Name:

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION - STATE

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Expiration:

No Members:

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Department:

Agriculture

Senate

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Compensation:

Actual expenses

Description:

One member shall be appointed from each agricultural district. Five members are appointed from the state at large, except that no more than three members may be appointed form any one agricultural district. No more than five members shall be from the same political party. Members of the commission must be appointed from persons currently or previously actively engaged in the business of agriculture. The commission is required to meet not less than once every three months.

Some of the functions of the commission include: formulation of general policy for the management of the Department of Agriculture, and the enforcement of regulatory and service laws pertaining to agriculture; inquiring into the needs of agriculture in Colorado and advising the Governor and the Commissioner of Agriculture on agricultural policy matters; promulgating and adopting all Department of Agriculture budgets for submission to the state controller.