SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 947

A bill to make appropriations for the department of agriculture and rural development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1	PART 1
2	LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS
3	FOR FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013
4	Sec. 101. Subject to the conditions set forth in this act, the
5	amounts listed in this part are appropriated for the department of
6	agriculture and rural development for the fiscal year ending
7	September 30, 2013, from the funds indicated in this part. The
8	following is a summary of the appropriations in this part:

1 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

2	APPROPRIATION SUMMARY	
3	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
4	Full-time equated classified positions 425.0	
5	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	76,953,000
6	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
7	IDG from LARA (LCC), liquor quality testing fees	209,900
8	IDG from MDNR, forest development fund	200,000
9	IDG from MDEQ, biosolids	107,000
10	One-time interdepartmental grant revenues	2,400
11	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
12	transfers	519,300
13	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION \$	76,433,700
14	Federal revenues:	
15	USDA, multiple grants	7,629,800
16	EPA, multiple grants	1,704,400
17	HHS-FDA	1,780,400
18	One-time federal revenues	85,000
19	Total federal revenues	11,199,600
20	Special revenue funds:	
21	Total local revenues	0
22	Private - slow-the-spread foundation	86,800
23	Private - commodity group revenue	87,500
24	One-time private revenues	1,500
25	Total private revenues	175,800
26	Agricultural preservation fund	1,395,300
27	Agriculture equine industry development fund	3,834,900

1	Animal welfare fund	209,600
2	Commodity inspection fees	566,300
3	Consumer and industry food safety education fund	306,200
4	Dairy and food safety fund	3,159,800
5	Freshwater protection fund	5,095,500
6	Gasoline inspection and testing fund	2,570,200
7	Grain dealer fee fund	535,200
8	Horticulture fund	75,800
9	Industry support funds	549,100
10	Licensing and inspection fees	4,266,800
11	Migratory labor housing fund	157,000
12	Nonretail liquor fees	782,900
13	Refined petroleum fund	4,012,000
14	Renewable fuels fund	50,000
15	Testing fees	475,300
16	Weights and measures regulation fees	771,400
17	One-time state restricted revenues	146,100
18	Total other state restricted revenues	28,959,400
19	State general fund/general purpose \$	36,098,900
20	State general fund/general purpose schedule:	
21	Ongoing state general fund/general	
22	purpose 33,863,600	
23	One-time state general fund/general	
24	purpose 2,235,300	
25	Sec. 102. DEPARTMENTWIDE	
26	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
27	Full-time equated classified positions 27.0	

1	Commissions and boards	\$ 23,800
2	Unclassified positions6.0 FTE positions	700,000
3	Executive direction9.0 FTE positions	1,287,300
4	Management services15.0 FTE positions	995,200
5	Statistical reporting service1.0 FTE positions	157,300
6	Emergency management2.0 FTE positions	770,500
7	Accounting service center	920,200
8	Rent and building occupancy	 1,008,700
9	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 5,863,000
10	Appropriated from:	
11	Federal revenues:	
12	USDA, multiple grants	228,400
13	EPA, multiple grants	177,000
14	HHS-FDA	552,300
15	Special revenue funds:	
16	Private - commodity group revenue	87,500
17	Agricultural preservation fund	23,100
18	Freshwater protection fund	34,100
19	Industry support funds	49,500
20	Licensing and inspection fees	159,500
21	Nonretail liquor fees	38,100
22	Refined petroleum fund	320,300
23	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 4,193,200
24	Sec. 103. INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY	
25	Information technology services and projects	\$ 1,384,900
26	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 1,384,900
27	Appropriated from:	

1	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
2	IDG from LARA (LCC), liquor quality testing fees	3,000
3	Special revenue funds:	
4	Agricultural preservation fund	200
5	Agriculture equine industry development fund	80,800
6	Freshwater protection fund	100
7	Gasoline inspection testing fund	29,500
8	Licensing and inspection fees	30,400
9	Nonretail liquor fees	500
10	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 1,240,400
11	Sec. 104. FOOD AND DAIRY	
12	Full-time equated classified positions 101.0	
13	Food safety and quality assurance75.0 FTE positions	\$ 10,167,500
14	Milk safety and quality assurance26.0 FTE positions	 3,474,800
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 13,642,300
16	Appropriated from:	
17	Federal revenues:	
18	USDA, multiple grants	247,500
19	HHS-FDA	476,400
20	Special revenue funds:	
21	Consumer and industry food safety education fund	306,200
22	Dairy and food safety fund	3,159,800
23	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 9,452,400
24	Sec. 105. ANIMAL INDUSTRY	
25	Full-time equated classified positions 60.0	
26	Animal disease prevention and response60.0 FTE	
27	positions	\$ 8,956,700

1	Indemnification - livestock depredation	_	50,000
2	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	9,006,700
3	Appropriated from:		
4	Federal revenues:		
5	USDA, multiple grants		836,200
6	HHS-FDA		44,200
7	Special revenue funds:		
8	Animal welfare fund		209,600
9	Licensing and inspection fees		123,100
10	State general fund/general purpose	\$	7,793,600
11	Sec. 106. PESTICIDE AND PLANT PEST MANAGEMENT		
12	Full-time equated classified positions 81.0		
13	Pesticide and plant pest management77.0 FTE		
14	positions	\$	10,610,100
15	Producer security/grain dealers4.0 FTE positions	_	574,200
16	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	11,184,300
17	Appropriated from:		
18	Federal revenues:		
19	USDA, multiple grants		1,166,100
20	EPA, multiple grants		769,500
21	HHS-FDA		113,700
22	Special revenue funds:		
23	Private - slow-the-spread foundation		86,800
24	Commodity inspection fees		566,300
25	Grain dealers fee fund		535,200
26	Horticulture fund		75,800
27	Industry support funds		350,800

1	Licensing and inspection fees	3,866,700
2	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 3,653,400
3	Sec. 107. ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP	
4	Full-time equated classified positions 50.0	
5	Environmental stewardship18.0 FTE positions	\$ 6,146,500
6	Michigan agriculture environmental assurance program	
7	7.0 FTE positions	1,621,500
8	Farmland and open space preservation9.0 FTE	
9	positions	872,000
10	Private forest development program	200,000
11	Local conservation districts	100
12	Migrant labor housing9.0 FTE positions	1,156,900
13	Right-to-farm3.0 FTE positions	555,100
14	Intercounty drain4.0 FTE positions	 453,100
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 11,005,200
16	Appropriated from:	
17	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
18	IDG from MDNR, forest development fund	200,000
19	IDG from MDEQ, biosolids	107,000
20	Federal revenues:	
21	USDA, multiple grants	1,035,200
22	EPA, multiple grants	373,800
23	Special revenue funds:	
24	Agricultural preservation fund	872,000
25	Freshwater protection fund	5,061,300
26	Migratory labor housing fund	157,000
27	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 3,198,900

1	Sec. 108. LABORATORY PROGRAM	
2	Full-time equated classified positions 90.0	
3	Laboratory services38.0 FTE positions\$	5,686,400
4	USDA monitoring13.0 FTE positions	2,548,700
5	Consumer protection program39.0 FTE positions	5,667,300
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	13,902,400
7	Appropriated from:	
8	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
9	IDG from LARA (LCC), liquor quality testing fees	206,900
10	Federal revenues:	
11	USDA, multiple grants	2,549,600
12	EPA, multiple grants	384,100
13	HHS-FDA	593,800
14	Special revenue funds:	
15	Agriculture equine industry development fund	592,400
16	Gasoline inspection and testing fund	2,540,700
17	Licensing and inspection fees	87,100
18	Refined petroleum fund	3,691,700
19	Renewable fuels fund	50,000
20	Testing fees	475,300
21	Weights and measures regulation fees	771,400
22	State general fund/general purpose\$	1,959,400
23	Sec. 109. AGRICULTURE DEVELOPMENT	
24	Full-time equated classified positions 13.0	
25	Agriculture development10.0 FTE positions\$	2,712,000
26	Grape and wine program3.0 FTE positions	788,600
27	Rural development value-added grants	1,050,000

1	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 4,550,600
2	Appropriated from:	
3	Federal revenues:	
4	USDA, multiple grants	1,566,800
5	Special revenue funds:	
6	Industry support funds	148,800
7	Nonretail liquor fees	744,300
8	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 2,090,700
9	Sec. 110. FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS	
10	Full-time equated classified positions 3.0	
11	Fairs and racing3.0 FTE positions	\$ 351,100
12	County fairs capital improvement grants	281,600
13	Purses and supplements - fairs/licensed tracks	708,300
14	Licensed tracks - light horse racing	40,300
15	Light horse racing - breeders awards	20,000
16	Standardbred breeders' awards	285,900
17	Standardbred purses and supplements - licensed tracks	527,800
18	Standardbred sire stakes	239,000
19	Thoroughbred supplements - licensed tracks	385,900
20	Thoroughbred breeder's awards	358,600
21	Thoroughbred sire stakes	 244,800
22	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 3,443,300
23	Appropriated from:	
24	Special revenue funds:	
25	Agriculture equine industry development fund	3,161,700
26	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 281,600
27	Sec. 111. CAPITAL OUTLAY	

1	Farmland and open space development acquisition	\$ 500,000
2	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 500,000
3	Appropriated from:	
4	Special revenue funds:	
5	Agriculture preservation fund	500,000
6	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
7	Sec. 112. ONE-TIME BASIS ONLY	
8	State employee lump-sum payments	\$ 470,300
9	Private forestry program	600,000
10	Rural development value-added grants (1-time)	900,000
11	New food safety requirements	 500,000
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 2,470,300
13	Appropriated from:	
14	One-time interdepartmental grant revenues	2,400
15	One-time federal revenues	85,000
16	One-time private revenues	1,500
17	One-time state restricted revenues	146,100
18	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 2,235,300

19 PART 2
20 PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS
21 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013

22 GENERAL SECTIONS

Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources under part 1 for fiscal year 2012-2013 is \$65,058,300.00 and state

- 1 spending from state resources to be paid to local units of
- 2 government for fiscal year 2012-2013 is \$1,500,000.00. The itemized
- 3 statement below identifies appropriations from which spending to
- 4 local units of government will occur:
- 5 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
- **6** Environmental protection.....\$ 1,500,000
- 7 TOTAL.....\$ 1,500,000
- 8 Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this act are
- 9 subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101
- **10** to 18.1594.
- 11 Sec. 203. As used in this act:
- 12 (a) "Department" means the department of agriculture and rural
- 13 development.
- 14 (b) "Director" means the director of the department.
- 15 (c) "EPA" means the United States environmental protection
- 16 agency.
- 17 (d) "FTE" means full-time equated.
- 18 (e) "HHS-FDA" means the United States department of health and
- 19 human services food and drug administration.
- 20 (f) "IDG" means interdepartmental grant.
- 21 (g) "LARA" means the Michigan department of licensing and
- 22 regulatory affairs.
- (h) "MDEQ" means the Michigan department of environmental
- 24 quality.
- 25 (i) "USDA" means the United States department of agriculture.
- 26 Sec. 204. The civil service commission shall bill departments
- 27 and agencies at the end of the first fiscal quarter for the charges

- 1 authorized by section 5 of article XI of the state constitution of
- 2 1963. Payments shall be made for the total amount of the billing by
- 3 the end of the second fiscal quarter.
- 4 Sec. 206. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- 5 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000.00 for
- 6 federal contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 7 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
- 8 in this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act,
- 9 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 10 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- appropriated an amount not to exceed \$6,000,000.00 for state
- 12 restricted contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 13 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
- 14 in this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act,
- 15 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 16 (3) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 17 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00 for local
- 18 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 19 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 20 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- **21** MCL 18.1393.
- 22 (4) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 23 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00 for private
- 24 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 25 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 26 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- **27** MCL 18.1393.

- 1 Sec. 207. The department shall maintain a searchable website
- 2 accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is not
- 3 limited to, all of the following:
- 4 (a) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by category.
- 5 (b) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.
- 6 (c) Fiscal year-to-date payments to a selected vendor,
- 7 including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and
- 8 payment description.
- 9 (d) The number of active department employees by job
- 10 classification.
- 11 (e) Job specifications and wage rates.
- 12 Sec. 208. Unless otherwise specified, the departments shall
- 13 use the Internet to fulfill the reporting requirements of this act.
- 14 This requirement may include transmission of reports via electronic
- 15 mail to the recipients identified for each reporting requirement,
- 16 or it may include placement of reports on an Internet or Intranet
- **17** site.
- 18 Sec. 209. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for
- 19 the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if
- 20 competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or
- 21 services, or both, are available. Preference shall be given to
- 22 goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 23 businesses, if they are competitively priced and of comparable
- 24 quality. In addition, preference shall be given to goods or
- 25 services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 26 businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are
- 27 competitively priced and of comparable quality.

- 1 Sec. 211. Amounts appropriated in part 1 for information
- 2 technology may be designated as work projects and carried forward
- 3 to support technology projects under the direction of the
- 4 department of technology, management, and budget. Funds designated
- 5 in this manner are not available for expenditure until approved as
- 6 work projects under section 451a of the management and budget act,
- 7 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a.
- 8 Sec. 212. The department and agencies receiving appropriations
- 9 in part 1 shall receive and retain copies of all reports funded
- 10 from appropriations in part 1. Federal and state guidelines for
- 11 short-term and long-term retention of records shall be followed.
- 12 The department may electronically retain copies of reports unless
- 13 otherwise required by federal and state guidelines.
- 14 Sec. 214. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
- 15 information technology, departments and agencies shall pay user
- 16 fees to the department of technology, management, and budget for
- 17 technology-related services and projects. The user fees shall be
- 18 subject to provisions of an interagency agreement between the
- 19 department and agencies and the department of technology,
- 20 management, and budget.
- 21 Sec. 215. The department shall not take disciplinary action
- 22 against an employee for communicating with a member of the
- 23 legislature or his or her staff.
- Sec. 218. The departments and agencies receiving
- 25 appropriations in part 1 shall prepare a report on out-of-state
- 26 travel expenses not later than January 1 of each year. The travel
- 27 report shall be a listing of all travel by classified and

- 1 unclassified employees outside this state in the immediately
- 2 preceding fiscal year that was funded in whole or in part with
- 3 funds appropriated in the department's budget. The report shall be
- 4 submitted to the house and senate standing committees on
- 5 appropriations, the house and senate fiscal agencies, and the state
- 6 budget director. The report shall include the following
- 7 information:
- 8 (a) The dates of each travel occurrence.
- 9 (b) The total transportation and related costs of each travel
- 10 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general
- 11 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state
- 12 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,
- 13 and the proportion funded with other revenues.
- Sec. 219. It is the intent of the legislature that all
- 15 principal executive departments and agencies cooperate with the
- 16 development and implementation of the department of technology,
- 17 management, and budget statewide office space consolidation plan.
- 18 Sec. 228. Not later than November 15, the department shall
- 19 prepare and transmit a report that provides for estimates of the
- 20 total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the
- 21 close of the fiscal year. This report shall summarize the projected
- year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses by major
- 23 departmental program or program areas. The report shall be
- 24 transmitted to the office of the state budget, the chairpersons of
- 25 the senate and house of representatives standing committees on
- 26 appropriations, and the senate and house fiscal agencies.
- 27 Sec. 229. Within 14 days after the release of the executive

- 1 budget recommendation, the department shall provide the state
- 2 budget director, the senate and house appropriations chairs, the
- 3 senate and house appropriations subcommittees on agriculture and
- 4 rural development, respectively, and the senate and house fiscal
- 5 agencies with an annual report on estimated state restricted fund
- 6 balances, state restricted fund projected revenues, and state
- 7 restricted fund expenditures for the fiscal years ending September
- **8** 30, 2012 and September 30, 2013.
- 9 Sec. 230. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by a
- 10 principal executive department, state agency, or authority to hire
- 11 a person to provide legal services that are the responsibility of
- 12 the attorney general. This prohibition does not apply to legal
- 13 services for bonding activities and for those outside services that
- 14 the attorney general authorizes.
- Sec. 231. By October 31, 2012, the department shall identify
- 16 10 principal measurable outcomes to be affected by expenditure of
- 17 the funds appropriated in part 1 and submit a report to the house
- 18 and senate appropriations committees, the house and senate fiscal
- 19 agencies, and the state budget director that ranks the outcomes by
- 20 level of importance and contains current data on those outcomes.
- 21 Beginning on April 1, 2013, the department shall provide biannual
- 22 updates to the house and senate appropriations committees on
- 23 changes in those measurable outcomes and departmental efforts to
- 24 improve the outcomes.

25 EXECUTIVE

Sec. 301. (1) Pursuant to the appropriations in part 1, the

- 1 department may receive and expend revenue and use that revenue to
- 2 cover necessary expenses related to publications, audit and
- 3 licensing functions, livestock sales, certification of nursery
- 4 stock, and laboratory analyses as specified in the following:
- 5 (a) Management services publications.
- 6 (b) Management services audit and licensing functions.
- 7 (c) Pesticide and plant pest management propagation and 8 certification of virus-free foundation stock.
- 9 (d) Pesticide and plant pest management grading services.
- (e) Laboratory support testing for testing horses in draft
- 11 horse pulling contests at county fairs when local jurisdictions
- 12 request state assistance.
- 13 (f) Laboratory support analyses to determine foreign
- 14 substances in horses engaged in racing or pulling contests at
- 15 tracks.
- 16 (g) Laboratory support analyses of food, livestock, and
- 17 agricultural products for disease, foreign products for disease,
- 18 toxic materials, foreign substances, and quality standards.
- 19 (h) Laboratory support test samples for other agencies and
- 20 organizations.
- 21 (i) Fruit and vegetable inspection at shipping and termination
- 22 points and processing plants.
- 23 (2) The department shall notify the senate and house
- 24 appropriations subcommittees on agriculture and rural development
- 25 and the senate and house fiscal agencies 30 days prior to proposing
- 26 changes in fees authorized under this section or under section 5 of
- 27 1915 PA 91, MCL 285.35.

- 1 (3) Annually, before February 1, the department shall provide
- 2 a report to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 3 agriculture and rural development and the senate and house fiscal
- 4 agencies detailing all the fees charged by the department under the
- 5 authorization provided in this section, including, but not limited
- 6 to, rates, number of individuals paying each fee, and the revenue
- 7 generated by each fee in the previous fiscal year.
- 8 Sec. 302. Of the funds appropriated in part 1 that are other
- 9 than line-item grants, the department shall not provide grants to
- 10 local government agencies, institutions of higher education, or
- 11 nonprofit organizations unless the department provides notice of
- 12 the grant to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 13 agriculture and rural development at least 10 days before the grant
- 14 is issued. The grants shall be used to support research or other
- 15 related activities for the purpose of enhancing the agricultural
- 16 industries in this state.

17 FOOD AND DAIRY

- 18 Sec. 402. Not later than April 1, 2013, the department shall
- 19 provide a report to the senate and house appropriations
- 20 subcommittees on agriculture and rural development and the senate
- 21 and house fiscal agencies describing significant food-borne
- 22 outbreaks and emergencies, including any enforcement actions taken
- 23 related to food safety during the 2011-2012 fiscal year.

24 ANIMAL INDUSTRY

25 Sec. 451. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for bovine

- 1 tuberculosis, the department shall pay for all whole herd testing
- 2 costs and individual animal testing costs in the modified
- 3 accredited zone to maintain split-state status requirements. These
- 4 costs include indemnity and compensation for injury causing death
- 5 or downer to animals.
- 6 Sec. 453. (1) Of the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 7 department may provide for indemnity as provided for pursuant to
- 8 the animal industry act, 1988 PA 466, MCL 287.701 to 287.746, not
- 9 to exceed \$100,000.00 per order from any line item for the fiscal
- 10 year ending September 30, 2012. Before the department provides for
- 11 an indemnification under this section, the department shall report
- 12 the reason for the indemnification, the amount of the
- 13 indemnification, and to whom the indemnification is to be paid. The
- 14 report shall be given to each member of the senate and house
- 15 appropriations subcommittees on agriculture and rural development
- 16 and to the senate and house fiscal agencies and to the state budget
- 17 director.
- 18 (2) The department of agriculture and rural development shall
- 19 make an indemnification payment for the fair market value of
- 20 livestock killed by a wolf, coyote, or cougar, if the kill is
- 21 verified by the department of natural resources. The fair market
- 22 value of the livestock shall be determined pursuant to the
- 23 indemnification procedures prescribed in the animal industry act,
- 24 1988 PA 466, MCL 287.701 to 287.745.
- 25 (3) The funds appropriated in part 1 for indemnification -
- 26 livestock depredation are appropriated for indemnification payments
- 27 and related department costs under subsection (2). On or before

- 1 March 1, 2013, the department shall report to the house and senate
- 2 appropriations subcommittees on agriculture and rural development,
- 3 and the house and senate fiscal agencies, on costs incurred in the
- 4 2010-2011 and 2011-2012 fiscal years for indemnification payments
- 5 to producers made under subsection (2) and related department
- 6 costs.
- 7 Sec. 454. The department shall use its resources to
- 8 collaborate with the United States department of agriculture and
- 9 rural development to obtain TB-free status for the area of the
- 10 Lower Peninsula that is zoned as modified accredited advanced. The
- 11 department shall also aggressively work toward eradicating bovine
- 12 TB in the modified accredited zone. The department shall also
- 13 convene a workgroup to work toward eradicating bovine TB in the
- 14 modified accredited zone.
- Sec. 456. Of the funds appropriated in part 1, no funds shall
- 16 be used to enforce the mandatory electronic animal identification
- 17 program for any domestic animals other than cattle until specific
- 18 procedures and quidelines for electronic animal identification are
- 19 outlined in statute.
- 20 Sec. 457. On or before October 15, 2012, and on a quarterly
- 21 basis thereafter, the department shall report to the senate and
- 22 house agriculture committees, the senate and house appropriations
- 23 subcommittees on agriculture and rural development, and the senate
- 24 and house fiscal agencies on the department's progress toward
- 25 meeting the USDA requirements as outlined in the March 2007 bovine
- 26 TB program review. The report shall include, but is not limited to,
- 27 information and data on: wildlife risk mitigation plan

- 1 implementation in the modified accredited zone; implementation of a
- 2 movement certificate process; progress toward annual surveillance
- 3 test requirements set out in the June 2007 MOU; efforts to work
- 4 with slaughter facilities in Michigan, as well as those that
- 5 slaughter a significant number of animals from Michigan;
- 6 educational programs and information for Michigan's livestock
- 7 community; any other item the legislature should be aware of that
- 8 will promote or hinder efforts to achieve bovine TB-free status for
- 9 Michigan.
- 10 Sec. 458. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for animal
- 11 industry, the department shall provide inspection and testing of
- 12 aquaculture facilities and aquaculture researchers as provided
- 13 under section 7 of the Michigan aquaculture development act, 1996
- 14 PA 199, MCL 286.877. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 15 department shall work with aquaculture facilities and aquaculture
- 16 researchers to identify, contain, and eradicate viral hemorrhagic
- 17 septicemia in this state.

18 PESTICIDE AND PLANT PEST MANAGEMENT

- 19 Sec. 551. (1) It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 20 department work with the fruit and vegetable industry to ensure the
- 21 development of a sustainable system of third-party inspections of
- 22 fruits and vegetables.
- 23 (2) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for pesticide and
- 24 plant pest management, not less than \$200,000.00 shall be used for
- 25 the purpose to ensure that Michigan commodities receive
- 26 departmental inspections required by other governments to ship

- 1 commodities out of Michigan. The department shall devise a plan to
- 2 provide these required government inspections in a timely manner.
- 3 Sec. 552. The department is encouraged to work with local
- 4 public health departments and with the USDA to maintain and expand
- 5 the clean sweep program for the safe disposal of hazardous
- 6 household chemicals and prescription drugs. The department shall
- 7 report to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on
- 8 agriculture and rural development and the house and senate fiscal
- 9 agencies by March 1, 2013 on clean sweep locations in this state
- 10 and on factors affecting program success and expansion including
- 11 funding requirements.

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ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

- Sec. 601. The part 1 appropriation line item environmental
- 14 stewardship shall be used to support department agriculture
- 15 pollution prevention programs, including groundwater and freshwater
- 16 protection programs under part 87 of the Michigan natural resources
- 17 and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.8701 to
- 18 324.8717, and technical assistance in implementing conservation
- 19 grants available under the federal farm bill of 2008.
- 20 Sec. 606. The department shall actively search for all
- 21 possible funding sources to be used to match federal funds in the
- 22 USDA environmental quality incentives program.
- Sec. 607. (1) It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 24 department continue its activities in support of intercounty
- 25 drainage districts as provided in chapter 5 of the drain code of
- 26 1956, 1956 PA 40, MCL 280.101 to 280.106.

- 1 (2) The department shall work with representatives of
- 2 intercounty drainage districts to develop a mutually agreeable
- 3 method of funding department costs associated with the intercounty
- 4 drainage program.

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- 5 Sec. 608. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for Michigan
- 6 agriculture environmental assurance program, the department shall
- 7 work to address water quality issues affecting Lake St. Clair,
- 8 including efforts to reduce nonpoint source pollution.

AGRICULTURE DEVELOPMENT

- Sec. 706. Not later than April 1, 2013, the department shall
- 11 provide a report to the senate and house appropriations
- 12 subcommittees on agriculture and rural development and the senate
- 13 and house fiscal agencies describing the department's agriculture
- 14 development and export market development activities. The report
- 15 shall identify grants awarded during the prior fiscal year,
- 16 including a description of federal or private funds made available
- 17 as a result of department activities.
- 18 Sec. 709. (1) Not later than April 1, 2013, the department
- 19 shall provide a report to the senate and house appropriations
- 20 subcommittees on agriculture and rural development and the senate
- 21 and house fiscal agencies describing the activities of the grape
- 22 and wine industry council established under section 303 of the
- 23 Michigan liquor control act of 1998, 1998 PA 58, MCL 436.1303.
- 24 (2) The report shall include all of the following:
- 25 (a) Council activities and accomplishments for the previous
- 26 fiscal year.

- 1 (b) Council expenditures for the previous fiscal year by
- 2 category of administration, industry support, research and
- 3 education grants, and promotion and consumer education.
- 4 (c) Grants awarded during the prior fiscal year and the
- 5 results of research grant projects completed during the prior
- 6 fiscal year.
- 7 Sec. 710. The department shall administer the rural
- 8 development value-added grant program as prescribed in section
- 9 1101.

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FAIRS AND EXPOSITIONS

- Sec. 801. All appropriations from the agricultural equine
- 12 industry development fund shall be spent on equine-related
- 13 purposes. No funds from the agriculture equine industry development
- 14 fund shall be expended for nonequine-related purposes without prior
- 15 approval of the legislature.
- 16 Sec. 802. All appropriations from the agriculture equine
- 17 industry development fund, except for the racing commission and
- 18 laboratory analysis program appropriations, shall be reduced
- 19 proportionately if revenues to the agriculture equine industry
- 20 development fund decline during the fiscal year ending September
- 21 30, 2012 to a level lower than the amounts appropriated in section
- **22** 108.
- Sec. 803. In the event there is no live thoroughbred race meet
- 24 in 2011 or 2012, all purse money and program money appropriated for
- 25 the thoroughbred industry in fiscal year 2010-2011 and fiscal year
- 26 2011-2012 shall be held in escrow for a period not to exceed 18

- 1 months, or until a thoroughbred race meet license is applied for
- 2 and granted by the Michigan gaming control board. In the event
- 3 there is no thoroughbred meet in 2011 or 2012, the purse pool
- 4 distribution order to be issued by the Michigan gaming control
- 5 board in 2012 that delineates distribution between the thoroughbred
- 6 meet that has been held at pinnacle race course and the joint
- 7 thoroughbred/quarterhorse meet held in Mt. Pleasant shall be the
- 8 same distribution formula as issued in 2011, with the thoroughbred
- 9 portion being held in escrow.
- 10 Sec. 804. The Michigan gaming control board shall use actual
- 11 expenditure data in determining the actual regulatory costs of
- 12 conducting racing dates and shall provide that data to the senate
- 13 and house of representatives appropriations subcommittees on
- 14 agriculture and rural development and general government and the
- 15 senate and house fiscal agencies. The Michigan gaming control board
- 16 shall not be reimbursed for more than the actual regulatory cost of
- 17 conducting race dates. If a certified horsemen's organization funds
- 18 more than the actual regulatory cost, the balance shall remain in
- 19 the agriculture equine industry development fund to be used to fund
- 20 subsequent race dates conducted by race meeting licensees with
- 21 which the certified horsemen's organization has contracts. If a
- 22 certified horsemen's organization funds less than the actual
- 23 regulatory costs of the additional horse racing dates, the Michigan
- 24 gaming control board shall reduce the number of future race dates
- 25 conducted by race meeting licensees with which the certified
- 26 horsemen's organization has contracts. Prior to the reduction in
- 27 the number of authorized race dates due to budget deficits, the

- 1 executive director of the Michigan gaming control board shall
- 2 provide notice to the certified horsemen's organizations with an
- 3 opportunity to respond with alternatives. In determining actual
- 4 costs, the Michigan gaming control board shall take into account
- 5 that each specific breed may require different regulatory
- 6 mechanisms.
- 7 Sec. 805. (1) The department shall establish and administer a
- 8 county fairs capital improvement grant program. The program shall
- 9 assist in the promotion of building improvements or other capital
- 10 improvements at county fairgrounds of the state.
- 11 (2) The department shall award grants on a competitive basis
- 12 to county fair organizations from the funds appropriated in part 1
- 13 for county fairs capital improvements grants. Grantees will be
- 14 required to provide a dollar-for-dollar cash match with grant
- 15 awards and identify measurable project outcomes.
- 16 (3) The department shall identify criteria, evaluate
- 17 applications, and provide recommendations to the director for final
- 18 approval of grant awards.
- 19 (4) The department may expend money from the funds
- 20 appropriated in part 1 for the county fairs capital improvement
- 21 grants for administering the program.
- 22 (5) The unexpended portion of the county fairs capital
- 23 improvement grant program is considered a work project
- 24 appropriation in accordance with the management and budget act,
- 25 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.
- 26 (6) The department shall provide an interim report no later
- 27 than March 15, 2013 and a year-end report no later than September

- 1 30, 2013 to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 2 agriculture and rural development and the senate and house fiscal
- 3 agencies, including the grantees, award amount, match funding, and
- 4 project outcomes.

5 CAPITAL OUTLAY

- 6 Sec. 1002. (1) The director shall allocate lump-sum
- 7 appropriations made in this act consistent with statutory
- 8 provisions and the purposes for which funds were appropriated.
- 9 Lump-sum allocations shall address priority program or facility
- 10 needs and may include, but are not limited to, design,
- 11 construction, remodeling and addition, special maintenance, major
- 12 special maintenance, energy conservation, and demolition.
- 13 (2) The state budget director may authorize that funds
- 14 appropriated for lump-sum appropriations shall be available for no
- 15 more than 3 fiscal years following the fiscal year in which the
- 16 original appropriation was made. Any remaining balance from
- 17 allocations made in this section shall lapse to the fund from which
- 18 it was appropriated pursuant to the lapsing of funds as provided in
- 19 the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.
- 20 Sec. 1003. The appropriations in part 1 for capital outlay
- 21 shall be carried forward at the end of the fiscal year consistent
- 22 with the provisions of section 248 of the management and budget
- 23 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1248.

24 ONE-TIME BASIS ONLY APPROPRIATIONS

25 Sec. 1101. (1) The department shall establish and administer a

- 1 rural development value-added grant program. The program shall
- 2 promote the expansion of value-added agricultural production,
- 3 processing, and access within the state.
- 4 (2) The department shall award grants on a competitive basis
- 5 from the funds appropriated in part 1 for rural development value-
- 6 added grants. Grantees will be required to provide a cash match and
- 7 identify measurable project outcomes. Eligible grantees may
- 8 include, but are not limited to, individuals, partnerships,
- 9 cooperatives, private or public corporations, and local units of
- 10 government.
- 11 (3) A joint evaluation committee shall be selected by the
- 12 director with representatives with agriculture, business, and
- 13 economic development expertise. The joint evaluation committee
- 14 shall identify criteria, evaluate applications, and provide
- 15 recommendations to the director for final approval of grant awards.
- 16 (4) The department may expend money from the funds
- 17 appropriated in part 1 for the rural development valued-added
- 18 grants for administering the program.
- 19 (5) The unexpended portion of the rural development value-
- 20 added grant program is considered a work project appropriation in
- 21 accordance with the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL
- 22 18.1101 to 18.1594.
- 23 (6) The department shall provide an interim report no later
- 24 than March 15, 2013 and year-end report no later than September 30,
- 25 2013 to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on
- 26 agriculture and rural development and the senate and house fiscal
- 27 agencies, including the grantees, award amount, match funding, and

- project outcomes.
- 2 Sec. 1103. (1) The appropriations in part 1 for private
- 3 forestry program is for the purpose of increasing the knowledge of
- 4 nonindustrial private forestland owners of sound forest management
- 5 practices and increasing the amount of commercial timber production
- 6 from those lands.
- 7 (2) The department shall work in partnership with stakeholder
- 8 groups and other state and federal agencies to increase the active
- 9 management of nonindustrial private forestland to foster the growth
- 10 of Michigan's timber product industry.
- 11 PART 2A
- 12 PROVISIONS CONCERNING ANTICIPATED APPROPRIATIONS
- **13** FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014

14 GENERAL SECTIONS

- Sec. 1201. It is the intent of the legislature to provide
- 16 appropriations for the fiscal year ending on September 30, 2014 for
- 17 the line items listed in part 1. The fiscal year 2013-2014
- 18 appropriations are anticipated to be the same as those for fiscal
- 19 year 2012-2013, except that the line items will be adjusted for
- 20 changes in caseload and related costs, federal fund match rates,
- 21 economic factors, and available revenue. These adjustments will be
- 22 determined after the January 2013 consensus revenue estimating
- 23 conference.