

28 Cosmetic Act, 21 U.S.C. Sec. 301 et seq.

29 [(5)] (6) "Livestock" means cattle, sheep, goats, swine, horses, mules, poultry,
30 domesticated elk as defined in Section 4-39-102, or any other domestic animal or domestic
31 furbearer raised or kept for profit.

32 [(6)] (7) "Organization" means a corporation, government or governmental subdivision
33 or agency, business trust, estate, trust, partnership, association, two or more persons having a joint
34 or common interest, or any other legal entity.

35 [(7)] (8) "Person" means a natural person or individual, corporation, organization, or other
36 legal entity.

37 Section 2. Section 4-2-7 is amended to read:

38 **4-2-7. Agricultural Advisory Board created -- Composition -- Responsibility -- Terms**
39 **of office -- Compensation.**

40 (1) There is created [an] the Agricultural Advisory Board composed of [~~11~~] 12 members
41 representing each of the following:

- 42 (a) Utah Farm Bureau Federation;
- 43 (b) Utah Farmers Union;
- 44 (c) Utah Cattlemen's Association;
- 45 (d) Utah Wool Growers' Association;
- 46 (e) Utah Dairymen's Association;
- 47 (f) Utah Veterinary Medical Association;
- 48 (g) Livestock Auction Marketing Association;
- 49 (h) Utah Association of Conservation Districts;
- 50 (i) the Utah horse industry;
- 51 (j) the food processing industry; [~~and~~]
- 52 (k) manufacturers of food supplements; and
- 53 [~~(k)~~] (l) a consumer affairs group.

54 (2) The Agricultural Advisory Board shall advise the commissioner regarding the
55 planning, implementation, and administration of the department's programs.

56 (3) (a) Except as required by Subsection (3)(c), members are appointed by the
57 commissioner to four-year terms of office.

58 (b) Representatives of the organizations cited in Subsections (1)(a) through (1)(h) shall

59 be appointed to the Agricultural Advisory Board by the [governor] commissioner from a list of
60 nominees submitted by each organization.

61 ~~[(b) Representatives of the groups cited in Subsections (1)(i) through (1)(k) shall be~~
62 ~~appointed to the Agricultural Advisory Board by the governor from a list of nominees submitted~~
63 ~~by the commissioner.]~~

64 ~~[(4) (a) Except as required by Subsection (b), members are appointed to four-year terms~~
65 ~~of office.]~~

66 ~~[(b) (c) Notwithstanding the requirements of Subsection (3)(a), the [governor]~~
67 ~~commissioner shall, at the time of appointment or reappointment, adjust the length of terms to~~
68 ~~ensure that the terms of board members are staggered so that approximately half of the board is~~
69 ~~appointed every two years.~~

70 ~~[(c) (d) Members may be removed at the discretion of the [governor] commissioner upon~~
71 ~~the request of the group they represent.~~

72 ~~[(5) (e) When a vacancy occurs in the membership for any reason, the replacement shall~~
73 ~~be appointed for the unexpired term.~~

74 ~~[(6) (4) The board shall elect one member to serve as chair of the Agricultural Advisory~~
75 ~~Board for a term of one year.~~

76 ~~[(7) (5) (a) The board shall meet four times annually, but may meet more often at the~~
77 ~~discretion of the chair.~~

78 ~~(b) Attendance of [six] seven members at a duly called meeting constitutes a quorum for~~
79 ~~the transaction of official business.~~

80 ~~[(8) (6) (a) Members shall receive no compensation or benefits for their services, but may~~
81 ~~receive per diem and expenses incurred in the performance of the member's official duties at the~~
82 ~~rates established by the Division of Finance under Sections 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107.~~

83 ~~(b) Members may decline to receive per diem and expenses for their service.~~

Legislative Review Note
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A limited legal review of this legislation raises no obvious constitutional or statutory concerns.

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