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NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

AGENCY: Agriculture TITLE-SERIES: 61-01A
 RULE TYPE: Legislative Amendment to Existing Rule: Yes Repeal of existing rule: No
 RULE NAME: Feeding of untreated garbage to swine
 CITE STATUTORY AUTHORITY: §19-9A-1

COMMENTS LIMITED TO:

Written

DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING:

LOCATION OF PUBLIC HEARING:

DATE WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD ENDS: 07/16/2021 12:00 PM

COMMENTS MAY BE MAILED OR EMAILED TO:

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PLEASE INDICATE IF THIS FILING INCLUDES:

RELEVANT FEDERAL STATUTES OR REGULATIONS: No

(IF YES, PLEASE UPLOAD IN THE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FIELD)

INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE: No

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PROVIDE A BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE CONTENT OF THE RULE:

Establishes general operating rules and procedures in the Animal Disease Control Division and are established to prevent, suppress, control and eradicate communicable diseases of swine.

SUMMARIZE IN A CLEAR AND CONCISE MANNER CONTENTS OF CHANGES IN THE RULE AND A STATEMENT OF CIRCUMSTANCES REQUIRING THE RULE:

sunset date, removing fee, and technical changes

SUMMARIZE IN A CLEAR AND CONCISE MANNER THE OVERALL ECONOMIC IMPACT OF THE PROPOSED RULE:

A. ECONOMIC IMPACT ON REVENUES OF STATE GOVERNMENT:

n/a

B. ECONOMIC IMPACT ON SPECIAL REVENUE ACCOUNTS:

n/a

C. ECONOMIC IMPACT OF THE RULE ON THE STATE OR ITS RESIDENTS:

n/a

D. FISCAL NOTE DETAIL:

Effect of Proposal	Fiscal Year		
	2021 Increase/Decrease (use "-")	2022 Increase/Decrease (use "-")	Fiscal Year (Upon Full Implementation)
1. Estimated Total Cost	0	0	0
Personal Services	0	0	0
Current Expenses	0	0	0
Repairs and Alterations	0	0	0
Assets	0		
Other			
2. Estimated Total Revenues			

E. EXPLANATION OF ABOVE ESTIMATES (INCLUDING LONG-RANGE EFFECT):

n/a

BY CHOOSING 'YES', I ATTEST THAT THE PREVIOUS STATEMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

Yes

Norman Bailey -- By my signature, I certify that I am the person authorized to file legislative rules, in accordance with West Virginia Code §29A-3-11 and §39A-3-2.

TITLE 61
LEGISLATIVE RULE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

SERIES 1A
FEEDING OF UNTREATED GARBAGE TO SWINE

¶61-1A-1. General.

1.1. Scope. -- These legislative regulations establish general operating rules and procedures in the Animal Disease Control Division and are established to prevent, suppress, control and eradicate communicable diseases of swine.

1.2. Authority. -- W. Va. Code ¶19-9A-1 et seq.

1.3. Filing Date. -- ~~May 31, 1985.~~

1.4. Effective Date. -- ~~May 31, 1985.~~

1.5. Sunset Date. -- This rule shall terminate and have no further force or effect ten years from its effective date.

¶61-1A-2. Permit For Feeding Garbage To Swine.

2.1. No person shall feed garbage to swine until a permit has been secured from the Commissioner and properly posted on the swine feeding premises.

2.2. ~~The~~ There shall be no fee for a swine garbage feeding permit ~~shall be five dollars (\$5.00).~~

2.3. A permit to feed cooked garbage to swine is not transferrable.

2.4. The Commissioner, after receiving an application for a permit to feed cooked garbage to swine or to renew the same, may cause an investigation to be made of the garbage feeding premises of the applicant, and all the equipment used for heating and treating garbage, to ascertain whether or not the premises and equipment are suitable and adequate. If it is found that the premises or equipment are inadequate for the heating, treating or feeding of garbage to swine, the permit shall be withheld until the applicant has provided adequate facilities.

2.5. All premises and equipment that are used for cooking and feeding garbage shall be kept in a sanitary condition.

¶61-1A-3. Interstate Movement Of Swine Fed Uncooked Garbage.

3.1. Swine shall not be imported into this State that have been fed or have had access to uncooked garbage. All persons, firms, corporations, partnerships or associations, or employees of the same, who operate a public market, concentration point, pickup station or any other kind of business where livestock is bought, sold, traded or received for resale, whether licensed by the Commissioner or not, shall not receive for resale, buy, sell or trade in any manner whatsoever any swine that they have reasons to believe have been fed or have had access to uncooked garbage.