00	Cummins
4501375676	Hampton Pugh Co	Chemical	2,200.00	Cummins
4501377011	Drew Farm Supply	Chemical	<u>1,670.00</u>	Cummins
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$101,886.55</b>	