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SENATE BILL NO. 722

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR COLEMAN.

KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To repeal sections 8.900, 109.005, 161.410, 191.905, 210.102, 253.092, 253.120, 253.380, 261.275, 265.180, 348.409, 444.810, 640.740, and 700.041, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof fifteen new sections relating to funds in the state treasury, with penalty provisions.

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

Section A. Sections 8.900, 109.005, 161.410, 191.905,
210.102, 253.092, 253.120, 253.380, 261.275, 265.180, 348.409,
444.810, 640.740, and 700.041, RSMo, are repealed and fifteen
new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections
8.900, 33.082, 109.005, 161.410, 191.905, 210.102, 253.092,
253.120, 253.380, 261.275, 265.180, 348.409, 444.810, 640.740,
and 700.041, to read as follows:

8.900. 1. A permanent memorial for workers who were
killed on the job in Missouri or who suffered an on-the-job
injury that resulted in a permanent disability shall be
established and located on the grounds of the state capitol.

There is hereby established in the state treasury 5 2. 6 the "Workers Memorial Fund". Gifts, grants and devises may be deposited in the workers memorial fund. 7 [Notwithstanding 8 the provisions of section 33.080, moneys in the fund shall 9 not revert to general revenue.] The state treasurer shall 10 invest the moneys from the fund in the same manner as other state funds are invested. Interest accruing to the fund 11

EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

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12 shall be deposited in the fund and shall not be transferred 13 to the general revenue fund.

The state treasurer shall, by no later than 33.082. 2 December thirty-first of each year, submit a report to the 3 general assembly detailing each fund established in the 4 state treasury from which a disbursement has not been made 5 during the five year period ending on June thirtieth of such 6 year, and whether or not any remaining moneys in such funds 7 have been transferred to the general revenue fund pursuant to section 33.080. 8

109.005. 1. There is hereby established in the state treasury a special fund to be known as the "State Document Preservation Fund". The fund shall consist of all moneys received from gifts, bequests, or contributions for the specific purpose of preserving legal, historical and genealogical materials and making them available to the public.

8 2. The state treasurer shall invest moneys in the 9 state document preservation fund in the same manner as 10 surplus state funds are invested pursuant to section 11 30.260. All earnings which result from the investment of 12 moneys in the state document preservation fund shall be 13 credited to the fund.

IA [3. Any unexpended balance in the state document
preservation fund at the end of any appropriation period
shall not be transferred to the general revenue fund of the
state treasury and, accordingly, shall be exempt from the
provisions of section 33.080 relating to the transfer of
funds to the general revenue fund of the state treasury.]

161.410. [1.] The executive director of the Missouri
commission for the deaf and hard of hearing shall administer
a revolving fund to be known as the "Missouri Commission for

4 the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Fund" which is hereby 5 established in the state treasury. The fund shall consist 6 of appropriations made by the general assembly, any gifts, contributions, grants, or bequests received from federal, 7 private, or other sources, and moneys transferred or paid to 8 9 the commission in return for goods and services provided by 10 the commission to any governmental entity or the public. The state treasurer shall approve all disbursements from the 11 fund for the purchase of goods or services at the request of 12 13 the executive director of the commission.

14 [2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080
15 to the contrary, moneys in the fund shall not revert to the
16 credit of the general revenue fund.]

191.905. 1. No health care provider shall knowingly
make or cause to be made a false statement or false
representation of a material fact in order to receive a
health care payment, including but not limited to:

5 (1) Knowingly presenting to a health care payer a 6 claim for a health care payment that falsely represents that 7 the health care for which the health care payment is claimed 8 was medically necessary, if in fact it was not;

9 (2) Knowingly concealing the occurrence of any event
10 affecting an initial or continued right under a medical
11 assistance program to have a health care payment made by a
12 health care payer for providing health care;

(3) Knowingly concealing or failing to disclose any information with the intent to obtain a health care payment to which the health care provider or any other health care provider is not entitled, or to obtain a health care payment in an amount greater than that which the health care provider or any other health care provider is entitled;

(4) Knowingly presenting a claim to a health care
payer that falsely indicates that any particular health care
was provided to a person or persons, if in fact health care
of lesser value than that described in the claim was
provided.

24 2. No person shall knowingly solicit or receive any
25 remuneration, including any kickback, bribe, or rebate,
26 directly or indirectly, overtly or covertly, in cash or in
27 kind in return for:

(1) Referring another person to a health care provider
for the furnishing or arranging for the furnishing of any
health care; or

31 (2) Purchasing, leasing, ordering or arranging for or32 recommending purchasing, leasing or ordering any health care.

33 3. No person shall knowingly offer or pay any
34 remuneration, including any kickback, bribe, or rebate,
35 directly or indirectly, overtly or covertly, in cash or in
36 kind, to any person to induce such person to refer another
37 person to a health care provider for the furnishing or
38 arranging for the furnishing of any health care.

39 4. Subsections 2 and 3 of this section shall not apply 40 to a discount or other reduction in price obtained by a 41 health care provider if the reduction in price is properly 42 disclosed and appropriately reflected in the claim made by 43 the health care provider to the health care payer, or any 44 amount paid by an employer to an employee for employment in 45 the provision of health care.

46 5. Exceptions to the provisions of subsections 2 and 3
47 of this section shall be provided for as authorized in 42
48 U.S.C. Section 1320a-7b(3)(E), as may be from time to time
49 amended, and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.

50 6. No person shall knowingly abuse a person receiving51 health care.

7. A person who violates subsections 1 to 3 of this 52 section is quilty of a class D felony upon his or her first 53 54 conviction, and shall be quilty of a class B felony upon his or her second and subsequent convictions. Any person who 55 has been convicted of such violations shall be referred to 56 57 the Office of Inspector General within the United States Department of Health and Human Services. The person so 58 59 referred shall be subject to the penalties provided for under 42 U.S.C. Chapter 7, Subchapter XI, Section 1320a-7. 60 A prior conviction shall be pleaded and proven as provided 61 by section 558.021. A person who violates subsection 6 of 62 this section shall be quilty of a class D felony, unless the 63 act involves no physical, sexual or emotional harm or injury 64 and the value of the property involved is less than five 65 hundred dollars, in which event a violation of subsection 6 66 of this section is a class A misdemeanor. 67

8. Any natural person who willfully prevents,
obstructs, misleads, delays, or attempts to prevent,
obstruct, mislead, or delay the communication of information
or records relating to a violation of sections 191.900 to
191.910 is guilty of a class E felony.

73 9. Each separate false statement or false 74 representation of a material fact proscribed by subsection 1 75 of this section or act proscribed by subsection 2 or 3 of 76 this section shall constitute a separate offense and a separate violation of this section, whether or not made at 77 the same or different times, as part of the same or separate 78 79 episodes, as part of the same scheme or course of conduct, 80 or as part of the same claim.

81 10. In a prosecution pursuant to subsection 1 of this 82 section, circumstantial evidence may be presented to 83 demonstrate that a false statement or claim was knowingly 84 made. Such evidence of knowledge may include but shall not 85 be limited to the following:

86 (1) A claim for a health care payment submitted with
87 the health care provider's actual, facsimile, stamped,
88 typewritten or similar signature on the claim for health
89 care payment;

90 (2) A claim for a health care payment submitted by91 means of computer billing tapes or other electronic means;

92 (3) A course of conduct involving other false claims93 submitted to this or any other health care payer.

Any person convicted of a violation of this 94 11. 95 section, in addition to any fines, penalties or sentences 96 imposed by law, shall be required to make restitution to the 97 federal and state governments, in an amount at least equal to that unlawfully paid to or by the person, and shall be 98 99 required to reimburse the reasonable costs attributable to 100 the investigation and prosecution pursuant to sections 101 191.900 to 191.910. All of such restitution shall be paid 102 and deposited to the credit of the "MO HealthNet Fraud 103 Reimbursement Fund", which is hereby established in the 104 state treasury. Moneys in the MO HealthNet fraud 105 reimbursement fund shall be divided and appropriated to the 106 federal government and affected state agencies in order to 107 refund moneys falsely obtained from the federal and state governments. All of such cost reimbursements attributable 108 109 to the investigation and prosecution shall be paid and 110 deposited to the credit of the "MO HealthNet Fraud Prosecution Revolving Fund", which is hereby established in 111 the state treasury. Moneys in the MO HealthNet fraud 112

113 prosecution revolving fund may be appropriated to the 114 attorney general, or to any prosecuting or circuit attorney 115 who has successfully prosecuted an action for a violation of sections 191.900 to 191.910 and been awarded such costs of 116 prosecution, in order to defray the costs of the attorney 117 general and any such prosecuting or circuit attorney in 118 connection with their duties provided by sections 191.900 to 119 120 191.910. No moneys shall be paid into the MO HealthNet 121 fraud protection revolving fund pursuant to this subsection 122 unless the attorney general or appropriate prosecuting or circuit attorney shall have commenced a prosecution pursuant 123 to this section, and the court finds in its discretion that 124 125 payment of attorneys' fees and investigative costs is 126 appropriate under all the circumstances, and the attorney 127 general and prosecuting or circuit attorney shall prove to 128 the court those expenses which were reasonable and necessary to the investigation and prosecution of such case, and the 129 130 court approves such expenses as being reasonable and 131 necessary. Any moneys remaining in the MO HealthNet fraud reimbursement fund after division and appropriation to the 132 federal government and affected state agencies shall be used 133 to increase MO HealthNet provider reimbursement until it is 134 at least one hundred percent of the Medicare provider 135 136 reimbursement rate for comparable services. [The provisions 137 of section 33.080 notwithstanding, moneys in the MO 138 HealthNet fraud prosecution revolving fund shall not lapse 139 at the end of the biennium.]

140 12. A person who violates subsections 1 to 3 of this 141 section shall be liable for a civil penalty of not less than 142 five thousand dollars and not more than ten thousand dollars 143 for each separate act in violation of such subsections, plus 144 three times the amount of damages which the state and

145 federal government sustained because of the act of that 146 person, except that the court may assess not more than two 147 times the amount of damages which the state and federal 148 government sustained because of the act of the person, if 149 the court finds:

(1) The person committing the violation of this
section furnished personnel employed by the attorney general
and responsible for investigating violations of sections
191.900 to 191.910 with all information known to such person
about the violation within thirty days after the date on
which the defendant first obtained the information;

156 (2) Such person fully cooperated with any government157 investigation of such violation; and

(3) At the time such person furnished the personnel of
the attorney general with the information about the
violation, no criminal prosecution, civil action, or
administrative action had commenced with respect to such
violation, and the person did not have actual knowledge of
the existence of an investigation into such violation.

164 13. Upon conviction pursuant to this section, the 165 prosecution authority shall provide written notification of 166 the conviction to all regulatory or disciplinary agencies 167 with authority over the conduct of the defendant health care 168 provider.

169 14. The attorney general may bring a civil action 170 against any person who shall receive a health care payment 171 as a result of a false statement or false representation of a material fact made or caused to be made by that person. 172 173 The person shall be liable for up to double the amount of 174 all payments received by that person based upon the false 175 statement or false representation of a material fact, and the reasonable costs attributable to the prosecution of the 176

177 civil action. All such restitution shall be paid and 178 deposited to the credit of the MO HealthNet fraud 179 reimbursement fund, and all such cost reimbursements shall be paid and deposited to the credit of the MO HealthNet 180 181 fraud prosecution revolving fund. No reimbursement of such 182 costs attributable to the prosecution of the civil action 183 shall be made or allowed except with the approval of the 184 court having jurisdiction of the civil action. No civil 185 action provided by this subsection shall be brought if 186 restitution and civil penalties provided by subsections 11 187 and 12 of this section have been previously ordered against 188 the person for the same cause of action.

189 15. Any person who discovers a violation by himself or 190 herself or such person's organization and who reports such 191 information voluntarily before such information is public or 192 known to the attorney general shall not be prosecuted for a 193 criminal violation.

210.102. 1. There is hereby established within the
department of elementary and secondary education the
"Coordinating Board for Early Childhood", which shall
constitute a body corporate and politic, and shall include,
but not be limited to, the following members:

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(1) A representative from the governor's office;

7 (2) A representative from each of the following
8 departments: health and senior services, mental health,
9 social services, and elementary and secondary education;

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(3) A representative of the judiciary;

11 (4) A representative of the family and community trust 12 board (FACT);

13 (5) A representative from the head start program; and
14 (6) Nine members appointed by the governor with the
15 advice and consent of the senate who are representatives of

16 the groups, such as business, philanthropy, civic groups, 17 faith-based organizations, parent groups, advocacy 18 organizations, early childhood service providers, and other 19 stakeholders.

20 The coordinating board may make all rules it deems necessary to enable it to conduct its meetings, elect its officers, 21 and set the terms and duties of its officers. 22 The coordinating board shall elect from amongst its members a 23 chairperson, vice chairperson, a secretary-reporter, and 24 25 such other officers as it deems necessary. Members of the board shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed 26 27 for actual expenses necessary to the performance of their official duties for the board. 28

29 2. The coordinating board for early childhood shall30 have the power to:

31 (1) Develop a comprehensive statewide long-range32 strategic plan for a cohesive early childhood system;

33 (2) Confer with public and private entities for the
34 purpose of promoting and improving the development of
35 children from birth through age five of this state;

36 (3) Identify legislative recommendations to improve37 services for children from birth through age five;

38 (4) Promote coordination of existing services and39 programs across public and private entities;

40 (5) Promote research-based approaches to services and41 ongoing program evaluation;

42 (6) Identify service gaps and advise public and43 private entities on methods to close such gaps;

44 (7) Apply for and accept gifts, grants,
45 appropriations, loans, or contributions to the coordinating
46 board for early childhood fund from any source, public or

47 private, and enter into contracts or other transactions with 48 any federal or state agency, any private organizations, or 49 any other source in furtherance of the purpose of subsection 50 1 of this section and this subsection, and take any and all 51 actions necessary to avail itself of such aid and 52 cooperation;

53 (8) Direct disbursements from the coordinating board54 for early childhood fund as provided in this section;

Administer the coordinating board for early 55 (9) 56 childhood fund and invest any portion of the moneys not required for immediate disbursement in obligations of the 57 United States or any agency or instrumentality of the United 58 States, in obligations of the state of Missouri and its 59 political subdivisions, in certificates of deposit and time 60 deposits, or other obligations of banks and savings and loan 61 62 associations, or in such other obligations as may be prescribed by the board; 63

64 (10) Purchase, receive, take by grant, gift, devise,
65 bequest or otherwise, lease, or otherwise acquire, own,
66 hold, improve, employ, use, and otherwise deal with real or
67 personal property or any interests therein, wherever
68 situated;

69 (11) Sell, convey, lease, exchange, transfer or
70 otherwise dispose of all or any of its property or any
71 interest therein, wherever situated;

72 (12) Employ and fix the compensation of an executive 73 director and such other agents or employees as it considers 74 necessary;

75 (13) Adopt, alter, or repeal by its own bylaws, rules, 76 and regulations governing the manner in which its business 77 may be transacted;

78 (14) Adopt and use an official seal;

79 (15) Assess or charge fees as the board determines to 80 be reasonable to carry out its purposes; 81 (16) Make all expenditures which are incident and 82 necessary to carry out its purposes; 83 (17) Sue and be sued in its official name;

84 (18) Take such action, enter into such agreements, and
85 exercise all functions necessary or appropriate to carry out
86 the duties and purposes set forth in this section.

87 3. There is hereby created the "Coordinating Board for88 Early Childhood Fund" which shall consist of the following:

89 (1) Any moneys appropriated by the general assembly
90 for use by the board in carrying out the powers set out in
91 subsections 1 and 2 of this section;

92 (2) Any moneys received from grants or which are93 given, donated, or contributed to the fund from any source;

94 (3) Any moneys received as fees authorized under95 subsections 1 and 2 of this section;

96 (4) Any moneys received as interest on deposits or as 97 income on approved investments of the fund;

98 (5) Any moneys obtained from any other available99 source.

100 [Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080 to the 101 contrary, any moneys remaining in the coordinating board for 102 early childhood fund at the end of the biennium shall not 103 revert to the credit of the general revenue fund.]

253.092. 1. There is hereby created in the state
treasury the "Arrow Rock State Historic Site Endowment
Fund". The fund shall be administered by the Missouri
department of natural resources. All moneys, funds, or
other assets acquired for purposes of this section shall be
deposited with the state treasurer to the credit of the

7 fund. All income, interest, rights, or rent earned through 8 the operation of the fund shall also be credited to the 9 fund. All other property, real and personal, acquired through any grant, gift, donation, devise, or bequest 10 specified for the Arrow Rock state historic site endowment 11 fund for purposes stated in this section shall also be 12 13 deposited in the fund. The original bequest of Bill and 14 Cora Lee Miller made in the amount of twenty-one thousand nine hundred sixty-five dollars and ninety-two cents to the 15 16 state park earnings fund is hereby transferred into the Arrow Rock state historic site endowment fund. 17

2. The Arrow Rock state historic site endowment fund 18 shall be used for the enhancement of Arrow Rock state 19 historic site's public interpretive programs, and may be 20 used by the Missouri department of natural resources for the 21 22 preparation of museum exhibits, acquisition of artifacts, 23 publication of information, payment of fees for exhibits or 24 lectures, or other similar interpretive needs at Arrow Rock 25 state historic site and for no other purpose.

3. The state treasurer shall be the custodian of all moneys, bonds, securities, or interests and rights therein deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the Arrow Rock state historic site endowment fund and shall invest the moneys in the fund in a manner as provided by law.

31 Until January 1, 2100, the Missouri department of 4. 32 natural resources may annually expend an amount equal to one-33 half of the interest earned by the Arrow Rock state historic site endowment fund in the immediately preceding fiscal year 34 for the purposes stated in this section. Beginning January 35 1, 2100, and thereafter the Missouri department of natural 36 resources may annually expend an amount equal to the 37 interest earned by the Arrow Rock state historic site 38

39 endowment fund in the immediately preceding fiscal year, for 40 the purposes stated in this section.

5. Funds from the Arrow Rock state historic site
endowment fund shall be expended only upon appropriation by
the general assembly. [Notwithstanding the provisions of
section 33.080 to the contrary, funds appropriated, but not
expended by the end of the fiscal year, shall revert to the
Arrow Rock state historic site endowment fund.]

253.120. 1. The endowment fund authorized by section 2 2, Laws of Missouri 1925, page 136, shall be maintained by the department of natural resources as a permanent endowment 3 for the maintenance of the Confederate Memorial Park. 4 The 5 department of natural resources may accept gifts, donations, or bequests for the maintenance of the memorial park and for 6 7 the endowment fund until the fund reaches the sum of seventy-8 five thousand dollars. The department of natural resources 9 may sell, convey or otherwise convert into money any 10 property received and shall invest all moneys of the 11 endowment fund and use the income therefrom for the maintenance of the park, but the principal shall remain 12 intact as a permanent endowment fund. 13

14 2. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the
15 contrary, any moneys remaining in the endowment fund as of
16 June 30, 2026, shall be transferred to the general revenue
17 fund pursuant to section 33.080.

253.380. 1. The state of Missouri may accept in trust
a sum of money or other valuable assets to be held for a
period of one hundred years in interest-bearing investments
as a permanent endowment fund for the benefit and
development of the Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State
Gardens. There is hereby created the "Pansy Johnson-Travis
Memorial State Gardens Trust Fund" in the state treasury.

8 All money, funds, and securities given, bequested, or 9 devised to the state of Missouri by Miss Pansy Johnson for 10 the benefit of the Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens and all other property, real and personal, acquired 11 through any grant, gift, donation, devise or bequest to or 12 for the use of the state of Missouri for such purpose shall 13 14 be deposited in the Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens trust fund as a permanent endowment. All income, 15 interest, rights or rent earned through the operation of the 16 17 fund shall also be credited to the fund. The money, bonds, and other securities of the fund shall be kept safely 18 invested for a period of one hundred years after receipt of 19 20 the first payment or installment into the fund so as to earn a reasonable return. The state treasurer shall select such 21 investments as are permitted by the laws of Missouri and 22 shall make such investments as he deems reasonable and 23 24 prudent.

2. Upon the expiration of one hundred years from the 25 26 date of the receipt of the first payment or receipt into the Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens trust fund, the 27 governor of the state of Missouri shall designate the 28 appropriate state agency to utilize the money in the fund to 29 establish, develop and maintain the Pansy Johnson-Travis 30 31 Memorial State Gardens. The Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens shall be in the nature of a permanent place of 32 33 natural beauty and recreation and may take the form of a 34 botanical garden, flower garden or fountain park. The Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens shall be located east 35 of the Gasconade River in that area of the state which was 36 Maries County as it existed in 1985 as described in section 37 46.111, as such section existed on August 13, 1986. 38

39 3. The Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens 40 shall be designed as a place of beauty utilizing flowers, 41 shrubs, and trees to include scenic pathways and rest areas but shall not contain playgrounds, campgrounds, cooking 42 facilities, or other physical recreational facilities 43 normally found in state parks and recreational areas. 44 Α 45 suitable marker shall be installed in the gardens 46 identifying the area as follows:

47 Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens dedicated to the residents of 48 Maries County, Missouri. 49 50 In memory of Martin V. Johnson 51 Malissie Travis Palmer Ina Travis Johnson William James Travis 52 53 Ora Johnson Klein Jesse Hall Travis

4. The state treasurer shall be the custodian of all money, bonds, securities or interests and rights therein deposited in the Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens trust fund and he and his sureties are responsible for his official bond for the faithful performance of his duties in the safekeeping of all money or property in the fund.

Eighty-five years after the date of the receipt of 60 5. the first payment or receipt into the Pansy Johnson-Travis 61 62 Memorial State Gardens trust fund, the governor shall 63 appoint a planning board to begin planning and development 64 of the Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens, including the advance acquisition of land, but the actual 65 construction of the gardens shall not commence until the 66 expiration of one hundred years after the date of the 67 receipt of the first payment or receipt into the trust 68

69 fund. The board shall consist of the state treasurer or his 70 designee, the person responsible for the operation of the 71 state park program or his designee, and three citizens of 72 this state who are residents of the area in which the Pansy 73 Johnson-Travis Memorial State Gardens will be located as 74 provided in subsection 2 of this section.

Funds for the Pansy Johnson-Travis Memorial State
trust fund shall be expended only upon appropriation by the
general assembly.

78 7. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the 79 contrary, any moneys remaining in the trust fund established 80 pursuant to this section as of June 30, 2026, shall be 81 transferred to the general revenue fund pursuant to section 82 33.080.

261.275. 1. There is hereby created in the state 2 treasury the "Missouri Dairy Industry Revitalization Fund", 3 which shall consist of moneys appropriated to the fund. The state treasurer shall be custodian of the fund. 4 In accordance with sections 30.170 and 30.180, the state 5 treasurer may approve disbursements of the fund. Upon 6 appropriation by the general assembly, moneys in the fund 7 8 shall be used solely to enhance and improve Missouri's dairy 9 and dairy processing industries in the manner provided for 10 in sections 261.270 to 261.295. [Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080 to the contrary, any moneys 11 12 remaining in the fund at the end of the biennium shall not revert to the credit of the general revenue fund.] 13 The state treasurer shall invest moneys in the fund in the same 14 manner as other funds are invested. Any interest and moneys 15 earned on such investments shall be credited to the fund. 16 2. Moneys appropriated from the general revenue fund 17

18 to the Missouri dairy industry revitalization fund shall not

19 exceed forty percent of the estimated sales tax revenue 20 generated in the state from the sale of dairy products 21 during the preceding fiscal year, calculated under 22 subsection 3 of this section, and shall be expended in the 23 following order of priority:

24 (1) First, to the dairy producer margin insurance25 premium assistance program created under section 261.280;

26 (2) Second, to the Missouri dairy scholars program27 created under section 261.285; and

28 (3) Third, to the commercial agriculture program29 created under section 261.290.

30 3. Each fiscal year the University of Missouri shall 31 conduct research, or contract with an independent research company to conduct research, to determine the estimated 32 sales tax revenue generated in the state from the sale of 33 dairy products. The cost for such calculation shall be paid 34 out of the Missouri dairy industry revitalization fund. 35 The 36 estimated sales tax revenue generated in the state from the 37 sale of dairy products shall be provided to the department of agriculture by October first of each year. 38

265.180. 1. All moneys received by the director under the provisions of section 265.150 shall be paid to the state treasurer to be credited to the "Apple Merchandising Fund" which is hereby created.

5 2. All moneys credited to the apple merchandising fund 6 shall be appropriated by the general assembly only for the 7 purposes as herein set forth, to be used exclusively for the 8 administration and enforcement of sections 265.130 to 9 265.210, including the collection of fees, the payment for 10 personal services and expenses of employees and agents of 11 the director, and the payment of rent, services, materials

12 and supplies necessary to effectuate the purposes and object 13 of sections 265.130 to 265.210.

14 [3. The unexpended balance in the apple merchandising 15 fund at the end of the biennium shall not be transferred to 16 the ordinary revenue fund of the state treasury and 17 accordingly shall be exempt from the provisions of section 18 33.080 relating to the transfer of funds to the ordinary 19 revenue funds of the state by the state treasurer.]

348.409. 1. There is hereby established in the state treasury the "Agricultural Product Utilization and Business Development Loan Guarantee Fund". The fund shall consist of money appropriated to it by the general assembly, charges, gifts, grants, bequests from federal, private or other sources, and investment income on the fund.

7 [Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080, no
8 portion of the fund shall be transferred to the general
9 revenue fund.]

All moneys received by the authority for payments
 made on previously defaulted guaranteed loans shall be paid
 promptly into the state treasury and deposited in the fund.

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3. The fund shall be administered by the authority.

4. Beginning with fiscal year 1997-98, the general
assembly may appropriate moneys not to exceed two and onehalf million dollars for the establishment and initial
funding of the fund.

18 5. Moneys in the fund, both unobligated and obligated 19 as a reserve, which in the judgment of the authority are not 20 currently needed for payments of defaults of guaranteed 21 loans, may be invested by the state treasurer, and any 22 income therefrom shall be deposited to the credit of the 23 fund.

444.810. 1. The commission may:

2 (1) Adopt and promulgate rules and regulations
3 respecting the administration and enforcement of this law
4 and in conformity therewith;

5 (2) Encourage and conduct investigations, research,
6 experiments and demonstrations, and collect and disseminate
7 information relating to surface coal mining and reclamation
8 and conservation of lands and waters affected by surface
9 coal mining;

10 (3) Examine and pass on all applications and plans and 11 specifications submitted by the operator for the method of 12 operation and for the reclamation and conservation of the 13 area of land affected by the operation;

14 (4) Make investigations and inspections which are15 necessary to ensure compliance;

16 (5) Conduct hearings and administer oaths or17 affirmations and subpoena witnesses to the inquiry;

(6) Order the suspension or revocation of any permit, or the cessation of operations for failure to comply with any of the provisions of this law, rules and regulations, reclamation plans, permit conditions, or any order of the commission;

(7) Order forfeiture of any bond for failure to comply with any provisions of this law, rules or regulations, reclamation plans, permit conditions or any order of the commission;

(8) Cause to be instituted in any court of competent
jurisdiction legal proceedings for injunction or other
appropriate relief to enforce this law, rules and
regulations, reclamation plans, permit conditions, or any
order of the commission;

32 (9) Retain, employ, provide for, and compensate,
33 within the limits of appropriations made for that purpose,

34 such consultants, assistants, deputies, clerks, and other 35 employees on full- or part-time basis as may be necessary to 36 carry out the provisions of this law and prescribe the times 37 at which they shall be appointed and their powers and 38 duties; and when appropriate, contract for such professional 39 or technical services as necessary;

40 (10) Study and develop plans for the reclamation of
41 lands that have been mined prior to August 3, 1977, and
42 those described in subsection 3 of section 444.915;

43 (11) Accept, receive and administer grants or other funds or gifts from public and private agencies and 44 individuals, including the federal government, for the 45 46 purpose of carrying out any of the functions of this law, including the reclamation of lands mined prior to August 3, 47 1977. Funds received by the commission for the purpose of 48 reclaiming lands mined prior to August 3, 1977, shall be 49 50 deposited with the state treasurer and credited to the "Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund" which is hereby created. 51 52 After appropriation by the general assembly, the money in 53 this fund shall be expended for the purposes authorized. Any portion of the fund not immediately needed for the 54 purposes authorized shall be invested by the state treasurer 55 as provided by the constitution and laws of this state. 56 All income from such investments shall, unless otherwise 57 prohibited by the constitution of this state, be deposited 58 in the abandoned mine land reclamation fund. 59 [Any 60 unexpended balance in such fund at the end of any appropriation period shall not be transferred to the general 61 revenue fund of the state treasury and, accordingly, shall 62 63 be exempt from the provisions of section 33.080.] The 64 commission may promulgate such rules and regulations or

65 enter into such contracts as it may deem necessary for 66 carrying out the provisions of this subdivision;

67 (12) Budget and receive duly appropriated moneys for
68 expenditures to carry out the provisions and purposes of
69 this law;

70 (13) Prepare and file a biennial report with the 71 governor and members of the general assembly;

(14) Enter into cooperative agreements with the
appropriate federal officer or agency to provide for state
regulation of surface coal mining and reclamation operations
on federal lands within the state.

76 2. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated under the
77 authority of sections 444.800 to 444.970 shall become
78 effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the
79 provisions of section 536.024.

640.740. There is hereby established in the state 2 treasury the "Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation Indemnity Fund", to be known as the "fund" for the purposes 3 of sections 640.740 to 640.747. All fees or other moneys 4 payable pursuant to the provisions of section 640.745 or 5 6 other moneys received including gifts, grants, 7 appropriations, and bequests from federal, private or other 8 sources made for the purpose of the provisions of this act 9 shall be payable to and collected by the director of the 10 department of natural resources and deposited in this fund. 11 The money in this fund, upon appropriation, shall be expended to close class IA, class IB, class IC and class II 12 concentrated animal feeding operations as defined in the 13 department's rules, that have been placed in the control of 14 the government due to bankruptcy or failure to pay property 15 taxes, or if the class IA, class IB, class IC or class II 16 concentrated animal feeding operation is abandoned 17

18 property. "Abandoned property", for the purposes of this section, means real property previously used for, or which 19 20 has the potential to be used for, agricultural purposes which has been placed in the control of the state, a county, 21 or municipal government, or an agency thereof, through 22 23 donation, purchase, tax delinquency, foreclosure, default or 24 settlement, including conveyance by deed in lieu of 25 foreclosure, and has been vacant for a period of not less than three years. Any portion of the fund not immediately 26 27 needed for the purposes authorized shall be invested by the state treasurer as provided by the Constitution and laws of 28 this state. All income from such investments shall be 29 deposited in the fund. [Any unexpended balance in the fund 30 at the end of any appropriation period shall not be 31 transferred to the general revenue fund and, accordingly, 32 shall be exempt from the provisions of section 33.080 33 34 relating to the transfer of funds to the general revenue 35 funds of the state by the state treasurer.]

700.041. 1. There is hereby established a fund in the 2 state treasury to be known as the "Manufactured Housing Consumer Recovery Fund" for the purpose of paying consumer 3 claims under procedures the commission may promulgate by 4 5 The public service commission shall administer the rule. 6 manufactured housing consumer recovery fund and all moneys in the fund shall be used solely as prescribed in this 7 8 section. Any interest earned from the investment of moneys 9 in the fund shall be credited to the fund.

10 2. Claims approved by the commission under law may be
11 paid from the fund subject to appropriation. No claims
12 shall be considered by the commission until all other legal
13 remedies have been exhausted. The commission shall
14 establish an advisory committee to assist with the

15 evaluation of all claims filed by consumers. The committee members shall be volunteers and serve without compensation. 16 [3. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080 17 to the contrary, moneys in the manufactured housing consumer 18 recovery fund shall not be transferred to the credit of the 19 20 general revenue fund at the end of the biennium; however, the total amount in the manufactured housing consumer 21 22 recovery fund shall not exceed thirty-two percent of the 23 amount of the annual appropriation of the manufactured 24 housing fund from the preceding fiscal year. Moneys in the manufactured housing consumer recovery fund may be 25 transferred back to the manufactured housing fund by 26 appropriation.] 27

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