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**MEMORANDUM FOR EXECUTIVE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

**FROM:** Steven Allred, Deputy Director  
**DATE:** May 8, 2012  
**SUBJECT:** Recommendation for GOPB In-Depth Budget Review

UCA 63J-1-701 states, "The Legislative Management Committee, upon recommendation of an appropriations subcommittee of the Legislature, may request of the governor for any designated fiscal year, an in-depth budget review of any state department, agency, institution, or program." Usually the Executive Appropriations Committee makes the recommendation to the Legislative Management Committee.

We suggest you recommend that GOPB conduct an in-depth budget review of the Department of Agriculture and Food.

We have consulted with GOPB and we believe this study would be mutually beneficial to the Governor and Legislature.

Contingent on your approval, the EAC Co-chairs will send a memo to the Management Committee with your recommendation.

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