CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 37

AN ACT

To repeal sections 135.305, 135.686, 208.018, 266.355, 281.015, 281.020, 281.025, 281.030, 281.035, 281.037, 281.038, 281.040, 281.045, 281.050, 281.055, 281.060, 281.063, 281.065, 281.070, 281.075, 281.085, 281.101, 348.436, 348.500, 643.050, 643.079, and 643.245, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof thirty new sections relating to agriculture, with an effective date for certain sections.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 135.305, 135.686, 208.018, 266.355,

- 2 281.015, 281.020, 281.025, 281.030, 281.035, 281.037, 281.038,
- 3 281.040, 281.045, 281.050, 281.055, 281.060, 281.063, 281.065,
- 4 281.070, 281.075, 281.085, 281.101, 348.436, 348.500, 643.050,
- 5 643.079, and 643.245, RSMo, are repealed and thirty new sections
- 6 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 135.305,
- 7 135.686, 135.755, 135.775, 208.018, 281.015, 281.020, 281.025,
- 8 281.030, 281.035, 281.037, 281.038, 281.040, 281.045, 281.048,
- 9 281.050, 281.055, 281.060, 281.063, 281.065, 281.070, 281.075,
- 10 281.085, 281.101, 301.033, 348.436, 348.500, 643.050, 643.079,
- and 643.245, to read as follows:

135.305. A Missouri wood energy producer shall be

- 2 eligible for a tax credit on taxes otherwise due under
- 3 chapter 143, except sections 143.191 to 143.261, as a
- 4 production incentive to produce processed wood products in a
- 5 qualified wood-producing facility using Missouri forest
- 6 product residue. The tax credit to the wood energy producer
- 7 shall be five dollars per ton of processed material. The
- 8 credit may be claimed for a period of five years and is to
- 9 be a tax credit against the tax otherwise due. No new tax

- 10 credits, provided for under sections 135.300 to 135.311,
- 11 shall be authorized after June 30, [2020] 2026. In no event
- 12 shall the aggregate amount of all tax credits allowed under
- 13 sections 135.300 to 135.311 exceed six million dollars in
- 14 any given fiscal year. There shall be no tax credits
- authorized under sections 135.300 to 135.311 unless an
- 16 appropriation is made for such tax credits.
- 135.686. 1. This section shall be known and may be
- 2 cited as the "Meat Processing Facility Investment Tax Credit
- 3 Act".
- 4 2. As used in this section, the following terms mean:
- 5 (1) "Authority", the agricultural and small business
- 6 development authority established in chapter 348;
- 7 (2) "Meat processing facility", any commercial plant,
- 8 as defined under section 265.300, at which livestock are
- 9 slaughtered or at which meat or meat products are processed
- 10 for sale commercially and for human consumption;
- 11 (3) "Meat processing modernization or expansion",
- 12 constructing, improving, or acquiring buildings or
- 13 facilities, or acquiring equipment for meat processing
- 14 including the following, if used exclusively for meat
- 15 processing and if acquired and placed in service in this
- 16 state during tax years beginning on or after January 1,
- 17 2017, but ending on or before December 31, [2021] 2026:
- 18 (a) Building construction including livestock
- 19 handling, product intake, storage, and warehouse facilities;
- 20 (b) Building additions;
- 21 (c) Upgrades to utilities including water, electric,
- 22 heat, refrigeration, freezing, and waste facilities;
- 23 (d) Livestock intake and storage equipment;
- (e) Processing and manufacturing equipment including
- 25 cutting equipment, mixers, grinders, sausage stuffers, meat

- 26 smokers, curing equipment, cooking equipment, pipes, motors,
- 27 pumps, and valves;
- 28 (f) Packaging and handling equipment including
- 29 sealing, bagging, boxing, labeling, conveying, and product
- 30 movement equipment;
- 31 (g) Warehouse equipment including storage and curing
- 32 racks;
- 33 (h) Waste treatment and waste management equipment
- 34 including tanks, blowers, separators, dryers, digesters, and
- 35 equipment that uses waste to produce energy, fuel, or
- 36 industrial products;
- 37 (i) Computer software and hardware used for managing
- 38 the claimant's meat processing operation including software
- 39 and hardware related to logistics, inventory management,
- 40 production plant controls, and temperature monitoring
- 41 controls; and
- 42 (j) Construction or expansion of retail facilities or
- 43 the purchase or upgrade of retail equipment for the
- 44 commercial sale of meat products if the retail facility is
- 45 located at the same location as the meat processing facility;
- 46 (4) "Tax credit", a credit against the tax otherwise
- 47 due under chapter 143, excluding withholding tax imposed
- 48 under sections 143.191 to 143.265, or otherwise due under
- 49 chapter 147;
- 50 (5) "Taxpayer", any individual or entity who:
- 51 (a) Is subject to the tax imposed under chapter 143,
- 52 excluding withholding tax imposed under sections 143.191 to
- 53 143.265, or the tax imposed under chapter 147;
- 54 (b) In the case of an individual, is a resident of
- 55 this state as verified by a 911 address or, in the absence
- of a 911 system, a physical address; and
- 57 (c) Owns a meat processing facility located in this
- 58 state;

- 59 (6) "Used exclusively", used to the exclusion of all 60 other uses except for use not exceeding five percent of 61 total use.
- 3. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2017, but ending on or before December 31, [2021] 2026, a taxpayer shall be allowed a tax credit for meat processing modernization or expansion related to the taxpayer's meat processing facility. The tax credit amount shall be equal to twenty-five percent of the amount the taxpayer paid in the tax year for meat processing modernization or expansion.
- 69 The amount of the tax credit claimed shall not exceed the amount of the taxpayer's state tax liability for 70 the tax year for which the credit is claimed. No tax credit 71 72 claimed under this section shall be refundable. The tax 73 credit shall be claimed in the tax year in which the meat 74 processing modernization or expansion expenses were paid, 75 but any amount of credit that the taxpayer is prohibited by this section from claiming in a tax year may be carried 76 77 forward to any of the taxpayer's four subsequent tax years. The total amount of tax credits that any taxpayer may claim 78 79 shall not exceed seventy-five thousand dollars per year. two or more persons own and operate the meat processing 80 facility, each person may claim a credit under this section 81 82 in proportion to his or her ownership interest; except that, the aggregate amount of the credits claimed by all persons 83 84 who own and operate the meat processing facility shall not 85 exceed seventy-five thousand dollars per year. The amount of tax credits authorized in this section and section 86 135.679 in a calendar year shall not exceed two million 87 dollars. Tax credits shall be issued on an as-received 88 application basis until the calendar year limit is reached. 89 Any credits not issued in any calendar year shall expire and 90

shall not be issued in any subsequent year.

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- 92 5. To claim the tax credit allowed under this section, 93 the taxpayer shall submit to the authority an application 94 for the tax credit on a form provided by the authority and any application fee imposed by the authority. The 95 application shall be filed with the authority at the end of 96 97 each calendar year in which a meat processing modernization or expansion project was completed and for which a tax 98 99 credit is claimed under this section. The application shall 100 include any certified documentation, proof of meat 101 processing modernization or expansion, and any other 102 information required by the authority. All required 103 information obtained by the authority shall be confidential 104 and not disclosed except by court order, subpoena, or as 105 otherwise provided by law. If the taxpayer and the meat 106 processing modernization or expansion meet all criteria 107 required by this section and approval is granted by the 108 authority, the authority shall issue a tax credit 109 certificate in the appropriate amount. Tax credit 110 certificates issued under this section may be assigned, transferred, sold, or otherwise conveyed, and the new owner 111 of the tax credit certificate shall have the same rights in 112 the tax credit as the original taxpayer. If a tax credit 113 certificate is assigned, transferred, sold, or otherwise 114 115 conveyed, a notarized endorsement shall be filed with the 116 authority specifying the name and address of the new owner of the tax credit certificate and the value of the tax 117 118 credit.
- 119 6. Any information provided under this section shall
 120 be confidential information, to be shared with no one except
 121 state and federal animal health officials, except as
 122 provided in subsection 5 of this section.
- 7. The authority shall promulgate rules establishing a process for verifying that a facility's modernization or

- expansion for which tax credits were allowed under this
 section has in fact expanded the facility's production
 within three years of the issuance of the tax credit and if
 not, the authority shall promulgate through rulemaking a
- process by which the taxpayer shall repay the authority an
- 130 amount equal to that of the tax credit allowed.
- 131 8. The authority shall, at least annually, submit a 132 report to the Missouri general assembly reviewing the costs 133 and benefits of the program established under this section.
- 9. The authority may promulgate rules to implement the provisions of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created
- under the authority delegated in this section shall become
- 138 effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of
- the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section
- 140 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and
- 141 if any of the powers vested with the general assembly
- 142 pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective
- 143 date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently
- 144 held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking
- authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28,
- 146 2016, shall be invalid and void.

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- 147 10. This section shall not be subject to the Missouri 148 sunset act, sections 23.250 to 23.298.
 - 135.755. 1. For the purposes of this section, the following terms shall mean:
 - 3 (1) "Department", the Missouri department of revenue;
 - 4 (2) "Higher ethanol blend", a fuel capable of being
 - 5 dispensed directly into motor vehicle fuel tanks for
 - 6 consumption that is comprised of at least fifteen percent
 - 5 but not more than eighty-five percent ethanol;
 - 8 (3) "Retail dealer", a person that owns or operates a retail service station;

- 10 (4) "Retail service station", a location from which
- 11 higher ethanol blend is sold to the general public and is
- 12 dispensed directly into motor vehicle fuel tanks for
- 13 consumption.
- 14 2. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1,
- 15 2022, a retail dealer that sells higher ethanol blend at
- 16 such retail dealer's retail service station shall be allowed
- 17 <u>a tax credit to be taken against the retail dealer's state</u>
- 18 income tax liability. The amount of the credit shall equal
- 19 five cents per gallon of higher ethanol blend sold by the
- 20 retail dealer and dispensed through metered pumps at the
- 21 retail dealer's retail service station during the tax year
- 22 in which the tax credit is claimed. Tax credits authorized
- 23 pursuant to this section shall not be transferred, sold, or
- 24 assigned. If the amount of the tax credit exceeds the
- 25 taxpayer's state tax liability, the difference shall not be
- 26 refundable, but may be carried forward to any of the five
- 27 subsequent tax years. The total amount of tax credits
- 28 authorized pursuant to this section for any given fiscal
- year shall not exceed four million dollars.
- 30 3. The tax credit allowed by this section shall be
- 31 claimed by such taxpayer at the time such taxpayer files a
- 32 return and shall be applied against the income tax liability
- imposed by chapter 143 after reduction for all other credits
- 34 allowed thereon. The department may require any
- 35 documentation it deems necessary to implement the provisions
- 36 of this section.
- 4. Nothing in this section shall be construed to
- 38 mandate the sale of higher ethanol blends in Missouri.
- 39 5. The department shall promulgate rules to implement
- 40 the provisions of this section. Any rule or portion of a
- 41 rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is
- 42 created under the authority delegated in this section shall

- 43 become effective only if it complies with and is subject to
- 44 all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable,
- 45 section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are
- 46 nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the
- 47 general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay
- 48 the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are
- 49 subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of
- 50 rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after
- 51 August 28, 2021, shall be invalid and void.
- 6. Pursuant to section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset
- 53 act:
- 54 (1) The provisions of this section shall automatically
- sunset on December 31, 2026, unless reauthorized by an act
- of the general assembly; and
- 57 (2) If such program is reauthorized, the program
- 58 authorized under this section shall automatically sunset
- 59 twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization
- 60 of this section; and
- 61 (3) This section shall terminate on September first of
- 62 the calendar year immediately following the calendar year in
- 63 which the program authorized under this section is sunset.
 - 135.775. 1. For the purposes of this section, the
 - 2 following terms shall mean:
 - 3 (1) "Biodiesel blend", a blend of diesel fuel and
 - 4 biodiesel fuel between five percent and twenty percent for
 - 5 on-road and off-road diesel-fueled vehicle use. Biodiesel
 - 6 blend shall comply with the ASTM International specification
 - 7 D7467-19, or the most recent specifications;
- 8 (2) "Biodiesel fuel", a renewable, biodegradable, mono
- 9 alkyl ester combustible liquid fuel that is derived from
- 10 agricultural and other plant oils or animal fats and that
- 11 meets the ASTM International specification D6751-19, or the
- 12 most recent specification, for Biodiesel Fuel (B100) or

- 13 (B99) Blend Stock for Distillate Fuels. Biodiesel produced
- 14 from palm oil is not biodiesel fuel for the purposes of this
- 15 section, unless the palm oil is contained within waste oil
- 16 and grease collected within the United States;
- 17 (3) "Department", the Missouri department of revenue;
- 18 (4) "Retail dealer", a person that owns or operates a
- 19 retail service station;
- 20 (5) "Retail service station", a location from which
- 21 biodiesel blend is sold to the general public and is
- 22 dispensed directly into motor vehicle fuel tanks for
- 23 consumption.
- 24 2. For all tax years beginning on or after January 1,
- 25 2022, a retail dealer that sells a biodiesel blend at a
- 26 retail service station shall be allowed a tax credit to be
- 27 taken against the retail dealer's state income tax
- 28 liability. The amount of the tax credit shall be as follows:
- 29 (1) Two cents per gallon of biodiesel blend of at
- 30 least five percent but not more than ten percent sold by a
- 31 retail dealer at a retail service station during the tax
- 32 year for which the tax credit is claimed; or
- 33 (2) Five cents per gallon of biodiesel blend in excess
- 34 of ten percent sold by a retail dealer at a retail service
- 35 station during the tax year for which the tax credit is
- 36 claimed.
- 37 Tax credits authorized pursuant to this section shall not be
- 38 transferred, sold, or assigned. If the amount of the tax
- 39 credit exceeds the taxpayer's state tax liability, the
- 40 difference shall be refundable. The total amount of tax
- 41 credits authorized pursuant to this section for any given
- 42 fiscal year shall not exceed sixteen million dollars.
- 43 3. In the event the total amount of tax credits
- 44 claimed under this section exceeds the amount of available
- 45 tax credits, the tax credits shall be apportioned equally to

- 46 all eligible retail dealers claiming the credit by April
- 47 fifteenth of the fiscal year in which the tax credit is
- 48 claimed.
- 4. The tax credit allowed by this section shall be
- 50 claimed by such taxpayer at the time such taxpayer files a
- 51 return and shall be applied against the income tax liability
- 52 imposed by chapter 143 after reduction for all other credits
- 53 allowed thereon. The department may require any
- documentation it deems necessary to implement the provisions
- of this section.
- 5. The department may work with the division of
- 57 weights and measures within the department of agriculture to
- 58 validate that the biodiesel blend a retail dealer claims for
- 59 the tax credit authorized under this section contains a
- 60 sufficient percentage of biodiesel fuel.
- 6. The department shall promulgate rules to implement
- 62 the provisions of this section. Any rule or portion of a
- rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is
- 64 created under the authority delegated in this section shall
- 65 become effective only if it complies with and is subject to
- 66 all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable,
- 67 section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are
- 68 nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the
- 69 general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay
- 70 the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are
- 71 subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of
- 72 rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after
- 73 August 28, 2021, shall be invalid and void.
- 7. Nothing in this section shall be construed to
- 75 mandate the sale of biodiesel blends in Missouri.
- 76 8. Pursuant to section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset
- 77 act:

- 78 (1) The provisions of this section shall automatically
- 79 sunset on December 31, 2026, unless reauthorized by an act
- 80 of the general assembly; and
- 81 (2) If such program is reauthorized, the program
- 82 authorized under this section shall automatically sunset
- 83 twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization
- 84 of this section; and
- 85 (3) This section shall terminate on September first of
- 86 the calendar year immediately following the calendar year in
- 87 which the program authorized under this section is sunset.
 - 208.018. 1. Subject to federal approval, the
 - 2 department of social services shall establish a pilot
 - 3 program for the purpose of providing Supplemental Nutrition
 - 4 Assistance Program (SNAP) participants with access and the
 - 5 ability to afford fresh food when purchasing fresh food at
 - 6 farmers' markets. The pilot program shall be established in
 - 7 at least one rural area and one urban area. Under the pilot
 - 8 program, such participants shall be able to:
 - 9 (1) Purchase fresh fruit, vegetables, meat, fish,
- 10 poultry, eggs, and honey with SNAP benefits with an
- 11 electronic benefit transfer (EBT) card; and
- 12 (2) Receive a dollar-for-dollar match for every SNAP
- dollar spent at a participating farmers' market or vending
- 14 urban agricultural zone as defined in section 262.900 in an
- 15 amount up to ten dollars per week whenever the participant
- 16 purchases fresh food with an EBT card.
- 17 2. For purposes of this section, the term "farmers'
- 18 market" shall mean a market with multiple stalls at which
- 19 farmer-producers sell agricultural products, particularly
- 20 fresh fruit and vegetables, directly to the general public
- 21 at a central or fixed location.
- 3. Purchases of approved fresh food by SNAP
- 23 participants under this section shall automatically trigger

- 24 matching funds reimbursement into the central farmers'
 25 market vendor accounts by the department.
- 4. The funding of this pilot program shall be subject to appropriation. In addition to appropriations from the general assembly, the department may apply for available grants and shall be able to accept other gifts, grants, and donations to develop and maintain the program.
- 5. The department shall promulgate rules setting forththe procedures and methods of implementing this section.
- 33 Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in
- 34 section 536.010, that is created under and pursuant to the
- 35 authority delegated in this section shall become effective
- 36 only if it complies with and is subject to all of the
- 37 provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section
- 38 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and
- 39 if any of the powers vested with the general assembly
- 40 pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective
- 41 date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently
- 42 held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking
- 43 authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28,
- 44 2014, shall be invalid and void.
- 45 6. Under and pursuant to section 23.253 of the 46 Missouri sunset act:
- 47 (1) The provisions of this section shall [sunset
- 48 automatically six years after the effective date of this
- 49 section unless reauthorized by an act of the general
- 50 assembly; and
- 51 (2) If such program is reauthorized, the program
- 52 authorized under this section shall sunset automatically
- 53 twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization
- of this section] expire on August 28, 2033; and
- 55 [(3)] (2) This section shall terminate on September
- 56 [first of the calendar year immediately following the

- 57 calendar year in which the program authorized under this
- section is sunset] 1, 2034.
 - 281.015. Sections 281.005 to 281.115 shall be
- 2 administered by the director of the department of
- 3 agriculture of the state of Missouri[, hereafter referred to
- 4 as the "director"].
 - 281.020. As used in sections 281.010 to 281.115, the
- 2 following terms mean:
- 3 (1) "Animal", all vertebrate and invertebrate species,
- 4 including but not limited to man and other mammals, birds,
- 5 fish, and shellfish;
- 6 (2) "Applicator, operator or technician":
- 7 (a) "Certified applicator", any certified commercial
- 8 applicator, certified noncommercial applicator, certified
- 9 private applicator, certified provisional private
- 10 applicator, or certified public operator;
- 11 (b) "Certified commercial applicator", any individual,
- whether or not [he] the individual is a private applicator
- 13 with respect to some uses, who is certified by the director
- 14 as authorized to use, supervise the use of, [or] determine
- 15 the need for the use of, or supervise the determination of
- 16 need for any pesticide, whether classified for restricted
- 17 use or for general use, while [he] the individual is engaged
- in the business of using pesticides on the lands of another
- 19 as a direct service to the public in exchange for a fee or
- 20 compensation;
- [(b)] (c) "Certified noncommercial applicator", any
- 22 individual, whether or not [he] the individual is a private
- 23 applicator with respect to some uses, who is certified by
- 24 the director as authorized to use, or to supervise the use
- 25 of, any pesticide which is classified for restricted use
- only on lands owned or rented by [him] the individual or
- 27 [his] the individual's employer;

- [(c)] (d) "Certified private applicator", any
- 29 individual who is certified by the director as authorized to
- 30 use[, or to supervise the use of,] any pesticide [which]
- 31 that is classified for restricted use for purposes of
- 32 producing any agricultural commodity on property owned or
- 33 rented by [him] the individual or [his] the individual's
- 34 employer or on the property of another person, if used
- 35 without compensation other than trading of personal services
- 36 between producers of agricultural commodities[, on the
- 37 property of another person];
- (e) "Certified provisional private applicator", any
- 39 individual who is sixteen or seventeen years of age, an
- 40 immediate family member of a certified private applicator,
- 41 and certified by the director to use any pesticide that is
- 42 classified for restricted use for purposes of producing any
- 43 agricultural commodity on property owned or rented by the
- 44 individual's immediate family member, as long as the
- 45 following requirements are met:
- a. The restricted use pesticide is not a fumigant;
- b. The restricted use pesticide does not contain
- 48 sodium cyanide or sodium fluoroacetate;
- 49 <u>c. The individual does not apply any restricted use</u>
- 50 pesticide using aerial application equipment;
- d. The individual does not supervise the use of any
- restricted use pesticide; and
- e. The individual does not purchase any restricted use
- 54 pesticide;
- [(d)] (f) "Certified public operator", any individual
- 56 who is certified by the director as authorized to use, or to
- 57 supervise the use of, any pesticide classified for
- restricted use in the performance of [his] the individual's
- 59 duties as an official or employee of any agency of the state

- of Missouri or any political subdivision thereof, or any other governmental agency;
- (g) "Noncertified restricted use pesticide
- applicator", any person who is not certified in accordance
- with sections 281.010 to 281.115 who uses or determines the
- 65 need for the use of restricted use pesticides under the
- 66 direct supervision of a certified commercial applicator or
- 67 uses restricted use pesticides under the direct supervision
- of a certified noncommercial applicator or certified public
- 69 operator;
- 70 [(e)] (h) "Private applicator", any person not holding
- 71 a certified private applicator's license or certified
- 72 provisional private applicator's license who [shall be
- 73 required to obtain a permit for the use of any restricted
- 74 use pesticide] uses general use pesticides or minimum risk
- 75 pesticides for the purposes of producing any agricultural
- 76 commodity on property owned or rented by [him] the person or
- 77 [his] the person's employer or on the property of another
- 78 person, if used without compensation other than trading of
- 79 personal services between producers of agricultural
- 80 commodities[, such permit shall authorize the one-time
- 81 emergency purchase of a restricted use pesticide for the
- 82 purpose of a one-time emergency use of that pesticide];
- [(f)] (i) "Pesticide technician", any individual
- 84 working under the direct supervision of a commercial
- 85 applicator certified in categories as specified by
- 86 regulation, and who having met the competency requirements
- 87 of [this chapter] sections 281.010 to 281.115, is authorized
- 88 by the director to determine the need for the use of any
- 89 pesticide as well as to the use of any pesticide;
- 90 [(g)] (j) "Pesticide technician trainee", any
- 91 individual working in the physical presence and under the
- 92 direct supervision of a certified commercial applicator to

- 93 gain the required on-the-job training in preparation for 94 obtaining a pesticide technician's license;
- 95 (3) "Beneficial insects", those insects [which] that,
- 96 during their life cycle, are effective pollinators of
- 97 plants, are parasites or predators of pests, or are
- 98 otherwise beneficial;
- 99 (4) "Defoliant", any substance or mixture of
- 100 substances intended for causing the leaves or foliage to
- 101 drop from a plant, with or without causing abscission;
- 102 (5) "Department" or "department of agriculture", the
- 103 state department of agriculture, and when by sections
- 104 281.010 to 281.115 the department of agriculture is charged
- to perform a duty, the director of the department of
- 106 agriculture is authorized to perform such duty;
- 107 [(5)] (6) "Desiccant", any substance or mixture of
- 108 substances intended for artificially accelerating the drying
- 109 of plant tissue;
- 110 [(6)] (7) "Determining the need for the use of any
- 111 pesticide", the act of inspecting land for the presence of
- 112 pests for the purpose of contracting for their control or
- 113 prevention through the use of pesticides in categories as
- 114 specified by regulation;
- 115 [(7)] (8) "Device", any instrument or contrivance,
- 116 other than a firearm, [which] that is intended for trapping,
- 117 destroying, repelling, or mitigating any pest or any other
- 118 form of plant or animal life, other than man and other than
- 119 bacteria, viruses, or other microorganisms on or in living
- 120 man or other living animals, but not including equipment
- 121 used for the application of pesticides when sold separately
- 122 therefrom;
- 123 (9) "Director", the director of the department of
- 124 agriculture or the director's designee;

- 125 (10) "Distribute", to sell, offer for sale, hold for 126 sale, deliver for transportation in intrastate commerce, or 127 transport in intrastate commerce; [(8)] (11) "Environment" includes, but is not limited 128 to, water, air, land, and all plants and man and other 129 130 animals living therein, and the interrelationships [which] 131 that exist among these; [(9)] (12) "Equipment" [means], any type of ground, 132 water, or aerial equipment or contrivance using motorized, 133 134 mechanical, or pressurized power and used to apply any pesticide on land and anything that may be growing, 135 habitating, or stored on or in such land, but shall not 136 137 include any pressurized hand-sized household apparatus used to apply any pesticide, or any equipment or contrivance of 138 which the person who is applying the pesticide is the source 139 140 of power or energy in making such pesticide application; 141 [(10)] (13) "Fungus", any nonchlorophyll-bearing thallophyte, [that] which is[,] any nonchlorophyll-bearing 142 plant of a lower order than mosses and liverworts, such as[, 143 144 for example,] rust, smut, mildew, mold, yeast, and bacteria, except those on or in living man or other living animals, 145 and except those on or in processed food, beverages, or 146 pharmaceuticals; 147
- 148 (14) "General use pesticide", any pesticide, when

 149 applied in accordance with its directions for use, warnings,

 150 and cautions, and for the uses for which it is registered,

 151 or for one or more of such uses, or in accordance with a

 152 widespread and commonly recognized practice, that will not

 153 generally cause unreasonable adverse effects on the

 154 environment;
- 155 (15) "Immediate family", familial relationships

 156 limited to the spouse, parents, stepparents, foster parents,

 157 father-in-law, mother-in-law, children, stepchildren, foster

- 158 children, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandparents,
- 159 brothers, sisters, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, aunts,
- 160 uncles, nieces, nephews, and first cousins. As used in this
- 161 subdivision, "first cousin" means the child of a parent's
- 162 sibling, i.e., the child of an aunt or uncle;
- [(11)] (16) "Individual", any responsible, natural
- 164 human being;
- 165 [(12)] (17) "Insect", any of the numerous small
- invertebrate animals generally having the body more or less
- 167 obviously segmented, for the most part belonging to the
- 168 class Insecta, comprising six-legged, usually winged forms,
- such as[, for example,] beetles, bugs, bees, flies, and to
- 170 other allied classes of arthropods whose members are
- 171 wingless and usually have more than six legs, such as[, for
- 172 example,] spiders, mites, ticks, centipedes, and wood lice;
- 173 [(13)] (18) "Land", all land and water areas,
- 174 including airspace, and all plants, animals, structures,
- 175 buildings, contrivances and machinery, appurtenant thereto
- 176 or situated thereon, fixed or mobile, including any used for
- 177 transportation;
- 178 (19) "Minimum risk pesticide", any pesticide product
- exempted under 40 C.F.R. 152.25(f) from registration
- 180 requirements under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and
- 181 Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended;
- 182 [(14)] (20) "Misuse of a pesticide", a use of any
- 183 [registered] pesticide in a manner inconsistent with its
- 184 labeling; provided, that the use of a lesser concentration
- 185 than provided on the label shall not be considered the
- 186 misuse of a pesticide when used strictly for agricultural
- 187 purposes, and when requested in writing by the person on
- 188 whose behalf a pesticide is used;
- 189 [(15)] (21) "Nematode", invertebrate animals of the
- 190 phylum Nemathelminthes and class Nematoda, that is,

- 191 unsegmented round worms with elongated, fusiform, or sac-
- 192 like bodies covered with cuticle, and inhabiting soil,
- 193 water, plants, or plant parts; may also be called nemas or
- 194 eelworms;
- 195 (22) "Nontarget organism", any plant, animal, or
- 196 organism other than the target pests that a pesticide is
- 197 intended to affect;
- 198 [(16)] (23) "Person", any individual, partnership,
- 199 association, fiduciary, corporation, or any organized group
- 200 of persons whether incorporated or not;
- **201** [(17)] (24) "Pest":
- 202 (a) Any insect, snail, slug, rodent, nematode, fungus,
- 203 weed; or
- 204 (b) Any other form of terrestrial or aquatic plant or
- 205 animal life or virus, bacterium, or other microorganism,
- 206 except viruses, bacteria, or other microorganisms on or in
- 207 living man or other living animals, [which] that is normally
- 208 considered to be a pest;
- 209 [(18)] (25) "Pesticide":
- 210 (a) Any substance or mixture of substances intended
- 211 for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any
- 212 pest; or
- 213 (b) Any substance or mixture of substances intended
- 214 for use as a plant regulator, defoliant, or desiccant;
- [(19)] (26) "Pesticide dealer", any individual who is
- 216 engaged in the business of distributing, selling, offering
- 217 for sale, or holding for sale at retail, or direct wholesale
- 218 to the end user, any pesticide classified for restricted use;
- 219 (27) "Pesticide dealership", any location or outlet
- 220 where restricted use pesticides are held for sale,
- 221 distributed, or sold;
- [(20)] (28) "Plant regulator", any substance or
- 223 mixture of substances, intended, through physiological

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     action, for accelerating or retarding the rate of growth or
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     rate of maturation, or for otherwise altering the behavior
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     of plants or the produce thereof, but shall not include
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     substances to the extent that they are intended as plant
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     nutrients, trace elements, nutritional chemicals, plant
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     inoculants, or soil amendments. The term "plant regulator"
     does not include any of those nutrient mixtures or soil
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     amendments [which] that are commonly known as vitamin-
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     hormone horticultural products, intended for improvement,
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     maintenance, survival, health and propagation of plants, and
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     [which] that are not for pest destruction and are nontoxic,
     nonpoisonous in the undiluted package concentration;
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                  "Private applicator permit", a written
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     certificate, issued by the director or his authorized agent,
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     authorizing the purchase, possession or use of certain
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     restricted use pesticides by a private applicator. Such
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     permit shall authorize the one-time emergency purchase of a
     restricted use pesticide for the purpose of a one-time
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     emergency use of such pesticide;
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          (22)] (29) "Restricted use pesticide" or "RUP", any
     pesticide when applied in accordance with its directions for
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     use, warnings and cautions and for the uses for which it is
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     registered, or for one or more of such uses, or in
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     accordance with a widespread and commonly recognized
     practice, the director determines may cause, without
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     additional regulatory restrictions, unreasonable adverse
     effects on the environment, including injury to the
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     applicator;
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          [(23)] (30) "Sale", selling or offering for sale any
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          [(24)] (31) "Snails" or "slugs" includes all harmful
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- 256 [(25)] $\underline{(32)}$ "Unreasonable adverse effects on the
- 257 environment", any unreasonable risk to man or the
- 258 environment, taking into account the economic, social, and
- 259 environmental costs and benefits of the use of any pesticide;
- 260 [(26)] (33) "Under the direct supervision of a
- 261 certified applicator", when a pesticide is used by a
- 262 competent person acting under the instructions and control
- 263 of a certified applicator who is available if and when
- 264 needed, even though such certified applicator is not
- 265 physically present at the time and place the pesticide is
- 266 used;
- 267 [(27)] (34) "Use", mixing, loading, or applying[,
- 268 storing or disposing of all any pesticide; cleaning pesticide
- 269 equipment; or storing or disposing of pesticide containers,
- 270 pesticides, spray mix, equipment wash waters, or other
- 271 pesticide-containing materials;
- 272 [(28)] (35) "Weed", any plant [which] that grows where
- 273 not wanted; [and
- 274 (29)] (36) "Wildlife", all living things that are
- 275 neither human, domesticated, or pests, including, but not
- 276 limited to, mammals, protected birds, and aquatic life.
 - 281.025. 1. The director shall administer and enforce
 - 2 the provisions of sections 281.010 to 281.115 and shall have
 - 3 authority to issue regulations after a public hearing
 - 4 following due notice of not less than thirty days to all
 - 5 interested persons, in conformance with the provisions of
 - 6 chapter 536, to carry out the provisions of sections 281.010
 - 7 to 281.115. Where the director finds that such regulations
 - 8 are needed to carry out the purpose and intent of sections
 - 9 281.010 to 281.115, such regulations may relate to, but need
 - 10 not be limited to, prescribing the time, place, manner,
 - 11 methods, materials, and amounts and concentrations, in
 - 12 connection with the use of the pesticide, and may restrict

- 13 or prohibit use of pesticides in designated areas during specified periods of time and shall encompass all reasonable 14 15 factors [which] that the director deems necessary to prevent damage or injury. In issuing such regulations, the director 16 may give consideration to pertinent research findings and 17 recommendations of other agencies of this state, the federal 18 government, or other reliable sources. The director may by 19 20 regulation require that notice of a proposed application of 21 a pesticide be given to landowners adjoining the property to 22 be treated or in the immediate vicinity thereof, if [he] the director finds that such notice is necessary to carry out 23 the purpose of sections 281.010 to 281.115. 24 [The director 25 may, by regulation, provide for the one-time emergency purchase and one-time emergency use of a restricted use 26 27 pesticide by a private applicator.]
- The pesticides on the list of restricted use 28 2. 29 pesticides, as determined by the federal agency having jurisdiction over the classification of pesticides, shall be 30 so restricted in the state of Missouri. 31 The director shall publish, at least annually, a list of pesticides [which] 32 that have restricted uses. Such publication shall be made 33 available to the public upon request. If the director 34 determines that a pesticide, when used in accordance with 35 its directions for use, warnings, and cautions, and for uses 36 for which it is registered, may cause, without additional 37 regulatory restrictions, unreasonable adverse effects on the 38 39 environment, including injury to the applicator or other persons, the pesticide shall be used only by or under the 40 direct supervision of a certified applicator[, or a private 41 42 applicator with a permit]. Such pesticides may be subject to other restrictions as determined by the director, to 43 include the time and conditions of possession and use. 44

- 45 3. No regulation, or any amendment or repeal thereof, provided for in sections 281.010 to 281.115 shall be 46 47 adopted, except after public hearing giving an opportunity to the public to be heard, to be held after no less than 48 49 thirty days' prior notice of the date, time, and place of 50 hearing, to be given by regular mail to any person who has 51 registered with the director for purposes of notice of such 52 public hearings, in accordance with procedures prescribed by 53 the director.
- 54 At any hearing, opportunity to be heard shall be afforded to any interested person upon written request 55 received not later than twenty-four hours prior to the 56 57 hearing, and may also be afforded to other persons. addition, any interested person, whether or not heard, may 58 submit within seven days subsequent to the hearing a written 59 statement of views. The director may solicit the views in 60 61 writing of persons who may be affected by, or interested in any proposed regulation. Any person heard or represented at 62 63 the hearing, or making written request for notice, shall be given written notice of the action of the director with 64 respect to the subject thereof. 65
- 5. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated under the authority of this chapter shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of section 536.024.
- 281.030. 1. The director may, by regulation, classify

 [certified applicator, operator or technician] licenses to

 be issued under sections 281.010 to 281.115. Such

 classifications may include but not be limited to commercial

 applicators, noncommercial applicators, private applicators,

 provisional private applicators, public operators [or],

 pesticide technicians, or noncertified RUP applicators.
- 8 Separate classifications may be specified as to ground,

- 9 aerial, or manual methods used by any licensee to apply
- 10 pesticides or to the use of pesticides for the control of
- 11 pests.
- 12 2. The director may, by regulation, establish
- 13 certification categories to be provided under each license
- 14 classification. Each certification category shall be
- 15 subject to separate testing procedures and requirements;
- 16 provided, that no individual shall be required to pay an
- 17 additional fee if [he] the individual is certified in one or
- 18 all of the certification categories provided under the
- 19 license for which [he] the individual has applied. The
- 20 director may, by regulation, establish certification
- 21 categories limited to the use of certain pesticides and
- 22 issue a license therefor. Each certification category shall
- 23 be subject to separate testing procedures covering only
- 24 those pesticides for which the applicant seeks to be
- 25 licensed.
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 3. The director may by regulation establish fees for
- 27 identification documents.
 - 281.035. 1. No individual shall engage in the
- 2 business of determining the need for the use of, supervising
- 3 the use of, supervising the determination of the need for
- 4 the use of, or using any pesticide, in categories as
- 5 specified by regulation, on the lands of another at any time
- 6 without a certified commercial applicator's license issued
- 7 by the director. A certified commercial applicator shall
- 8 not determine the need for the use of, supervise the use of,
- 9 supervise the determination of the need for the use of, or
- 10 use any pesticide for any particular purpose unless [he or
- 11 she] the certified commercial applicator has demonstrated
- 12 [his or her] such certified commercial applicator's
- 13 competence to use pesticides for that purpose by being
- 14 certified by the director in the proper certification

- 15 category. The director shall require an annual fee of sixty-
- 16 five dollars for each certified commercial applicator's
- 17 license issued. No certified commercial applicator shall
- 18 knowingly authorize, direct, or instruct any individual to
- 19 engage in determining the need for the use of or using any
- 20 general use pesticide or minimum risk pesticide on the land
- 21 of another at any time unless such individual is a pesticide
- 22 technician or pesticide technician trainee in such
- 23 categories as specified by regulation or is working under
- 24 the direct supervision of a certified commercial applicator
- 25 so authorizing, directing or instructing, in which case the
- 26 certified commercial applicator shall be liable for any use
- of a general use pesticide or minimum risk pesticide by an
- 28 individual operating under [his or her] the certified
- 29 commercial applicator's direct supervision. The certified
- 30 commercial applicator or the employer shall assure that the
- 31 director is informed in writing within ten [working] days of
- 32 the employment of any person as a pesticide technician or
- 33 pesticide technician trainee.
- 2. No certified commercial applicator shall knowingly
- 35 authorize, direct, or instruct any individual to engage in
- 36 determining the need for the use of or using any restricted
- 37 use pesticide on the land of another at any time unless such
- 38 individual is licensed as a noncertified RUP applicator
- 39 while working under the direct supervision of a certified
- 40 commercial applicator so authorizing, directing, or
- 41 instructing, in which case the certified commercial
- 42 applicator shall be liable for any use of a restricted use
- 43 pesticide by an individual operating under the certified
- 44 commercial applicator's direct supervision
- 45 3. Application for a certified commercial applicator's
- 46 license shall be [made in writing] submitted to the director
- 47 on a designated form obtained from the [director's office]

- 48 <u>department</u>. Each application shall include such information49 as prescribed by the director by regulation.
- 50 [3.] 4. The director shall not issue a certified commercial applicator's license until the applicant is 51 certified by passing an examination provided by the director 52 53 to demonstrate to the director [his or her] the applicant's competence and knowledge of the proper use of pesticides 54 55 under the classifications [he or she] the applicant had 56 applied for, and [his or her] the applicant's knowledge of 57 the standards prescribed by regulations for the

certification of commercial applicators.

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- 59 [4.] 5. The director may renew any certified commercial applicator's license under the classification for 60 which such applicant is licensed, [subject to] upon 61 successful completion of approved recertification training 62 or reexamination for additional knowledge that may be 63 required to use pesticides safely and properly either 64 manually or with equipment the applicant has been licensed 65 66 to operate.
- [5.] 6. If the director finds the applicant qualified 67 to use pesticides in the classification for which 68 application has been made, and if the applicant files 69 70 evidence that the requirement for bonds or insurance has 71 been met as required under section 281.065, the director 72 shall issue a certified commercial applicator's license limited to the classifications for which [he or she] the 73 applicant is qualified, which shall expire one year from 74 date of issuance unless [it] the license has been revoked or 75 suspended prior thereto by the director for cause; provided, 76 77 such financial responsibility required under section 281.065 78 does not expire at an earlier date, in which case [said] the license shall expire upon the expiration date of the 79 80 financial responsibility. The director may limit the

- license of the applicant to the use of certain [restricted use] pesticides, or to certain areas, or to certain types of equipment if the applicant is only so qualified. If a license is not issued as applied for, the director shall inform the applicant in writing of the reasons therefor.
- [6.] 7. The director shall require each certified commercial applicator or [his or her] the certified commercial applicator's employer to maintain records with respect to applications of any pesticide, including pesticides used under direct supervision by licensed pesticide technicians, pesticide technician trainees, and licensed noncertified RUP applicators. Such relevant information as the director may deem necessary may be specified by regulation. Such records shall be kept for a period of three years from the date of the application of the pesticide to which such records refer, and the director shall, upon request in writing, be furnished with a copy of such records by any certified commercial applicator or [his or her] the certified commercial applicator's employer.

[7.] 8. A person or individual engaged in the business of using pesticides on the lands of another, who is deprived of [his or her] such person's or individual's sole certified commercial applicator by reason of death, illness, incapacity, or any absence which the director determines is unavoidable, is authorized to continue business operations without the services of a certified commercial applicator for a period of time deemed appropriate by the director, but not to exceed sixty days; except that, no restricted-use pesticide shall be used, or caused to be used, by such person or individual. Any such person or individual shall immediately notify the director as to the absence of [his or her] such person's or individual's sole certified commercial applicator.

- [8.] 9. Every certified commercial applicator shall
- 115 display [his or her] the certified commercial applicator's
- 116 license in a prominent place at the site, location, or
- office from which [he or she] the certified commercial
- 118 applicator will operate as a certified commercial
- 119 applicator; that place, location or office being at the
- 120 address printed on the license.
- 121 [9.] 10. Every certified commercial applicator who
- changes the address from which [he or she] the certified
- 123 commercial applicator will operate as a certified commercial
- 124 applicator shall immediately notify the director. The
- 125 director shall immediately issue a revised license upon
- 126 which shall be printed the changed address. The director
- 127 shall not collect a fee for the issuance of a revised
- 128 license. The expiration date of the revised license shall
- 129 be the same as the expiration date for the original license.
 - 281.037. 1. Any individual who is not certified
 - pursuant to section 281.035, 281.040, or 281.045[, or has
 - 3 not been issued a private applicator permit pursuant to
 - 4 subsection 5 of section 281.040] shall not use, or supervise
 - 5 the use of, any [restricted-use] restricted use pesticide
 - 6 without a certified noncommercial applicator license. A
 - 7 certified noncommercial applicator shall not use, or
 - 8 supervise the use of, any restricted use pesticide for any
 - 9 purpose unless [he or she] the certified noncommercial
- 10 applicator has demonstrated [his or her] the certified
- 11 noncommercial applicator's competence to use pesticides for
- 12 that purpose by being certified by the director in the
- 13 proper certification category.
- 14 2. No certified noncommercial applicator shall
- 15 knowingly authorize, direct, or instruct any individual to
- 16 engage in using any restricted use pesticide on lands or
- 17 structures owned, leased, or rented by the certified

- 18 noncommercial applicator or the certified noncommercial
- 19 applicator's employer unless such individual is licensed as
- 20 a noncertified RUP applicator while working under the direct
- 21 supervision of a certified noncommercial applicator so
- 22 authorizing, directing, or instructing, in which case the
- 23 certified noncommercial applicator shall be liable for any
- 24 use of a restricted use pesticide by an individual operating
- 25 under the certified noncommercial applicator's direct
- 26 supervision.
- 27 3. Application for a certified noncommercial
- 28 applicator license shall be [made in writing] submitted to
- 29 the director on a designated form obtained from the
- 30 [director's office] department. Each application shall
- 31 include such information as prescribed by the director by
- 32 regulation.
- 33 [3.] 4. The director shall not issue a certified
- 34 noncommercial applicator license until the applicant is
- 35 certified by passing an examination provided by the director
- 36 to demonstrate to the director [his or her] the applicant's
- 37 competence and knowledge of the proper use of pesticides
- 38 under the classifications for which [he or she] the
- 39 applicant has applied, and [his or her] the applicant's
- 40 knowledge of the standards prescribed by regulations for the
- 41 certification of noncommercial applicators.
- 42 [4.] 5. If the director finds the applicant qualified
- 43 to use restricted use pesticides in the classification for
- 44 which [he or she] the applicant has applied, the director
- 45 shall issue a certified noncommercial applicator license
- 46 limited to the applicator categories in which [he or she]
- 47 the applicant is certified. The license shall expire one
- 48 year from the date of issuance unless [it] the license has
- 49 been revoked or suspended prior thereto by the director for
- 50 cause. The director may limit the license of the applicant

- 51 to the use of certain restricted use pesticides, or to
- 52 certain areas, or to certain types of equipment if the
- 53 applicant is only so qualified. If a license is not issued
- 54 as applied for, the director shall inform the applicant in
- 55 writing of the reasons therefor.
- 56 [5.] 6. The director may renew any certified
- 57 noncommercial applicator license under the classification
- for which the license is issued [subject to] upon successful
- 59 completion of approved recertification training or
- 60 reexamination for additional knowledge [which] that may be
- 61 required to apply pesticides safely and properly.
- [6.] 7. The director shall collect a fee of thirty-
- five dollars for each certified noncommercial applicator
- 64 license issued.
- [7.] 8. Any certified noncommercial applicator may
- 66 use, or supervise the use of, restricted use pesticides only
- 67 to or on lands or structures owned, leased or rented by
- [himself or herself] the certified noncommercial applicator
- or [his or her] the certified noncommercial applicator's
- 70 employer.
- 71 [8.] 9. The director shall require the certified
- 72 noncommercial applicator or [his or her] the certified
- 73 noncommercial applicator's employer to maintain records with
- 74 respect to applications of restricted use pesticides. Any
- 75 relevant information [which] that the director may deem
- 76 necessary may be required by regulation. Such records shall
- 77 be kept for a period of three years from the date of the
- 78 application of the pesticide to which such records refer,
- 79 and the director shall, upon request in writing, be
- 80 furnished with a copy of such records by any certified
- 81 noncommercial applicator or [his or her] the certified
- 82 noncommercial applicator's employer.

- [9.] 10. Every certified noncommercial applicator
 shall display [his or her] the certified noncommercial
 applicator's license in a prominent place at the site,
 location, or office from which [he or she] the certified
 noncommercial applicator will operate as a certified
 noncommercial applicator; that place, location, or office
 being at the address printed on the license.
- 90 [10.] 11. Every certified noncommercial applicator who 91 changes the address from which [he or she] the certified 92 noncommercial applicator will operate as a certified 93 noncommercial applicator shall immediately notify the director. The director shall immediately issue a revised 94 license upon which shall be printed the changed address. 95 96 The director shall not collect a fee for the issuance of a 97 revised license. The expiration date of the revised license 98 shall be the same as the expiration date for the original 99 license.
- 281.038. 1. [After July 1, 1990,] No individual

 working under the direct supervision of a certified

 commercial applicator shall determine the need for the use

 of or use any general use pesticide [nor use any] or minimum

 risk pesticide in categories as specified by regulation,

 unless and until the individual has met the requirements of

 [this chapter] sections 281.010 to 281.115.
- 8 Application for a pesticide technician's license 9 shall be [made in writing] submitted to the director on a designated form obtained from the [director's office] 10 department. Each application shall include such information 11 as prescribed by the director by regulation and shall be 12 received by the director within forty-five days of 13 employment of the pesticide technician or pesticide 14 technician trainee. 15

- 3. The director shall not issue a pesticide
 technician's license until the individual has demonstrated
 [his or her] the applicant's competence by completion of an
 approved training program to the satisfaction of the
 director.
- 4. The director may renew any pesticide technician's license under the classification for which that applicant is licensed subject to completion of an additional approved training program to the satisfaction of the director as prescribed by regulation.
- 5. The director shall collect a fee of thirty-fivedollars for each pesticide technician license issued.
- 28 6. If the director finds the applicant qualified to use pesticides in the classification for which application 29 30 has been made, the director shall issue a pesticide 31 technician's license limited to the classifications for 32 which [he or she] the applicant is qualified, which shall expire one year from date of issuance unless [it] the 33 34 license has been revoked or suspended prior thereto by the director for cause. The director may limit the license of 35 the applicant to the use of certain pesticides, or to 36 37 certain areas, or to certain types of equipment if the applicant is only so qualified. If a license is not issued 38 39 as applied for, the director shall inform the applicant in 40 writing of the reasons for such denial of license.
- 7. In order for pesticide technicians to use or
 determine the need for the use of any general use pesticide:
- 43 (1) A certified commercial applicator shall be
 44 licensed to work from the same physical location as the
 45 pesticide technician; and
- (2) The licensed certified commercial applicator shall
 be certified in the same use categories as the pesticide
 technician as specified by regulation.

- 49 8. A pesticide technician may complete retraining
- 50 requirements and renew the technician's license without a
- 51 certified commercial applicator working from the same
- 52 physical location.
 - 281.040. 1. No private applicator shall use any
- 2 [restricted-use] restricted use pesticide unless [he] the
- 3 private applicator first complies with the requirements
- 4 determined pursuant to subsection [2 or 5] 3 of this
- 5 section, as necessary to prevent unreasonable adverse
- 6 effects on the environment, including injury to the
- 7 applicator or other persons, for that specific pesticide use.
- 8 2. No certified private applicator shall knowingly
- 9 authorize, direct, or instruct any individual to engage in
- 10 using any restricted use pesticide on lands or structures
- owned, leased, or rented by the certified private applicator
- or the certified applicator's employer unless such
- individual is licensed as a certified private applicator or
- 14 a certified provisional private applicator.
- 15 3. The private applicator shall qualify for a
- 16 certified private applicator's license or a certified
- 17 provisional private applicator's license by [either]
- 18 attending [a course or completing an online course of
- 19 instruction] an approved certification training program
- 20 provided by University of Missouri Extension, completing an
- 21 online certification training program provided by University
- 22 of Missouri Extension, or by passing the required private
- 23 applicator certification examination provided by the
- 24 director on the use, handling, storage, and application of
- 25 [restricted-use] restricted use pesticides in the proper
- 26 certification categories as specified by regulation. The
- 27 content of the instruction shall be determined and revised
- 28 as necessary by the director. Upon completion of the
- 29 [course] certification training program, completion of the

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- 31 required private applicator certification examination, the
- 32 director shall issue a certified private applicator's
- 33 license or certified provisional private applicator's
- 34 license to the applicant. The director shall not collect a
- 35 fee for the issuance of such license[, but the]. University
- 36 of Missouri Extension [service may] shall collect [a fee for
- 37 the actual cost of the materials necessary to complete the
- 38 course of instruction] reasonable fees for study materials
- 39 and for enrollment in certification or recertification
- 40 programs administered in-person or online. [However, no
- 41 fee] Such fees shall be assessed [or collected from an
- 42 individual completing an online course of instruction. Both
- 43 the director of the department and of the University of
- 44 Missouri Extension service shall review such costs
- 45 annually.] based on the majority decision of a review
- 46 committee convened every five years or as needed by the
- 47 director. Such fees shall not exceed seventy-five dollars
- 48 per program per applicant unless the members of the review
- 49 committee representing statewide agricultural organizations
- 50 vote unanimously in favor of setting the fee in an amount in
- 51 excess of seventy-five dollars. Such committee shall be
- 52 provided revenue and expense information for the training
- 53 program from the University of Missouri Extension and
- 54 information on the content of the instruction and method of
- 55 delivery from the director. The review committee shall also
- 56 determine a maximum in-seat training time limit for the
- 57 training programs. The committee shall report its minutes,
- 58 fee decisions, time limitation decisions, and its evaluation
- of the training provided to the chairs of the House of
- 60 Representatives and Senate agriculture or equivalent
- 61 committees. The review committee shall be composed of five
- 62 members including:

- 63 (1) The director;
- (2) The director of the University of Missouri
- 65 Extension, or such director's designee;
- 66 (3) The president of a statewide corn producers
- organization who actively grows corn, or such president's
- designee;
- 69 (4) The president of a statewide soybean producers
- organization who actively grows soybeans, or such
- 71 president's designee; and
- 72 <u>(5) The president of the state's largest general farm</u>
- 73 membership organization, or such president's designee.
- 74 [3.] 4. A certified private applicator's license shall
- 75 expire five years from date of issuance and may then be
- 76 renewed without charge or additional fee. Any certified
- 77 private applicator holding a valid license may renew that
- 78 license for the next five years [without additional training
- 79 unless the director determines that additional knowledge
- 80 related to the use of agricultural pesticides makes
- 81 additional training necessary.] upon successful completion
- 82 of approved recertification training or by passing the
- 83 required private applicator certification examination.
- 5. On the date of the certified provisional private
- 85 applicator's eighteenth birthday, such certified provisional
- 86 private applicator's license shall automatically be
- 87 converted to a certified private applicator license
- 88 reflecting the original expiration date from issuance. A
- 89 certified provisional private applicator's license shall
- 90 expire five years from date of issuance and may be renewed
- 91 as a certified private applicator's license without charge
- 92 or additional fee.
- 93 [4.] 6. If the director does not qualify the private
- 94 applicator under this section [he], the director shall
- 95 inform the applicant in writing of the reasons therefor.

- The private applicator may apply to the director, 96 **[**5. 97 or his designated agent, for a private applicator permit for 98 the one-time emergency purchase and use of restricted use pesticides. When the private applicator has demonstrated 99 100 his competence in the use of the pesticides to be purchased 101 and used on a one-time emergency basis, he shall be issued a permit for the one-time emergency purchase and use of 102 103 restricted use pesticides. The director or his designated 104 agent shall not collect a fee for the issuance of such 105 permit.]
 - 281.045. 1. All agencies of the state of Missouri and the political subdivisions thereof, and any other governmental agency shall be subject to the provisions of sections 281.010 to 281.115 and rules adopted thereunder concerning the use of restricted use pesticides.
- 6 2. Public operators for agencies listed in subsection 7 1 of this section shall not use, or supervise the use of, any restricted use pesticides on any land or structure 8 9 without a certified public operator license issued by the director. The certified public operator shall not use or 10 supervise the use of any restricted use pesticide for any 11 12 purpose unless [he] the certified public operator has 13 demonstrated [his] the certified public operator's 14 competence to use pesticides for that purpose by being 15 certified by the director in the proper certification category. [Any employee of any agency listed in subsection 16 1 of this section who is not licensed as a certified public 17 operator may use restricted use pesticides only under the 18 direct supervision of a certified public operator.] 19
- 3. No certified public operator shall knowingly
 authorize, direct, or instruct any individual to engage in
 using any restricted use pesticide on lands or structures
 unless such individual is licensed as a noncertified RUP

- 24 applicator while working under the direct supervision of a
- 25 certified public operator so authorizing, directing, or
- 26 instructing, in which case the certified public operator
- 27 shall be liable for any use of a restricted use pesticide by
- 28 an individual operating under the certified public
- 29 operator's direct supervision.
- 4. Application for a certified public operator license
- 31 shall be [made in writing] submitted to the director on a
- 32 designated form obtained from the [director's office]
- 33 department. Each application shall include all information
- 34 prescribed by the director by regulation.
- 35 [4.] 5. The director shall not issue a certified
- 36 public operator license until the applicant is certified by
- 37 passing an examination provided by the director to
- 38 demonstrate to the director [his] the applicant's competence
- 39 and knowledge of the proper use of pesticides under the
- 40 classifications for which [he] the applicant has applied,
- 41 and [his] the applicant's knowledge of the standards
- 42 prescribed by regulations for the certification of public
- 43 operators.
- [5.] 6. If the director finds the applicant qualified
- 45 to use pesticides in the classification for which [he] the
- 46 applicant has applied, the director shall issue a license,
- 47 without a fee, to the certified public operator who has so
- 48 qualified. The certified public operator license shall be
- 49 valid only when the operator is acting as an operator using,
- 50 or supervising the use of, restricted use pesticides in the
- 51 course of [his] the operator's employment. A certified
- 52 public operator license shall expire three years from the
- 53 date of issuance unless [it] the license has been revoked or
- 54 suspended prior thereto by the director for cause. The
- 55 director may limit the license of the applicant to the use
- of certain restricted use pesticides, or to certain areas,

- or to certain types of equipment if the applicant is only so qualified. If a license is not issued as applied for, the director shall inform the applicant in writing of the reasons therefor.
- [6.] 7. The director may renew any certified public operator license under the classification for which that applicant is licensed[, subject to] upon successful completion of approved recertification training or reexamination for additional knowledge [which] that may be required to use pesticides safely and properly either manually or with equipment the applicant has been licensed to operate.

- [7.] 8. The director shall require the certified public operator, or [his] the certified public operator's employer, to maintain records with respect to applications of restricted use pesticides. Any relevant information which the director may deem necessary may be required by regulation. Such records shall be kept for a period of three years from the date of the application of the pesticide to which such records refer, and the director shall, upon request in writing, be furnished with a copy of such records by any certified public operator or [his] the certified public operator's employer.
 - [8.] 9. Agencies listed in subsection 1 of this section shall be subject to a legal action by any person damaged by any use of any pesticide, which may be brought in the county where the damage or any part thereof occurred.
 - [9.] 10. Every certified public operator shall display [his] the certified public operator's license in a prominent place at the site, location, or office from which [he] the certified public operator will operate as a certified public operator, that place, location, or office being at the address printed on the license.

- 90 [10.] $\underline{11.}$ Every certified public operator who changes
- 91 the address from which [he] the certified public operator
- 92 will operate as a certified public operator shall
- 93 immediately notify the director. The director shall
- 94 immediately issue a revised license upon which shall be
- 95 printed the changed address. The director shall not collect
- 96 a fee for the issuance of a revised license. The expiration
- 97 date of the revised license shall be the same as the
- 98 expiration date for the original license.
- 99 12. Any person who volunteers to work for a public
- 100 agency may use general use pesticides without a license
- 101 under the supervision of the public agency on lands owned or
- 102 managed by the state agency, political subdivision, or
- 103 governmental agency.
 - 281.048. 1. No individual shall use or determine the
 - 2 need for the use of any restricted use pesticide while
 - 3 working under the direct supervision of a certified
 - 4 commercial applicator until the individual has met the
 - 5 requirements of this section.
 - 6 2. No individual shall use restricted use pesticides
 - 7 while working under the direct supervision of a certified
 - 8 noncommercial applicator or certified public operator until
 - 9 the individual has met the requirements of this section.
- 10 3. Application for a noncertified RUP applicator's
- 11 license shall be submitted to the director on a designated
- 12 form obtained from the department. Each application shall
- include such information as prescribed by the director by
- 14 regulation.
- 15 4. The director shall issue or renew a noncertified
- 16 RUP applicator license once an individual has met the
- 17 requirements set forth in 40 C.F.R. 171.201(c)(1) or (3).
- 18 The director shall collect an annual fee of thirty-five
- 19 dollars for each noncertified RUP applicator license

- 20 issued. The license shall be valid for one year unless
- 21 revoked or suspended by the department prior to its
- 22 expiration. Any individual whose application is denied
- 23 shall receive a written explanation as to the determination
- 24 of the denial.
- 25 5. Individuals holding a valid noncertified RUP
- 26 applicator license may use and determine the need for the
- 27 use of restricted use pesticides, general use pesticides,
- 28 and minimum risk pesticides under the direct supervision of
- 29 a certified commercial applicator and only for the
- 30 categories in which the commercial applicator is certified.
- 31 The director may limit the license of the applicant to the
- 32 <u>use of certain pesticides, to certain areas, or to certain</u>
- 33 types of equipment if the applicant is only so qualified.
- 34 6. Every certified commercial applicator, certified
- 35 noncommercial applicator, or certified public operator
- 36 providing direct supervision to a licensed noncertified RUP
- 37 applicator shall immediately notify the director when the
- 38 licensed noncertified RUP applicator has changed address
- 39 from which the applicator or operator will operate as a
- 40 licensed noncertified RUP applicator or when the
- 41 noncertified RUP applicator's employment has been
- 42 terminated. The director shall immediately issue a revised
- 43 license upon which shall be printed the change of address.
- 44 The director shall not collect a fee for the issuance of a
- 45 revised license. The expiration date of the revised license
- 46 shall be the same as the expiration date for the original
- 47 license.
- 48 7. A noncertified RUP applicator may complete
- 49 retraining requirements and renew the applicator's license
- 50 without a certified commercial applicator, certified
- 51 noncommercial applicator, or certified public operator
- 52 working from the same physical location.

- 8. Every licensed noncertified RUP applicator shall
 display the applicator's license in a prominent place at the
 site, location, or office from which the applicator will
 operate as a noncertified RUP applicator, that place,
 location, or office being at the address printed on the
- 57 location, or office being at the address printed on the

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 281.050. 1. No individual shall act in the capacity
 2 of a pesticide dealer or shall engage in the business of,
 3 advertise as, or assume to act as a pesticide dealer unless
 4 [he or she] the individual has obtained a license from the
- 5 director [which] that shall expire one year from date of
- 6 issuance. [An individual shall be required to obtain a
- 7 license for] Each <u>pesticide dealership</u> location or outlet
- 8 from which [such] $\underline{\text{restricted use}}$ pesticides are distributed,
- 9 sold, held for sale, or offered for sale at retail or
- 10 wholesale direct to the end user[. Pesticide dealers may be
- 11 designated by the director as agents of the state for the
- 12 purpose of issuing permits for restricted use pesticides to
- private applicators] shall have at least one individual
- 14 licensed as a pesticide dealer. Any individual possessing
- 15 restricted use pesticides and selling or holding and
- offering for sale restricted use pesticides at retail or
- wholesale from a motor vehicle shall be licensed as a
- 18 pesticide dealer. For the purposes of this subsection,
- 19 <u>"selling or holding and offering for sale" shall not include</u>
- solely transporting product in commerce. No individual
- 21 shall be issued more than one pesticide dealer license.
- 22 2. Application for a pesticide dealer's license shall
- 23 be made on a designated form obtained from the [director's
- office] department. The director shall collect a fee of
- 25 thirty-five dollars for the issuance of each license. The
- 26 provisions of this section shall not apply to a pesticide
- 27 applicator who sells pesticides only as an integral part of

- [his or her] the applicator's pesticide application service when such pesticides are dispensed only through apparatuses used for such pesticide applications. The provisions of this section shall not apply to any federal, state, or county agency [which] that provides pesticides for its own programs.
- 34 3. Each applicant shall satisfy the director as to 35 [his or her] the applicant's knowledge of the laws and regulations governing the use and sale of pesticides and 36 37 [his or her] the applicant's responsibility in carrying on the business of a pesticide dealer by passing a pesticide 38 dealer examination provided by the director. Each licensed 39 40 pesticide dealer shall be responsible for insuring that all 41 of [his or her] the dealer's employees and agents who sell or recommend restricted use pesticides have adequate 42 knowledge of the laws and regulations governing the use and 43 44 sale of such restricted use pesticides.
- 45 Each pesticide dealer shall be responsible for the 46 acts of each person employed by [him or her] the dealer in the solicitation and sale of pesticides and all claims and 47 recommendations for use of pesticides. The dealer's license 48 shall be subject to denial, suspension, or revocation after 49 a hearing for any violation of sections 281.010 to 281.115 50 whether committed by the dealer, or by the dealer's officer, 51 agent or employee. 52
 - 5. No pesticide dealer shall sell, give away, or otherwise make available any restricted use pesticides to anyone but certified commercial applicators, certified noncommercial applicators [or], certified public operators, or to certified private applicators [who have met the requirements of subsection 5 of section 281.040,] holding valid certifications in proper certification categories or to licensed other pesticide dealers, except that pesticide

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- 61 dealers may allow the designated representative of such
- 62 certified applicators, operators or private applicators to
- 63 take possession of restricted use pesticides when those
- 64 restricted use pesticides are purchased by and for use by or
- 65 under the direct supervision of such certified applicator,
- operator or private applicator.
- 6. The director shall require the pesticide dealer, or
- [his or her] the dealer's employer, to maintain books and
- 69 records with respect to sales of restricted use pesticides
- 70 at each dealership location or outlet. Such relevant
- 71 information as the director may deem necessary may be
- 72 specified by regulation. Such records shall be kept for a
- 73 period of three years from the date of sale of the
- 74 restricted use pesticide to which such records refer, and
- 75 the director shall upon request in writing be furnished with
- 76 a copy of such records by any licensed pesticide dealer or
- 77 [his or her] the dealer's employer.
- 78 7. Every licensed pesticide dealer who changes [his or
- 79 her] the dealer's address or place of business shall
- 80 immediately notify the director.
 - 281.055. 1. If the [application for] renewal of any
 - 2 license[,] or certification [or permit] provided for in
 - 3 [this chapter] sections 281.010 to 281.115 is not filed
 - 4 prior to the expiration date in any year, a penalty of
 - 5 twenty-five percent shall be assessed and added to the
 - 6 original fee and shall be paid by the applicant before the
 - 7 license[,] or certification [or permit] shall be renewed[;
 - 8 provided, that such penalty shall not apply if the applicant
- 9 furnishes an affidavit certifying that he has not engaged in
- 10 the business subsequent to the expiration of his license,
- 11 certification or permit]. Any person holding a current
- valid license[,] or certification [or permit] may renew the
- 13 license[,] or certification [or permit] for the next year

- 14 without taking another examination unless the director
- 15 determines that additional knowledge related to
- 16 classifications for which the applicant has applied makes a
- 17 new examination necessary. However, if the license is not
- 18 renewed within sixty days following the date of expiration
- 19 [then], the license shall be cancelled and the licensee
- 20 shall be required to satisfy all the requirements of
- 21 licensure as if such person was never licensed.
- 22 2. The director may promulgate reasonable regulations
- 23 requiring additional training and instruction on the part of
- 24 any applicant for a license issued under sections 281.010 to
- **25** 281.115.
- 26 3. The director shall have prepared for prospective
- 27 licensee's use[,] a book of guidelines of factual necessary
- information related to the requirements of sections 281.010
- 29 to 281.115. A reasonable fee may be collected for [said]
- 30 the publication.
 - 281.060. 1. The director, after inquiry, and after
- 2 opportunity for a hearing, may deny, suspend, revoke, or
- 3 modify the provisions of any license[, permit,] or
- 4 certification issued under sections 281.010 to 281.115, if
- 5 [he] the director finds that the applicant or the holder of
- 6 a license[, permit,] or certification has violated any
- 7 provision of sections 281.010 to 281.115, or any regulation
- 8 issued thereunder, or has been convicted or subject to a
- 9 final order imposing a civil or criminal penalty pursuant to
- 10 the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act
- 11 (FIFRA), as amended, or has been convicted, or is the
- 12 subject of prosecution, in [another] this state or in any
- 13 state or protectorate of the United States, or has had a
- 14 pesticide applicator license[,] or certificate [or permit]
- 15 denied, suspended, revoked or modified by [another] any
- 16 state or protectorate of the United States, or the person

- 17 has been finally adjudicated and found guilty, or entered a
- 18 plea of guilty or nolo contendere, in a criminal prosecution
- 19 under the laws of any state or of the United States, for any
- 20 offense reasonably related to the qualifications, functions,
- 21 or duties of any profession licensed or regulated under
- 22 [this chapter] sections 281.010 to 281.115, for any offense
- 23 an essential element of which is fraud, dishonesty, or an
- 24 act of violence, or for any offense involving moral
- 25 turpitude, whether or not sentence is imposed. Licensed
- 26 certified applicators, licensed noncertified RUP
- 27 applicators, licensed pesticide technicians, and licensed
- 28 pesticide dealers shall notify the department within ten
- 29 days of any conviction of or plea to any offense listed in
- 30 this section.
- 31 2. If the director determines, after inquiry and
- 32 opportunity for a hearing, that any [individual] person is
- 33 in violation of any provision of sections 281.010 to
- 34 281.115, or any regulations issued thereunder, the director
- 35 shall have the authority to assess a civil penalty of not
- 36 more than one thousand dollars for each violation, and in
- 37 addition, may order that restitution be made to any person.
- 38 3. In the event that a person penalized or ordered to
- 39 pay restitution under this section fails to pay the penalty
- 40 or restitution, the director may apply to the circuit court
- 41 of Cole County for, and the court is authorized to enter, an
- 42 order enforcing the assessed penalty or restitution.
 - 281.063. The director may subpoena witnesses and
- 2 compel the production of books, documents, and records
- 3 anywhere in the state in any hearing affecting the authority
- 4 or privilege granted by a license[,] or certificate [or
- 5 permit] issued under the provisions of sections 281.010 to
- 6 281.115.

- 281.065. 1. The director shall not issue a certified
- 2 commercial applicator's license until the applicant or the
- 3 employer of the applicant has furnished evidence of
- 4 financial responsibility with the director consisting either
- 5 of a surety bond or a liability insurance policy or
- 6 certification thereof, protecting persons who may suffer
- 7 legal damages as a result of [the operations of] pesticide
- 8 use by the applicant; except that, such surety bond or
- 9 liability insurance policy need not apply to damages or
- 10 injury to crops, plants or land being worked upon by the
- 11 applicant. Following the receipt of the initial license,
- 12 the certified commercial applicator shall not be required to
- 13 furnish evidence of financial responsibility to the
- 14 department for the purpose of license renewal unless upon
- 15 request. Annual renewals for surety bonds or liability
- 16 insurance shall be maintained at the business location from
- 17 which the certified commercial applicator is licensed.
- 18 Valid surety bonds or liability insurance certificates shall
- 19 be available for inspection by the director [or his or her
- 20 designee] at a reasonable time during regular business hours
- 21 or, upon a request in writing, the director shall be
- 22 furnished a copy of the surety bond or liability insurance
- 23 certificate within ten [working] days of receipt of the
- 24 request.
- 25 2. The amount of the surety bond or liability
- 26 insurance required by this section shall be not less than
- 27 fifty thousand dollars for each occurrence. Such surety
- 28 bond or liability insurance shall be maintained at not less
- 29 than that sum at all times during the licensed period. The
- 30 director shall be notified by the surety or insurer within
- 31 twenty days prior to any cancellation or reduction of the
- 32 surety bond or liability insurance. If the surety bond or
- 33 liability insurance policy which provides the financial

- 34 responsibility for the certified commercial applicator is provided by the employer of the certified commercial 35 36 applicator, the employer of the certified commercial applicator shall immediately notify the director upon the 37 termination of the employment of the certified commercial 38 39 applicator or when a condition exists under which the 40 certified commercial applicator is no longer provided bond or insurance coverage by the employer. The certified 41 42 commercial applicator shall then immediately execute and 43 submit to the director a surety bond or an insurance policy to cover the financial responsibility requirements of this 44 section and the certified commercial applicator or the 45 applicator's employer shall maintain the surety bond or 46 liability insurance certificate at the business location 47 from which the certified commercial applicator is licensed. 48 49 The director may accept a liability insurance policy or 50 surety bond in the proper sum which has a deductible clause in an amount not exceeding one thousand dollars; except 51 52 that, if the bond- or policyholder has not satisfied the requirement of the deductible amount in any prior legal 53 claim, such deductible clause shall not be accepted by the 54 55 director unless the bond- or policyholder executes and maintains a surety bond or liability insurance which shall 56 57 satisfy the amount of the deductible as to all claims that may arise in [his or her] the bond- or policyholder's 58 59 application of pesticides.
 - 3. If the surety becomes unsatisfactory, the commercial applicator license shall expire and become invalid and the bond- or policyholder shall immediately execute and submit to the director a new bond or insurance policy and maintain the surety bond or liability insurance certificate at the business location from which the certified commercial applicator is licensed, and if [he or

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- she] the bond- or policyholder fails to do so, the director
- 68 shall cancel [his or her] the bond- or policyholder license,
- 69 or deny the license of an applicant, and give [him or her]
- 70 the bond- or policyholder notice of cancellation or denial,
- 71 and it shall be unlawful thereafter for the applicant to
- 72 engage in the business of using pesticides until the bond or
- 73 insurance is brought into compliance with the requirements
- 74 of subsection 1 of this section. If the bond- or
- 75 policyholder does not execute a new bond or insurance policy
- 76 within sixty days of expiration of such bond or policy, the
- 77 licensee shall be required to satisfy all the requirements
- 78 for licensure as if never before licensed.
- 79 4. Nothing in sections 281.010 to 281.115 shall be
- 80 construed to relieve any person from liability for any
- 81 damage to the person or lands of another caused by the use
- 82 of pesticides even though such use conforms to the rules and
- 83 regulations of the director.
 - 281.070. 1. The director may investigate the use of
- 2 any pesticide or claims of damages [which] that result from
- 3 the use of any pesticide.
- 4 2. Any person who claims to have been damaged as a
- 5 result of a pesticide use and who requests an investigation
- 6 of that damage by the director shall file with the director,
- 7 on a form provided by the director, a written statement
- 8 claiming that [he] the person has been damaged. Damage
- 9 statements shall be filed within thirty days after the date
- 10 the damage is alleged to have occurred, unless a growing
- 11 crop is alleged to have been damaged. If a growing crop is
- 12 alleged to have been damaged, the damage statement shall be
- 13 filed at least two weeks prior to the time that twenty-five
- 14 percent of that crop has been harvested. The director
- 15 shall, upon receipt of the statement, notify the person
- 16 alleged to have caused the damage and the owner or lessee of

- 17 the land, or other person who may be charged with the
- 18 responsibility of the damages claimed, and furnish copies of
- 19 any statements which may be requested. The director shall
- 20 inspect damages whenever possible and [he] the director
- 21 shall make [his] the director's inspection reports available
- 22 to the person claiming damage and to the person who is
- 23 alleged to have caused the damage. Where damage is alleged
- 24 to have occurred, the claimant shall permit the director,
- 25 the licensee, and [his] the licensee's representatives, such
- 26 as the bondsman or insurer, to observe, within reasonable
- 27 hours, the lands or nontarget organism alleged to have been
- 28 damaged.
- 29 3. The filing of or the failure to file need not be
- 30 alleged in any complaint which might be filed in a court of
- 31 law, and the failure to file a damage claim shall not be
- 32 considered any bar to the maintenance of any criminal or
- 33 civil action. The failure to file such a report shall not
- 34 be a violation of sections 281.010 to 281.115. However, if
- 35 the person failing to file such report is the only one
- 36 injured from such use or application of a pesticide by
- 37 others, the director may, when in the public interest,
- 38 refuse to hold a hearing for the denial, suspension, or
- 39 revocation of a license [or permit] issued under sections
- 40 281.010 to 281.115 until such report is filed.
- 4. The director may in the conduct of any
- 42 investigation or hearing authorized or held by [him] the
- 43 director:
- 44 (1) Examine, or cause to be examined, under oath, any
- 45 person;
- 46 (2) Examine, or cause to be examined, books and
- 47 records of the sale or use of any pesticide directly related
- 48 to the investigation;

- 49 (3) Hear such testimony and take such evidence as will
- 50 assist [him] the director in the discharge of [his] the
- 51 <u>director's</u> duties under [this chapter] <u>sections 281.010 to</u>
- **52** 281.115;
- (4) Administer or cause to be administered [oath]
- 54 oaths; and
- 55 (5) Issue subpoenas to require the attendance of
- 56 witnesses and the production of books and records directly
- 57 related to the investigation.
 - 281.075. [1.] The director may issue a [license or]
- pesticide applicator certification on a reciprocal basis
- 3 with other states without examination to a nonresident who
- 4 is licensed [or] as a certified [in another state
- 5 substantially] applicator in accordance with the
- 6 reciprocating state's requirements and is a resident of the
- 7 reciprocating state. A pesticide applicator certification
- 8 shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of
- 9 sections 281.010 to 281.115; except that, financial
- 10 responsibility [must] shall be filed pursuant to section
- 11 281.065. Fees collected shall be the same as for resident
- 12 licenses or certification.
- 13 [2. Any nonresident applying for any license under
- 14 section 281.035, 281.037, 281.038 or 281.050 to operate in
- 15 the state of Missouri shall designate in writing the
- 16 secretary of state as the agent of such nonresident upon
- 17 whom process may be served as provided by law; except that,
- 18 any such nonresident who has designated a resident agent
- 19 upon whom process may be served as provided by law shall not
- 20 be required to designate the secretary of state as such
- 21 agent. The secretary of state shall be allowed such fees
- 22 therefor as provided by law for designating resident
- 23 agents. The director shall be furnished with a copy of such

- 24 designation of the secretary of state or of a resident
- 25 agent, such copy to be certified by the secretary of state.]

281.085. No person shall discard, transport, or store

- 2 any pesticide or pesticide containers in such a manner that
- 3 is inconsistent with label directions or as to cause injury
- 4 to humans, vegetation, crops, livestock, wildlife,
- 5 beneficial insects, or to pollute any waterway. The
- 6 director may promulgate rules and regulations governing the
- 7 discarding and storing of such pesticide or pesticide
- 8 containers. In determining these rules and regulations the
- 9 director shall take into consideration any regulations
- 10 issued by the federal Environmental Protection Agency.
 - 281.101. 1. It shall be unlawful for any [individual]
- 2 person to violate any provision of sections 281.010 to
- 3 281.115, or any regulation issued thereunder.
- 4 2. The following are determined to be unlawful acts:
- 5 (1) It shall be unlawful to recommend for use, [to]
- 6 cause to use, use, or [to] supervise the use of any
- 7 pesticide in a manner inconsistent with its labeling
- 8 required by labeling requirements of FIFRA, the Missouri
- 9 pesticide use act or the Missouri pesticide registration act;
- 10 (2) It shall be unlawful for any [individual] person
- 11 to misuse any pesticide;
- 12 (3) It shall be unlawful for any person to use or
- 13 supervise the use of pesticides that are cancelled or
- suspended;
- 15 (4) It shall be unlawful for any person not holding a
- valid certified applicator license in proper certification
- 17 categories or a valid pesticide dealer license to purchase
- 18 or acquire restricted use pesticides;
- 19 (5) It shall be unlawful to make any false or
- 20 misleading statements during the course of an investigation
- 21 into the sale, distribution, use, or misuse of any pesticide;

- [(4)] (6) It shall be unlawful to make any false or
- 23 misleading statement on any application, form $\underline{\prime}$ or document
- 24 submitted to the director concerning licensing pursuant to
- 25 sections 281.010 to 281.115 or any regulations issued
- 26 thereunder;
- [(5)] (7) It shall be unlawful to make any false,
- 28 misleading, or fraudulent statement or claim, through any
- 29 media, [which] that misrepresents the effects of any
- 30 pesticide, the methods to be utilized in the application of
- 31 any pesticide, or the qualifications of the person
- 32 determining the need for the use of any pesticide or using
- 33 any pesticide;
- [(6)] (8) It shall be unlawful to make any false or
- 35 misleading statement specifying[,] or inferring that a
- 36 person or [his] the person's methods are recommended by any
- 37 branch of government or that any pesticide work done will be
- inspected by any branch of government;
- [(7)] (9) It shall be unlawful to aid or abet any
- 40 licensed or unlicensed individual in evading the provisions
- 41 of sections 281.010 to 281.115 or any regulation issued
- 42 thereunder, or to conspire with any licensed or unlicensed
- 43 individual in evading the provisions of sections 281.010 to
- 44 281.115 or any regulation issued thereunder; and
- 45 (10) It shall be unlawful for any person to steal or
- 46 attempt to steal pesticide certification examinations or
- 47 examination materials, cheat on pesticide certification
- 48 examinations, evade completion of recertification or
- 49 retraining requirements, or to aid or abet any person in
- 50 stealing or attempting to steal examinations or examination
- 51 materials, cheating on examinations, or evading
- 52 <u>recertification or retraining requirements</u>.
- 3. Other acts [which] that are not specified, but
- 54 [which] that violate sections 281.010 to 281.115 or

- regulations issued thereunder, shall nevertheless be unlawful.
 - 301.033. 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of
- 2 sections 301.030 and 301.035 to the contrary, the director
- 3 of revenue shall establish a system of registration on a
- 4 calendar year basis of all farm vehicles, as defined in
- 5 section 302.700, owned or purchased by a farm vehicle fleet
- 6 owner registered under this section. The director of
- 7 revenue shall prescribe the forms for such farm vehicle
- 8 fleet registration and the forms and procedures for the
- 9 registration updates prescribed in this section. Any owner
- 10 of more than one farm vehicle which is required to be
- 11 registered under this chapter may, at his or her option,
- 12 register a fleet of farm vehicles on a calendar year or
- 13 biennial basis under this section in lieu of the
- registration periods provided in sections 301.030, 301.035,
- and 301.147. The director shall issue an identification
- 16 number to each registered owner of a fleet of farm vehicles
- 17 registered under this section.
- 18 2. All farm vehicles included in the fleet of a
- 19 registered farm vehicle fleet owner shall be registered
- 20 during April of the corresponding year or on a prorated
- 21 basis as provided in subsection 3 of this section. Fees of
- 22 all vehicles in the farm vehicle fleet to be registered on a
- 23 calendar year basis or on a biennial basis shall be payable
- 24 not later than the last day of April of the corresponding
- 25 year, with two years' fees due for biennially-registered
- 26 vehicles. Notwithstanding the provisions of section
- 27 307.355, an application for registration of a farm vehicle
- 28 fleet shall be accompanied by a certificate of inspection
- 29 and approval issued no more than one hundred twenty days
- 30 prior to the date of application. The fees for vehicles
- 31 added to the farm vehicle fleet which are required to be

- 32 licensed at the time of registration shall be payable at the
- 33 time of registration, except that when such vehicle is
- 34 licensed between July first and September thirtieth the fee
- 35 shall be three-fourths the annual fee, when licensed between
- 36 October first and December thirty-first the fee shall be one-
- 37 half the annual fee, and when licensed on or after January
- 38 first the fee shall be one-fourth the annual fee. If
- 39 biennial registration is sought for vehicles added to a farm
- 40 vehicle fleet, an additional year's annual fee shall be
- 41 added to the partial year's prorated fee.
- 42 3. At any time during the calendar year in which an
- 43 owner of a farm vehicle fleet purchases or otherwise
- 44 acquires a farm vehicle which is to be added to the farm
- 45 vehicle fleet or transfers plates to a fleet vehicle, the
- 46 owner shall present to the director of revenue the
- 47 identification number as a fleet number and may register the
- 48 vehicle for the partial year as provided in subsection 2 of
- 49 this section. The farm vehicle fleet owner shall also be
- 50 charged a transfer fee of two dollars for each vehicle so
- transferred under this subsection.
- 4. Except as specifically provided in this subsection,
- 53 all farm vehicles registered under this section shall be
- 54 issued a special license plate which shall have the words
- 55 "Farm Fleet Vehicle" and shall meet the requirements
- 56 prescribed by section 301.130. Farm fleet vehicles shall be
- 57 issued multiyear license plates as provided in this section
- 58 which shall not require issuance of a renewal tab. Upon
- 59 payment of appropriate registration fees, the director of
- 60 revenue shall issue a registration certificate or other
- 61 suitable evidence of payment of the annual or biennial fee,
- 62 and such evidence of payment shall be carried at all times
- in the vehicle for which it is issued.

- 5. The director shall make all necessary rules and
- 65 regulations for the administration of this section and shall
- 66 design all necessary forms required by this section. Any
- 67 rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in
- 68 section 536.010, that is created under the authority
- 69 delegated in this section shall become effective only if it
- 70 complies with and is subject to all the provisions of
- 71 chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This
- 72 section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the
- 73 powers vested with the general assembly under chapter 536 to
- 74 review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and
- 75 <u>annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then</u>
- 76 the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or
- 77 adopted after August 28, 2021, shall be invalid and void.
 - 348.436. The provisions of sections 348.430 to 348.436
- 2 shall expire December 31, [2021] <u>2026</u>.
- 348.500. 1. This section shall be known and may be
- 2 cited as the "Family Farms Act".
- 3 2. As used in this section, "small farmer" means a
- 4 farmer who is a Missouri resident and who has less than [two
- 5 hundred fifty] five hundred thousand dollars in gross sales
- 6 per year.
- 7 3. The agricultural and small business development
- 8 authority shall establish a family farm breeding livestock
- 9 loan program for small farmers for the purchase of beef
- 10 cattle, dairy cattle, sheep and goats, and swine only.
- 11 4. To participate in the loan program, a small farmer
- 12 shall first obtain approval for a family farm livestock loan
- 13 from a lender as defined in section 348.015. [Each small
- 14 farmer shall be eligible for only one family farm livestock
- 15 loan per family and for only one type of livestock.]
- 16 5. The maximum amount of the family farm livestock
- 17 loan for each type of livestock shall be as follows:

- 18 (1) [Seventy-five] One hundred fifty thousand dollars
- 19 for beef cattle;
- 20 (2) [Seventy-five] One hundred fifty thousand dollars
- 21 for dairy cattle;
- 22 (3) [Thirty-five] Seventy thousand dollars for swine;
- **23** and
- 24 (4) [Thirty] Sixty thousand dollars for sheep and
- 25 goats.
- 26 6. Eligible borrowers under the program:
- 27 (1) Shall use the proceeds of the family farm loan to
- 28 acquire breeding livestock;
- 29 (2) Shall not finance more than ninety percent of the
- 30 anticipated cost of the purchase of such livestock through
- 31 the family farm livestock loan; and
- 32 (3) Shall not be charged interest by the lender, as
- 33 defined in section 348.015, for the first year of the
- 34 qualified family farm livestock loan.
- 7. Upon approval of the family farm livestock loan by
- 36 a lender under subsection 4 of this section, the loan shall
- 37 be submitted for approval by the agricultural and small
- 38 business development authority. The authority shall
- 39 promulgate rules establishing eligibility under this
- 40 section, taking into consideration:
- 41 (1) The eligible borrower's ability to repay the
- 42 family farm livestock loan;
- 43 (2) The general economic conditions of the area in
- 44 which the farm is located;
- 45 (3) The prospect of a financial return for the small
- 46 farmer for the type of livestock for which the family farm
- 47 livestock loan is sought; and
- 48 (4) Such other factors as the authority may establish.
- 49 8. For eligible borrowers participating in the
- 50 program, the authority shall be responsible for reviewing

- 51 the purchase price of any livestock to be purchased by an
- 52 eligible borrower under the program to determine whether the
- 53 price to be paid is appropriate for the type of livestock
- 54 purchased. The authority may impose a one-time loan review
- 55 fee of one percent which shall be collected by the lender at
- 56 the time of the loan and paid to the authority.
- 9. Nothing in this section shall preclude a small
- 58 farmer from participating in any other agricultural program.
- 59 10. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is
- 60 defined in section 536.010, that is created under the
- 61 authority delegated in this section shall become effective
- 62 only if it complies with and is subject to all of the
- 63 provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section
- 64 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and
- if any of the powers vested with the general assembly
- 66 pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective
- 67 date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently
- 68 held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking
- 69 authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28,
- 70 2006, shall be invalid and void.
 - 643.050. 1. In addition to any other powers vested in
- 2 it by law the commission shall have the following powers:
- 3 (1) Adopt, promulgate, amend and repeal rules and
- 4 regulations consistent with the general intent and purposes
- of sections 643.010 to 643.355, chapter 536, [and] Titles V
- 6 and VI of the federal Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C.
- 7 7661, et seq., and 42 U.S.C. 7412(r), as amended, for
- 8 covered processes of agricultural stationary sources that
- 9 use, store, or sell anhydrous ammonia, including but not
- 10 limited to:
- 11 (a) Regulation of use of equipment known to be a
- 12 source of air contamination;

- (b) Establishment of maximum quantities of air
 contaminants that may be emitted from any air contaminant
 source; [and]
- 16 (c) Regulations necessary to enforce the provisions of
 17 Title VI of the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 7671,
 18 et seq., regarding any Class I or Class II substances as
 19 defined therein; and
- 24 (2) After holding public hearings in accordance with 25 section 643.070, establish areas of the state and prescribe 26 air quality standards for such areas giving due recognition 27 to variations, if any, in the characteristics of different 28 areas of the state which may be deemed by the commission to 29 be relevant;
- (3) (a) To require persons engaged in operations
 which result in air pollution to monitor or test emissions
 and to file reports containing information relating to rate,
 period of emission and composition of effluent;
- 34 Require submission to the director for approval of plans and specifications for any article, machine, 35 36 equipment, device, or other contrivance specified by 37 regulation the use of which may cause or control the 38 issuance of air contaminants; but any person responsible for 39 complying with the standards established under sections 643.010 to 643.355 shall determine, unless found by the 40 41 director to be inadequate, the means, methods, processes, 42 equipment and operation to meet the established standards;
 - (4) Hold hearings upon appeals from orders of the director or from any other actions or determinations of the director hereunder for which provision is made for appeal,

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- 46 and in connection therewith, issue subpoenas requiring the 47 attendance of witnesses and the production of evidence 48 reasonably relating to the hearing;
- Enter such order or determination as may be 49 50 necessary to effectuate the purposes of sections 643.010 to In making its orders and determinations hereunder, 51 the commission shall exercise a sound discretion in weighing 52 53 the equities involved and the advantages and disadvantages to the person involved and to those affected by air 54 55 contaminants emitted by such person as set out in section 643.030. If any small business, as defined by section 56 643.020, requests information on what would constitute 57 compliance with the requirements of sections 643.010 to 58 643.355 or any order or determination of the department or 59 commission, the department shall respond with written 60 61 criteria to inform the small business of the actions necessary for compliance. No enforcement action shall be 62 undertaken by the department or commission until the small 63 64 business has had a period of time, negotiated with the
- (6) Cause to be instituted in a court of competent
 jurisdiction legal proceedings to compel compliance with any
 final order or determination entered by the commission or
 the director;

department, to achieve compliance;

- 70 (7) Settle or compromise in its discretion, as it may 71 deem advantageous to the state, any suit for recovery of any 72 penalty or for compelling compliance with the provisions of 73 any rule;
- 74 (8) Develop such facts and make such investigations as 75 are consistent with the purposes of sections 643.010 to 76 643.355, and, in connection therewith, to enter or authorize 77 any representative of the department to enter at all 78 reasonable times and upon reasonable notice in or upon any

- 79 private or public property for the purpose of inspecting or
- 80 investigating any condition which the commission or director
- 81 shall have probable cause to believe to be an air
- 82 contaminant source or upon any private or public property
- 83 having material information relevant to said air contaminant
- 84 source. The results of any such investigation shall be
- 85 reduced to writing, and a copy thereof shall be furnished to
- 86 the owner or operator of the property. No person shall
- 87 refuse entry or access, requested for purposes of inspection
- 88 under this provision, to an authorized representative of the
- 89 department who presents appropriate credentials, nor
- 90 obstruct or hamper the representative in carrying out the
- 91 inspection. A suitably restricted search warrant, upon a
- 92 showing of probable cause in writing and upon oath, shall be
- 93 issued by any judge having jurisdiction to any such
- 94 representative for the purpose of enabling him to make such
- 95 inspection;
- 96 (9) Secure necessary scientific, technical,
- 97 administrative and operational services, including
- 98 laboratory facilities, by contract or otherwise, with any
- 99 educational institution, experiment station, or any board,
- 100 department, or other agency of any political subdivision or
- 101 state or the federal government;
- 102 (10) Classify and identify air contaminants; and
- 103 (11) Hold public hearings as required by sections
- 104 643.010 to 643.355.
- 105 2. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated under the
- 106 authority of this chapter shall become effective unless it
- 107 has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of section
- **108** 536.024.
- 109 3. The commission shall have the following duties with
- 110 respect to the prevention, abatement and control of air
- 111 pollution:

- 112 (1) Prepare and develop a general comprehensive plan
- 113 for the prevention, abatement and control of air pollution;
- 114 (2) Encourage voluntary cooperation by persons or
- affected groups to achieve the purposes of sections 643.010
- 116 to 643.355;
- 117 (3) Encourage political subdivisions to handle air
- 118 pollution problems within their respective jurisdictions to
- 119 the extent possible and practicable and provide assistance
- 120 to political subdivisions;
- 121 (4) Encourage and conduct studies, investigations and
- 122 research;
- 123 (5) Collect and disseminate information and conduct
- 124 education and training programs;
- 125 (6) Advise, consult and cooperate with other agencies
- 126 of the state, political subdivisions, industries, other
- 127 states and the federal government, and with interested
- 128 persons or groups;
- 129 (7) Represent the state of Missouri in all matters
- 130 pertaining to interstate air pollution including the
- 131 negotiations of interstate compacts or agreements.
- 4. Nothing contained in sections 643.010 to 643.355
- 133 shall be deemed to grant to the commission or department any
- 134 jurisdiction or authority with respect to air pollution
- 135 existing solely within commercial and industrial plants,
- 136 works, or shops or to affect any aspect of employer-employee
- 137 relationships as to health and safety hazards.
- 138 5. Any information relating to secret processes or
- 139 methods of manufacture or production discovered through any
- 140 communication required under this section shall be kept
- 141 confidential.
 - 643.079. 1. Any air contaminant source required to
 - 2 obtain a permit issued under sections 643.010 to 643.355
 - 3 shall pay annually beginning April 1, 1993, a fee as

- 4 provided herein. For the first year the fee shall be twenty-
- 5 five dollars per ton of each regulated air contaminant
- 6 emitted. Thereafter, the fee shall be set every three years
- 7 by the commission by rule and shall be at least twenty-five
- 8 dollars per ton of regulated air contaminant emitted but not
- 9 more than forty dollars per ton of regulated air contaminant
- 10 emitted in the previous calendar year. If necessary, the
- 11 commission may make annual adjustments to the fee by rule.
- 12 The fee shall be set at an amount consistent with the need
- 13 to fund the reasonable cost of administering sections
- 14 643.010 to 643.355, taking into account other moneys
- received pursuant to sections 643.010 to 643.355. For the
- 16 purpose of determining the amount of air contaminant
- 17 emissions on which the fees authorized under this section
- 18 are assessed, a facility shall be considered one source
- under the definition of subsection 2 of section 643.078,
- 20 except that a facility with multiple operating permits shall
- 21 pay the emission fees authorized under this section
- 22 separately for air contaminants emitted under each
- 23 individual permit.
- 2. A source which produces charcoal from wood shall
- 25 pay an annual emission fee under this subsection in lieu of
- 26 the fee established in subsection 1 of this section. The
- 27 fee shall be based upon a maximum fee of twenty-five dollars
- 28 per ton and applied upon each ton of regulated air
- 29 contaminant emitted for the first four thousand tons of each
- 30 contaminant emitted in the amount established by the
- 31 commission pursuant to subsection 1 of this section, reduced
- 32 according to the following schedule:
- 33 (1) For fees payable under this subsection in the
- years 1993 and 1994, the fee shall be reduced by one hundred
- 35 percent;

- 36 (2) For fees payable under this subsection in the 37 years 1995, 1996 and 1997, the fee shall be reduced by 38 eighty percent;
- (3) For fees payable under this subsection in theyears 1998, 1999 and 2000, the fee shall be reduced by sixtypercent.
- 3. The fees imposed in subsection 2 of this section shall not be imposed or collected after the year 2000 unless the general assembly reimposes the fee.
- 45 Each air contaminant source with a permit issued under sections 643.010 to 643.355 shall pay the fee for the 46 first four thousand tons of each regulated air contaminant 47 48 emitted each year but no air contaminant source shall pay fees on total emissions of regulated air contaminants in 49 excess of twelve thousand tons in any calendar year. A 50 permitted air contaminant source which emitted less than one 51 52 ton of all regulated pollutants shall pay a fee equal to the amount per ton set by the commission. An air contaminant 53 54 source which pays emission fees to a holder of a certificate of authority issued pursuant to section 643.140 may deduct 55 such fees from any amount due under this section. 56 57 imposed in this section shall not be applied to carbon oxide The fees imposed in subsection 1 and this 58 emissions. 59 subsection shall not be applied to sulfur dioxide emissions 60 from any Phase I affected unit subject to the requirements 61 of Title IV, Section 404, of the federal Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 7651, et seq., any sooner than 62 January 1, 2000. The fees imposed on emissions from Phase I 63 affected units shall be consistent with and shall not exceed 64 the provisions of the federal Clean Air Act, as amended, and 65 the regulations promulgated thereunder. Any such fee on 66 emissions from any Phase I affected unit shall be reduced by 67 68 the amount of the service fee paid by that Phase I affected

- 69 unit pursuant to subsection 8 of this section in that year.
- 70 Any fees that may be imposed on Phase I sources shall follow
- 71 the procedures set forth in subsection 1 and this subsection
- 72 and shall not be applied retroactively.
- 73 5. Moneys collected under this section shall be
- 74 transmitted to the director of revenue for deposit in
- 75 appropriate subaccounts of the natural resources protection
- 76 fund created in section 640.220. A subaccount shall be
- 77 maintained for fees paid by air contaminant sources which
- 78 are required to be permitted under Title V of the federal
- 79 Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 7661, et seq.,
- 80 and used, upon appropriation, to fund activities by the
- 81 department to implement the operating permits program
- 82 authorized by Title V of the federal Clean Air Act, as
- 83 amended. Another subaccount shall be maintained for fees
- 84 paid by air contaminant sources which are not required to be
- 85 permitted under Title V of the federal Clean Air Act as
- 86 amended, and used, upon appropriation, to fund other air
- 87 pollution control program activities. Another subaccount
- 88 shall be maintained for service fees paid under subsection 8
- 89 of this section by Phase I affected units which are subject
- 90 to the requirements of Title IV, Section 404, of the federal
- 91 Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990, as amended, 42 U.S.C.
- 92 Section 7651, and used, upon appropriation, to fund air
- 93 pollution control program activities. The provisions of
- 94 section 33.080 to the contrary notwithstanding, moneys in
- 95 the fund shall not revert to general revenue at the end of
- 96 each biennium. Interest earned by moneys in the subaccounts
- 97 shall be retained in the subaccounts. The per-ton fees
- 98 established under subsection 1 of this section may be
- 99 adjusted annually, consistent with the need to fund the
- 100 reasonable costs of the program, but shall not be less than
- 101 twenty-five dollars per ton of regulated air contaminant nor

- more than forty dollars per ton of regulated air contaminant. The first adjustment shall apply to moneys payable on April 1, 1994, and shall be based upon the general price level for the twelve-month period ending on August thirty-first of the previous calendar year.
- 107 The department may initiate a civil action in 108 circuit court against any air contaminant source which has 109 not remitted the appropriate fees within thirty days. 110 any judgment against the source, the department shall be 111 awarded interest at a rate determined pursuant to section 408.030 and reasonable attorney's fees. In any judgment 112 against the department, the source shall be awarded 113 reasonable attorney's fees. 114
- 7. The department shall not suspend or revoke a permit for an air contaminant source solely because the source has not submitted the fees pursuant to this section.
- 118 8. Any Phase I affected unit which is subject to the requirements of Title IV, Section 404, of the federal Clean 119 Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 7651, shall pay 120 annually beginning April 1, 1993, and terminating December 121 31, 1999, a service fee for the previous calendar year as 122 provided herein. For the first year, the service fee shall 123 124 be twenty-five thousand dollars for each Phase I affected 125 generating unit to help fund the administration of sections 643.010 to 643.355. Thereafter, the service fee shall be 126 127 annually set by the commission by rule, following public 128 hearing, based on an annual allocation prepared by the department showing the details of all costs and expenses 129 upon which such fees are based consistent with the 130 131 department's reasonable needs to administer and implement 132 sections 643.010 to 643.355 and to fulfill its responsibilities with respect to Phase I affected units, but 133

such service fee shall not exceed twenty-five thousand

- 135 dollars per generating unit. Any such Phase I affected unit
- 136 which is located on one or more contiguous tracts of land
- 137 with any Phase II generating unit that pays fees under
- 138 subsection 1 or subsection 2 of this section shall be exempt
- 139 from paying service fees under this subsection. A
- 140 "contiguous tract of land" shall be defined to mean adjacent
- 141 land, excluding public roads, highways and railroads, which
- is under the control of or owned by the permit holder and
- 143 operated as a single enterprise.
- 144 9. The department of natural resources shall determine
- 145 the fees due pursuant to this section by the state of
- 146 Missouri and its departments, agencies and institutions,
- 147 including two- and four-year institutions of higher
- 148 education. The director of the department of natural
- 149 resources shall forward the various totals due to the joint
- 150 committee on capital improvements and the directors of the
- 151 individual departments, agencies and institutions. The
- departments, as part of the budget process, shall annually
- 153 request by specific line item appropriation funds to pay
- 154 said fees and capital funding for projects determined to
- 155 significantly improve air quality. If the general assembly
- 156 fails to appropriate funds for emissions fees as
- 157 specifically requested, the departments, agencies and
- 158 institutions shall pay said fees from other sources of
- 159 revenue or funds available. The state of Missouri and its
- 160 departments, agencies and institutions may receive
- 161 assistance from the small business technical assistance
- program established pursuant to section 643.173.
- 163 10. Each retail agricultural facility that uses,
- 164 stores, or sells anhydrous ammonia that is an air
- 165 contaminant source subject to the risk management plan under
- 166 42 U.S.C. 7412(r) shall pay an annual registration fee of
- 167 two hundred dollars. In addition, each retail agricultural

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     facility that uses, stores, or sells anhydrous ammonia shall
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     pay an annual tonnage fee calculated on the number of tons
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     of anhydrous ammonia sold. The initial retail tonnage fee
     is set at one dollar and twenty-five cents per ton of
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     anhydrous ammonia used or sold. Each distributor or
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     terminal agricultural facility that uses, stores, or sells
     anhydrous ammonia that is an air contaminant source subject
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     shall pay an annual registration fee of five thousand
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     dollars and shall not pay a tonnage fee. The annual
     registration fees and tonnage fee may be periodically
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     revised pursuant to subsection 11 of this section. However,
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     the fees collected shall be used exclusively for the
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     purposes of administering the provisions of 42 U.S.C.
     7412(r) for such agricultural facilities. Fees paid by
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     agricultural air contaminant sources that use, store, or
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     sell anhydrous ammonia for the purposes of implementing the
     requirements of 42 U.S.C. 7412(r) shall be deposited into
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     the anhydrous ammonia risk management plan subaccount within
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     the natural resources protection fund created in section
     643.245. If the funding exceeds the reasonable costs to
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     administer the programs as set forth in this section, the
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     department of natural resources shall reduce fees for all
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     7412(r).
          11. Notwithstanding any statutory fee amounts or
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     resources may conduct a comprehensive review and propose
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     changes to the fee structure authorized by sections 643.073,
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643.075, 643.079, 643.225, 643.228, 643.232, 643.237, and

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     groups: the asbestos industry, electric utilities, mineral
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     and metallic mining and processing facilities, cement kiln
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     representatives, and any other interested industrial or
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     business entities or interested parties. The department
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     shall submit a proposed fee structure with stakeholder
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     agreement to the air conservation commission.
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     commission approves, by vote of two-thirds majority or five
     of seven commissioners, the fee structure recommendations,
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     the commission shall authorize the department to file a
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     notice of proposed rulemaking containing the recommended fee
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     structure, and after considering public comments, may
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     authorize the department to file the order of rulemaking for
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     such rule with the joint committee on administrative rules
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     pursuant to sections 536.021 and 536.024 no later than
     December first of the same year. If such rules are not
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     disapproved by the general assembly in the manner set out
     below, they shall take effect on January first of the
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     following calendar year and the previous fee structure shall
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     expire upon the effective date of the commission-adopted fee
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     structure. Any regulation promulgated under this subsection
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     shall be deemed to be beyond the scope and authority
     provided in this subsection, or detrimental to permit
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     applicants, if the general assembly, within the first sixty
     calendar days of the regular session immediately following
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     the filing of such regulation, by concurrent resolution
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     disapproves the regulation by concurrent resolution. If the
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     general assembly so disapproves any regulation filed under
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     this subsection, the commission shall continue to use the
     previous fee structure. The authority of the commission to
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- 233 further revise the fee structure as provided by this
- 234 subsection shall expire on August 28, 2024.
 - 643.245. 1. All moneys received pursuant to sections
 - 2 643.225 to 643.245 and any other moneys so designated shall
 - 3 be placed in the state treasury and credited to the "Natural
 - 4 Resources Protection Fund Air Pollution Asbestos Fee
 - 5 Subaccount", which is hereby created. Such moneys received
 - 6 pursuant to sections 643.225 to 643.245 shall, subject to
 - 7 appropriation, be used solely for the purpose of
 - 8 administering this chapter. Any unexpended balance in such
 - 9 fund at the end of any appropriation period shall not be
- 10 transferred to the general revenue fund of the state
- 11 treasury and shall be exempt from the provisions of section
- **12** 33.080.
- 2. All moneys received pursuant to subsection 10 of
- 14 section 643.079 and any other moneys so designated shall be
- 15 placed in the "Natural Resources Protection Fund Anhydrous
- 16 Ammonia Risk Management Plan Subaccount", which is hereby
- 17 created. Such moneys received pursuant to subsection 10 of
- 18 section 643.079 shall, subject to appropriation, be used
- 19 solely for the purpose of administering the provisions of
- 20 section 643.079. Any unexpended balance in such fund at the
- 21 end of any appropriation period shall not be transferred to
- 22 the general revenue fund of the state treasury and shall be
- 23 exempt from the provisions of section 33.080.
- 3. The state treasurer, with the approval of the board
- 25 of fund commissioners, is authorized to deposit all of the
- 26 moneys in any of the qualified state depositories. All such
- 27 deposits shall be secured in such manner and shall be made
- 28 upon such terms and conditions as are now and may hereafter
- 29 be approved by law relative to state deposits. Any interest
- 30 received on such deposits shall be credited to the natural

32 subaccount. [266.355. Unless provided for by federal 2 law, rule or regulation, the director of the department of agriculture shall promulgate, 3 4 pursuant to chapter 536, and enforce regulations setting forth minimum general standards covering 5 6 the design, construction, location, 7 installation, and operation of equipment for storing, handling, transporting by tank truck, 8 9 tank trailer, tank car and utilizing anhydrous 10 ammonia. The provisions of this section shall not apply to equipment which is in use for 11 storing anhydrous ammonia as of August 28, 2010, 12 13 and which is found by the department to be in 14 substantial compliance with generally accepted standards of safety regarding life and 15 16 property. The department shall adopt the 17 minimum general safety standards for the storage and handling of anhydrous ammonia set forth in ANSI Standard K61.1-1999, Safety Requirements for the Storage and Handling of Anhydrous 18 19 20 21 Ammonia; except that, ANSI Standard K61.1-1999 22 shall not be adopted by the department prior to 23 December 1, 2012. For purposes of this section, 24 "ANSI" means the American National Standards 25 Institute.] Section B. The repeal and reenactment of sections 2 281.015, 281.020, 281.025, 281.030, 281.035, 281.037, 3 281.038, 281.040, 281.045, 281.050, 281.055, 281.060, 281.063, 281.065, 281.070, 281.075, 281.085, and 281.101 of this act and the enactment of section 281.048 shall become 5 effective on January 1, 2024. 6

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