

1 State of Arkansas  
2 80th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1995

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1352

4 By: Joint Budget Committee

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND  
9 OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY  
10 COMMISSION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1997;  
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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## Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK AND  
15 POULTRY COMMISSION APPROPRIATION FOR THE  
16 1995-97 BIENNIUM."

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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20 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - GENERAL OPERATIONS. There is hereby  
21 established for the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - General  
22 Operations for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of regular  
23 employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform  
24 Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or  
25 its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any  
26 position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in  
27 dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification  
28 and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are  
29 hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and  
30 Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

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|      |       | Maximum Annual |              |         |         |
|------|-------|----------------|--------------|---------|---------|
|      |       | Maximum        | Salary Rate  |         |         |
| Item | Class | No. of         | Fiscal Years |         |         |
| No.  | Code  | Title          | Employees    | 1995-96 | 1996-97 |

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|----|--|----|-----------|----------|
| 1  | (1) 9909 LIVE & POUL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR      | 1  | \$ 70,426 | \$       |
| 2  | 72,187                                       |    |           |          |
| 3  | (2) 6602 DIRECTOR OF POULTRY DISEASES        | 1  | \$ 69,522 | \$       |
| 4  | 70,217                                       |    |           |          |
| 5  | (3) 6646 L&P BD CERTIFIED PATHOLOGIST        | 1  | \$ 65,225 | \$       |
| 6  | 66,855                                       |    |           |          |
| 7  | (4) 6613 COORDINATOR OF LAB                  | 1  | \$ 65,133 | \$       |
| 8  | 66,761                                       |    |           |          |
| 9  | (5) 6612 STATE VETERINARIAN                  | 1  | \$ 65,133 | \$       |
| 10 | 66,761                                       |    |           |          |
| 11 | (6) 6616 DIRECTOR OF SPRINGDALE LAB          | 1  | \$ 60,007 | \$       |
| 12 | 61,507                                       |    |           |          |
| 13 | (7) 6641 STATE EPIDEMIOLOGIST                | 1  | \$ 57,486 | \$       |
| 14 | 58,923                                       |    |           |          |
| 15 | (8) 6614 VETERINARIAN SENIOR                 | 1  | \$ 47,851 | \$       |
| 16 | 48,771                                       |    |           |          |
| 17 | (9) 910Z LIVE & POUL ASSISTANT DIRECTOR      | 1  |           | GRADE 25 |
| 18 | (10) Q042 DISTRICT LIVESTOCK INSPECTION MGR  | 2  |           | GRADE 23 |
| 19 | B068 MICROBIOLOGIST SUPV                     | 7  |           |          |
| 20 | (11) A008 ACCOUNTING SUPERVISOR II           | 1  |           | GRADE 21 |
| 21 | (12) B066 MICROBIOLOGIST II                  | 1  |           | GRADE 20 |
| 22 | (13) Q040 AREA LIVESTOCK INSPECTOR SUPV      | 5  |           | GRADE 19 |
| 23 | T022 LIVE & POUL CHIEF INVESTIGATOR          | 1  |           |          |
| 24 | (14) B064 MICROBIOLOGIST I                   | 5  |           | GRADE 18 |
| 25 | Q024 BRUCELLOSIS TESTING COORD               | 1  |           |          |
| 26 | V040 PURCHASE AGENT II/PURCHASE AGENT        | 1  |           |          |
| 27 | (15) Q010 EIA INSPECTOR                      | 3  |           | GRADE 17 |
| 28 | T024 LIVE & POUL INSPECTOR/INVESTIGATOR      | 6  |           |          |
| 29 | R010 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II             | 1  |           |          |
| 30 | (16) Q041 LIVESTOCK INSPECTOR                | 10 |           | GRADE 16 |
| 31 | B067 MICROBIOLOGIST INTERN                   | 1  |           |          |
| 32 | (17) K041 EXECUTIVE SECY/ADMINISTRATIVE SECY | 1  |           | GRADE 14 |
| 33 | (18) K153 SECRETARY II                       | 4  |           | GRADE 13 |
| 34 | B049 LABORATORY TECHNICIAN II                | 1  |           |          |
| 35 | (19) A106 ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN I            | 4  |           | GRADE 12 |

|   |                                   |          |          |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| 1 | K039 DOCUMENT EXAMINER II         | 1        |          |
| 2 | (20) B047 LABORATORY TECHNICIAN I | <u>2</u> | GRADE 11 |
| 3 | MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES              | 67       |          |

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5 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - GENERAL OPERATIONS. There is hereby

6 authorized, for the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - General

7 Operations for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of

8 part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from

9 funds appropriated herein for such purposes: twenty-one (21) temporary or

10 part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those

11 ~~provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its~~

12 successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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14 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - GENERAL OPERATIONS. There is hereby

15 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable

16 from the Livestock and Poultry Fund Account, for personal services and

17 operating expenses of the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - General

18 Operations for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

| 20 ITEM                                      | FISCAL YEARS |              |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| 21 NO.                                       | 1995-96      | 1996-97      |
| 22 (01) REGULAR SALARIES                     | \$ 2,039,917 | \$           |
| 23 2,039,944                                 |              |              |
| 24 (02) EXTRA HELP                           | 52,231       |              |
| 25 52,231                                    |              |              |
| 26 (03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING               | 521,970      |              |
| 27 521,975                                   |              |              |
| 28 (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION              |              |              |
| 29 (A) OPER. EXPENSE \$                      | 378,274      | \$ 398,274   |
| 30 (B) CONF. & TRVL.                         | 13,967       | 13,967       |
| 31 (C) PROF. FEES                            | 0            | 0            |
| 32 (D) CAP. OUTLAY                           | 40,000       | 40,000       |
| 33 (E) DATA PROC.                            | <u>0</u>     | <u>0</u>     |
| 34 TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.                 | 432,241      |              |
| 35 452,241 (05) BUFFALO GNAT CONTROL PROGRAM |              | <u>8,000</u> |

1 8,000

2 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED

\$ 3,054,359 \$

3 3,074,391

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5 SECTION 4. REGULAR SALARIES - BRUCELLOSIS PROGRAM. There is hereby  
6 established for the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Brucellosis  
7 Control and Eradication Program for the 1995-97 biennium, the following  
8 maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the  
9 provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code  
10 §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto.  
11 Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual  
12 salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of  
13 said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying  
14 positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the  
15 Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101),  
16 or its successor.

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|      |   | Maximum Annual |              |          |
|------|---|----------------|--------------|----------|
|      |   | Maximum        | Salary Rate  |          |
|      |   | No. of         | Fiscal Years |          |
| Item | Class                                       | Employees      | 1995-96      | 1996-97  |
| No.  | Code Title                                  |                |              |          |
| 22   | (1) T024 LIVE & POUL INSPECTOR/INVESTIGATOR | 1              |              | GRADE 17 |
| 23   | (2) Q041 LIVESTOCK INSPECTOR                | <u>24</u>      |              | GRADE 16 |
| 24   | MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES                        | 25             |              |          |

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26 SECTION 5. EXTRA HELP - BRUCELLOSIS PROGRAM. There is hereby  
27 authorized, for the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Brucellosis  
28 Control and Eradication Program for the 1995-97 biennium, the following  
29 maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra  
30 Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: twenty-one  
31 (21) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to  
32 exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or  
33 its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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35 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - BRUCELLOSIS PROGRAM. There is hereby

1 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
2 from the Livestock and Poultry Commission Disease and Pest Control Fund, for  
3 personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Livestock and  
4 Poultry Commission - Brucellosis Control and Eradication Program for the  
5 biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

|                           |                           | FISCAL YEARS        |                |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| ITEM                      |                           | 1995-96             | 1996-97        |
| NO.                       |                           |                     |                |
| (01)                      | REGULAR SALARIES          | \$ 516,322          | \$             |
| 526,855                   |                           |                     |                |
| (02)                      | EXTRA HELP                | 55,000              |                |
| 55,000                    |                           |                     |                |
| (03)                      | PERSONAL SERV MATCHING    | 172,163             |                |
| 174,059                   |                           |                     |                |
| (04)                      | MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION   |                     |                |
| (A)                       | OPER. EXPENSE             | \$ 185,592          | \$ 185,592     |
| (B)                       | CONF. & TRVL.             | 0                   | 0              |
| (C)                       | PROF. FEES                | 0                   | 0              |
| (D)                       | CAP. OUTLAY               | 20,000              | 20,000         |
| (E)                       | DATA PROC.                | <u>0</u>            | <u>0</u>       |
|                           | TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER. |                     | 205,592        |
| 205,592                   |                           |                     |                |
| (05)                      | VACCINATION GRANTS        |                     | 350,000        |
| 350,000                   |                           |                     |                |
| (06)                      | BRUCELLOSIS DEPOPULATION  |                     | <u>100,000</u> |
| <u>100,000</u>            |                           |                     |                |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED |                           | <u>\$ 1,399,077</u> | <u>\$</u>      |
| <u>1,411,506</u>          |                           |                     |                |

30 SECTION 7. REGULAR SALARIES - EGG GRADING PROGRAM. There is hereby  
31 established for the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Egg Grading  
32 Program for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of regular  
33 employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform  
34 Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or  
35 its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any

1 position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in  
2 dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification  
3 and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are  
4 hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and  
5 Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

|      |                 |                                    | Maximum Annual |                      |
|------|-----------------|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
|      |                 |                                    | Maximum        | Salary Rate          |
| Item | Class           |                                    | No. of         | Fiscal Years         |
| No.  | Code            | Title                              | Employees      | 1995-96      1996-97 |
| 11   | (1) Q016        | EGG & POULTRY DIVISION MANAGER     | 1              | GRADE 25             |
| 12   | (2) Q001        | EGG & POULTRY AREA SUPERVISOR      | 3              | GRADE 23             |
| 13   | (3) N378        | POULTRY PRODUCTS SPECIALIST        | 1              | GRADE 20             |
| 14   | (4) Q026        | EGG & POULTRY FIELD INSPECTOR SUPV | 2              | GRADE 19             |
| 15   | (5) A111        | ACCOUNTANT                         | 1              | GRADE 18             |
| 16   | Q022            | SR EGG & POULTRY FIELD INSPECTOR   | 1              |                      |
| 17   | (6) Q083        | SR EGG PRODUCTS INSPECTOR          | 2              | GRADE 17             |
| 18   | Q021            | EGG & POULTRY FIELD INSPECTOR      | 6              |                      |
| 19   | Q085            | SR POULTRY GRADER                  | 7              |                      |
| 20   | <del>Q087</del> | <del>SR SHELL EGG GRADER</del>     | <del>2</del>   |                      |
| 21   | (7) Q063        | POULTRY GRADER                     | 36             | GRADE 16             |
| 22   | Q019            | EGG PRODUCTS INSPECTOR             | 1              |                      |
| 23   | Q089            | SHELL EGG GRADER                   | 14             |                      |
| 24   | (8) K041        | EXECUTIVE SECY/ADMINISTRATIVE SECY | <u>1</u>       | GRADE 14             |
| 25   |                 | MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES               | 78             |                      |

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28 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS - EGG GRADING PROGRAM. There is hereby  
29 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
30 from the Poultry and Egg Grading Fund, for personal services and operating  
31 expenses of the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Egg Grading  
32 Program for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

| ITEM   | FISCAL YEARS |         |
|--------|--------------|---------|
|        | 1995-96      | 1996-97 |
| 35 NO. |              |         |

|    |                              |    |              |                  |               |
|----|------------------------------|----|--------------|------------------|---------------|
| 1  | (01) REGULAR SALARIES        |    | \$           | 1,845,066        | \$            |
| 2  | 1,845,066                    |    |              |                  |               |
| 3  | (02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING  |    |              | 600,875          |               |
| 4  | 600,875                      |    |              |                  |               |
| 5  | (03) OVERTIME                |    |              | 250,000          |               |
| 6  | 250,000                      |    |              |                  |               |
| 7  | (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION |    |              |                  |               |
| 8  | (A) OPER. EXPENSE            | \$ | 147,086      | \$               | 147,086       |
| 9  | (B) CONF. & TRVL.            |    | 18,350       |                  | 18,350        |
| 10 | (C) PROF. FEES               |    | 4,500        |                  | 4,500         |
| 11 | (D) CAP. OUTLAY              |    | 50,000       |                  | 50,000        |
| 12 | (E) DATA PROC.               |    | <u>4,500</u> |                  | <u>4,500</u>  |
| 13 | TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.    |    |              |                  | 224,436       |
| 14 | 224,436                      |    |              |                  |               |
| 15 | (05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS  |    |              |                  | 887,968       |
| 16 | 887,968                      |    |              |                  |               |
| 17 | (06) EGG PROMOTION EXPENSE   |    |              |                  | <u>64,500</u> |
| 18 | <u>64,500</u>                |    |              |                  |               |
| 19 | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED    |    | \$           | <u>3,872,845</u> | \$            |
| 20 | <u>3,872,845</u>             |    |              |                  |               |

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22 SECTION 9. EXTRA HELP - SWAMP FEVER. There is hereby authorized,  
 23 for the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Swamp Fever Testing  
 24 Program for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time  
 25 or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds  
 26 appropriated herein for such purposes: one (1) temporary or part-time  
 27 employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the  
 28 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act  
 29 for the appropriate classification.

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31 SECTION 10. APPROPRIATIONS - SWAMP FEVER. There is hereby  
 32 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
 33 from the Livestock and Poultry Fund Account, for personal services and  
 34 operating expenses of the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Swamp  
 35 Fever Testing Program for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the

1 following:

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| 3 ITEM                        | FISCAL YEARS      |           |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 4 NO.                         | 1995-96           | 1996-97   |
| 5 (01) EXTRA HELP             | \$ 17,500         | \$        |
| 6 17,500                      |                   |           |
| 7 (02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING | 4,200             |           |
| 8 4,200                       |                   |           |
| 9 (03) SWAMP FEVER TESTING    | <u>150,000</u>    |           |
| 10 <u>150,000</u>             |                   |           |
| 11 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED  | <u>\$ 171,700</u> | <u>\$</u> |
| 12 <u>171,700</u>             |                   |           |

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14 SECTION 11. APPROPRIATIONS - SMALL ANIMAL TESTING. There is hereby  
 15 ~~appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable~~  
 16 from the Livestock and Poultry Fund Account, for operating expenses of the  
 17 Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Small Animal Testing Program for  
 18 the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

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| 20 ITEM                         | FISCAL YEARS      |            |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| 21 NO.                          | 1995-96           | 1996-97    |
| 22 (01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION |                   |            |
| 23 (A) OPER. EXPENSE \$         | 140,000           | \$ 140,000 |
| 24 (B) CONF. & TRVL.            | 0                 | 0          |
| 25 (C) PROF. FEES               | 0                 | 0          |
| 26 (D) CAP. OUTLAY              | 50,000            | 50,000     |
| 27 (E) DATA PROC.               | <u>0</u>          | <u>0</u>   |
| 28 TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.    | <u>190,000</u>    |            |
| 29 <u>190,000</u>               |                   |            |
| 30 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED    | <u>\$ 190,000</u> | <u>\$</u>  |
| 31 <u>190,000</u>               |                   |            |

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33 SECTION 12. APPROPRIATIONS - LARGE ANIMALS AND POULTRY. There is  
 34 hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be  
 35 payable from the Livestock and Poultry Fund Account, for operating expenses

1 of the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - Large Animals and Poultry  
2 for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

|                                |                           | FISCAL YEARS         |            |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|------------|
| ITEM                           | NO.                       | 1995-96              | 1996-97    |
| 6 (01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION |                           |                      |            |
| 7                              | (A) OPER. EXPENSE \$      | 400,000              | \$ 400,000 |
| 8                              | (B) CONF. & TRVL.         | 0                    | 0          |
| 9                              | (C) PROF. FEES            | 0                    | 0          |
| 10                             | (D) CAP. OUTLAY           | 100,000              | 100,000    |
| 11                             | (E) DATA PROC.            | <u>0</u>             | <u>0</u>   |
| 12                             | TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER. | <u>500,000</u>       |            |
| 13                             | <u>500,000</u>            | <hr/>                |            |
| 14                             | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | <u>\$ 500,000 \$</u> |            |
| 15                             | <u>500,000</u>            |                      |            |

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17 SECTION 13. APPROPRIATIONS - BRAND REGISTRY. There is hereby  
18 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
19 from the Livestock and Poultry Fund Account, for maintenance of the Brand  
20 Registry Book by the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission for the  
21 biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

|      |                     | FISCAL YEARS       |         |
|------|---------------------|--------------------|---------|
| ITEM | NO.                 | 1995-96            | 1996-97 |
| 25   | (01) BRAND REGISTRY | <u>\$ 6,000 \$</u> |         |
| 26   | <u>6,000</u>        |                    |         |

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28 SECTION 14. APPROPRIATIONS - INDEMNITIES. There is hereby  
29 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
30 from the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund, for payment of authorized indemnities  
31 by the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission for the biennial period  
32 ~~ending June 30, 1997, the following:~~

|      |      | FISCAL YEARS |         |
|------|------|--------------|---------|
| ITEM | NO.  | 1995-96      | 1996-97 |
| 34   | ITEM |              |         |
| 35   | NO.  |              |         |

1 (01) INDEMNITIES \$ 45,000 \$  
 2 45,000

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4 SECTION 15. APPROPRIATIONS - POULTRY INDEMNITIES - CASH. There is  
 5 hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be  
 6 payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas  
 7 Livestock and Poultry Commission, for payment of poultry indemnities by the  
 8 Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission for the biennial period ending June  
 9 ~~30, 1997, the following:~~

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| 11 ITEM                     | FISCAL YEARS        |         |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------|
| 12 NO.                      | 1995-96             | 1996-97 |
| 13 (01) POULTRY INDEMNITIES | \$ <u>10,000</u> \$ |         |
| 14 <u>10,000</u>            |                     |         |

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16 SECTION 16. APPROPRIATIONS - SWINE TESTING. There is hereby  
 17 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
 18 from the Livestock and Poultry Commission Swine Testing Fund, for the purpose  
 19 of funding the Pseudorabies Control and Eradication Program of the Arkansas  
 20 Livestock and Poultry Commission for the biennial period ending June 30,  
 21 1997, the following:

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| 23 ITEM                       | FISCAL YEARS        |         |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------|
| 24 NO.                        | 1995-96             | 1996-97 |
| 25 (01) SWINE TESTING PROGRAM | \$ <u>30,000</u> \$ |         |
| 26 <u>30,000</u>              |                     |         |

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28 SECTION 17. REGULAR SALARIES - VETERINARY SERVICES. There is hereby  
 29 established for the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission - USDA  
 30 Veterinary Services for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of  
 31 regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the  
 32 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et  
 33 seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however,  
 34 ~~that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein~~  
 35 in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform

1 Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions  
2 ~~authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular~~  
3 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its  
4 successor.

|        |       |                      | Maximum Annual |                 |
|--------|-------|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
|        |       |                      | Maximum        | Salary Rate     |
| Item   | Class |                      | No. of         | Fiscal Years    |
| 9 No.  | Code  | Title                | Employees      | 1995-96 1996-97 |
| 10 (1) | Q041  | LIVESTOCK INSPECTOR  | <u>12</u>      | GRADE 16        |
| 11     |       | MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES | 12             |                 |

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13 SECTION 18. APPROPRIATIONS - VETERINARY SERVICES. There is hereby  
14 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
15 from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the  
16 State, for personal services of the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission  
17 - USDA Veterinary Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the  
18 following:

| ITEM                           | FISCAL YEARS      |           |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 21 NO.                         | 1995-96           | 1996-97   |
| 22 (01) REGULAR SALARIES       | \$ 234,024        | \$        |
| 23 234,024                     |                   |           |
| 24 (02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING | <u>65,976</u>     |           |
| 25 <u>65,976</u>               |                   |           |
| 26 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED   | <u>\$ 300,000</u> | <u>\$</u> |
| 27 <u>300,000</u>              |                   |           |

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29 SECTION 19. APPROPRIATIONS - SHOW PREMIUMS. There is hereby  
30 appropriated, to the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission, to be payable  
31 from the State General Services Fund Account, for show premiums and  
32 reimbursements by the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission for the  
33 biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

| 35 ITEM | FISCAL YEARS |  |
|---------|--------------|--|
|---------|--------------|--|

| 1 NO.                                      | 1995-96           | 1996-97           |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| 2 (01) STATE LIVESTOCK SHOW PREMIUMS       | \$ 100,000        | \$ 100,000        |
| 3 (02) DISTRICT SHOW PREMIUMS              | 100,000           | 100,000           |
| 4 (03) COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW PREMIUMS      | 300,000           | 300,000           |
| 5 (04) DISTRICT JR. SHOW PREMIUMS          | 20,000            | 20,000            |
| 6 (05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS              | 20,350            | 20,350            |
| 7 (06) FOUR STATES LIVESTOCK SHOW PREMIUMS | 20,000            | 20,000            |
| 8 (07) ARSHS TRAVEL EXPENSES               | <u>10,000</u>     | <u>10,000</u>     |
| 9 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED                | <u>\$ 570,350</u> | <u>\$ 570,350</u> |

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11 SECTION 20. RESTRICTION. The Appropriation authorized for the Buffalo  
 12 Gnat Control Program in Item (05) of Section 3 of this Act, shall be expended  
 13 only for the control of buffalo gnats in the Arkansas counties of Miller,  
 14 ~~LaFayette, Little River and parts of Hempstead.~~

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16 SECTION 21. CARRY FORWARD. Any unexpended balance of appropriation  
 17 provided in Section 6 of this Act, which remains at the close of the fiscal  
 18 year ending June 30, 1996, shall be carried forward and made available for  
 19 the same purpose for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1997.

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21 SECTION 22. The Executive Director shall promulgate such rules and  
 22 regulations as may be necessary for the administration and distribution of  
 23 the appropriations authorized by Section 19 herein.

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25 SECTION 23. Any employee of the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry  
 26 Commission serving in the capacity of Livestock Inspector, EIA Inspector, or  
 27 any position as delegated by the State Veterinarian may also assume the  
 28 responsibilities and perform in the capacity of a Livestock and Poultry  
 29 Compliance Officer or NPIP Inspector.

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31 SECTION 24. There is hereby created on the books of the Treasurer of  
 32 State, Auditor of State and Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a special  
 33 revenue fund to be known as the Livestock and Poultry Special Revenue Fund.  
 34 All fees as classified under the provisions of Arkansas Code Annotated 19-6-  
 35 301 (33) and (34), and all fees as collected under the provisions of Arkansas

1 Code Annotated 2-33-115, and as collected by the Livestock and Poultry  
2 Commission shall be deposited in this fund.

3         The Executive Director of the Livestock and Poultry Commission, with  
4 the approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, shall have the  
5 authority to transfer funds from the Livestock and Poultry Special Revenue  
6 Fund to the Livestock and Poultry Fund Account.

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8         SECTION 25. Arkansas Code Annotated 2-33-111(b)(2)(A) is hereby  
9 amended to read as follows:

10         "The fees collected shall be deposited in the State Treasury as special  
11 revenues and shall be credited to the Livestock and Poultry Special Revenue  
12 Fund."

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14         SECTION 26. Arkansas Code Annotated 2-33-112(b)(2) is hereby amended  
15 to read as follows:

16         "The fees collected shall be deposited in the State Treasury as special  
17 revenues and shall be credited to the Livestock and Poultry Special Revenue  
18 Fund."

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20         SECTION 27. Arkansas Code Annotated 2-33-115 (a)(3) is hereby amended  
21 to read as follows:

22         "(3) On each state, district, and county fair held in the State of  
23 Arkansas there shall be levied a four and one half percent (4 1/2%) surcharge  
24 on each paid admission to the fairs, and such levy shall be remitted to the  
25 Treasurer of State, who shall deposit the revenues in the State Treasury to  
26 the credit of the Livestock and Poultry Special Revenue Fund."

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28         SECTION 28. *Funds appropriated in Item (05) of Section 19 of this act*  
29 *shall be used to reimburse members of high school 4H clubs, high school FFA*  
30 *clubs and Miss Arkansas Rodeo for expenses incurred while representing the*  
31 *State of Arkansas at national conferences and events outside the State. The*  
32 *State 4H Association and the State FFA Association shall receive funds*  
33 *appropriated for expense reimbursement of student members but shall be*  
34 *limited to \$10,000 each, or so much thereof that is available. Reimbursement*  
35 *of expenses for Miss Arkansas Rodeo shall be limited to \$350 per year.*

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2           SECTION 29. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
3 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
4 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
5 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
6 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
7 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
8 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
9 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
10 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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12           SECTION 30. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
13 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
14 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
15 which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
16 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
17 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
18 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
19 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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21           SECTION 31. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and  
22 permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and  
23 the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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25           SECTION 32. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
26 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
27 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
28 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
29 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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31           SECTION 33. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
32 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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34           SECTION 34. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by  
35 the Eightieth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of

1 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year  
2 period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1995 is essential to  
3 the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are  
4 provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the  
5 delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1995 could work  
6 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential  
7 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist  
8 and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
9 peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after  
10 July 1, 1995.

11 */s/Joint Budget Committee*  
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