

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 536

By: Senator Maloch

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK
AND POULTRY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE ARKANSAS
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 2-33-102 is amended to read as follows:
2-33-102. Members.

(a)(1) The Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission shall consist of seven (7) members who are residents and electors of this state to be appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate for terms of seven (7) years and shall be actively engaged in the Arkansas livestock or poultry industries.

(2)(A) At least four (4) members shall be actively and principally engaged in animal agriculture production in Arkansas.

(B) The remaining members shall be at large and shall be actively engaged in the Arkansas livestock or poultry industry.

(b) Each congressional district shall be represented by membership on the commission.

(c) The term of office shall commence on January 15 following the expiration date of the preceding term and shall end on January 14 of the seventh year following the year in which the term commenced.

(d) Any vacancies arising in the membership of the commission for any reason other than expiration of the terms for which the members were



appointed shall be filled by appointment by the Governor and be effective until the expiration of the terms, subject to the confirmation of the Senate when it is next in session.

(e) Before entering upon his or her duties, ~~each~~ a member of the commission shall take, subscribe, and file in the office of the Secretary of State an oath to support the United States Constitution and the Arkansas Constitution and to faithfully perform the duties of the office upon which he or she is about to enter.

(f) Members of the commission shall receive no pay for their services. ~~Members of the commission~~ , but may receive expense reimbursement and stipends in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.