



28 House of Representatives, no more than four of whom may be from the same political party;

29 (c) the lieutenant governor or the lieutenant governor's designee;

30 (d) the commissioner of the Department of Agriculture or the commissioner's designee;

31 and

32 (e) the executive director of the Utah Quality Growth Commission.

33 (2) (a) The president of the Senate shall designate a member of the Senate appointed  
34 under Subsection (1)(a) as a cochair of the task force.

35 (b) The speaker of the House of Representatives shall designate a member of the House  
36 of Representatives appointed under Subsection (1)(b) as a cochair of the task force.

37 (3) A majority of the members of the task force constitute a quorum. The action of a  
38 majority of a quorum constitutes the action of the task force.

39 (4) A non-legislative member of the task force may not receive compensation or  
40 benefits for the member's service, but may receive per diem and travel expenses in accordance  
41 with:

42 (a) Section 63A-3-106;

43 (b) Section 63A-3-107; and

44 (c) rules made by the Division of Finance pursuant to Sections 63A-3-106 and  
45 63A-3-107.

46 (5) Salaries and expenses of a legislator who is a member of the task force shall be paid  
47 in accordance with Section 36-2-2 and Legislative Joint Rules, Title 5, Chapter 3, Expense and  
48 Mileage Reimbursement for Authorized Legislative Meetings, Special Sessions, and Veto  
49 Override Sessions.

50 (6) The Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel shall provide staff support  
51 to the task force.

52 **Section 2. Duties -- Interim report.**

53 (1) The task force may review and make recommendations on:

54 (a) ways to sustain and strengthen the agriculture industry as an integral part of the  
55 state's economy;

56 (b) the loss of productive agricultural land to other uses;

57 (c) the effect of markets and prices on agricultural production;

58 (d) the effect of government regulations on production agriculture; and

59           (e) any other relevant issue that affects the sustainability of the agriculture industry.  
60           (2) A final report, including any proposed legislation, shall be presented to the Natural  
61 Resources, Agriculture, and Environment Interim Committee before November 30, 2011.  
62 Section 3. **Repeal date.**  
63           This bill is repealed on November 30, 2011.

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