

IC 15-11-14-2 Cooperative agreements

Sec. 2. The department may negotiate and enter into cooperative agreements with the United States Department of Agriculture or any other appropriate federal agency to implement this chapter.

As added by P.L.133-2015, SEC.2; P.L.202-2015, SEC.2.

IC 15-11-15 Chapter 15. Indiana Hemp Advisory Committee

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IC 15-11-15-1 "Advisory committee"

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "advisory committee" refers to the Indiana hemp advisory committee established by section 3 of this chapter.

As added by P.L.190-2019, SEC.1.

IC 15-11-15-2 "Hemp"

Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "hemp" has the meaning set forth in [IC 15-15-13-6](#).

As added by P.L.190-2019, SEC.1.

IC 15-11-15-3 Indiana hemp advisory committee established; members; chairperson

Sec. 3. (a) The Indiana hemp advisory committee is established for the purpose of providing advice to the office of the state seed commissioner with respect to plans, policies, rules, fees, and procedures applicable to the administration of [IC 15-15-13](#).

(b) The advisory committee consists of the following members:

- (1) The director of the department or the director's designee.
- (2) The state seed commissioner or the state seed commissioner's designee.
- (3) The superintendent of the state police department or the superintendent's designee.
- (4) The commissioner of the state department of health or the commissioner's designee.
- (5) The chairman of the alcohol and tobacco commission or the chairman's designee.
- (6) One (1) individual who is an elected sheriff who is appointed by the governor.
- (7) One (1) individual who is a member of the Midwest Hemp Council who is appointed by the governor.

(8) One (1) individual who has experience in hemp crop production who is appointed by the president of the Indiana Farm Bureau, Inc.

(9) One (1) individual who has experience in hemp production who is appointed by the president of Agribusiness Council of Indiana.

(10) One (1) individual who is a seed distributor with an active permit under [IC 15-15-1-34](#) and who sells agricultural hemp seed who is appointed by the president of Indiana Crop Improvement Association.

(11) The director of the department of financial institutions or the director's designee.

(c) The state seed commissioner is the chairperson of the advisory committee and is a nonvoting member.

(d) A member appointed to the advisory committee shall serve for a term of three (3) years.

(e) The advisory committee shall meet at the call of the chairperson but not less than one (1) time annually.

(f) A member may be appointed for consecutive terms.

(g) An appointing authority may replace a member at any time during the member's term to serve the remainder of the member's term.

As added by P.L.190-2019, SEC.1.

IC 15-11-15-4 Administrative staff and support

Sec. 4. The department shall provide administrative and staff support for the advisory committee.

As added by P.L.190-2019, SEC.1.

IC 15-11-15-5 Per diem and travel expenses

Sec. 5. (a) Each member of the board who is not a state employee is entitled to receive both:

(1) the minimum salary per diem; and

(2) reimbursement for travel expenses and other expenses actually incurred in connection with the member's duties;

as provided in the Purdue University travel policies and procedures established by the Purdue University department of transportation and approved by the Purdue University vice president of business services.

(b) Each member of the board who is a state employee is entitled to reimbursement for travel expenses as provided under [IC 4-13-1-4](#) and other expenses actually incurred in connection with the member's duties, as provided in the state travel policies and procedures established by the Indiana department of administration and approved by the budget agency.

As added by P.L.190-2019, SEC.1.

IC 15-11-15-6 Public meeting

Sec. 6. The advisory committee shall hold a public meeting to discuss and receive public comment regarding the plan described in [IC 15-15-13-15](#) before the plan is submitted to the United States Department of Agriculture under [IC 15-15-13-15](#).

As added by P.L.190-2019, SEC.1.

IC 15-11-15-7 Expiration

Sec. 7. This chapter expires July 1, 2021.

As added by P.L.190-2019, SEC.1.