

2 **H. B. 4135**

3 (By Delegate(s) Brown, Poling, D., Fleischauer, Talbott and  
4 Overington)

5 [Introduced January 19, 2012; referred to the Committee on  
6 Agriculture then the Judiciary.]

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10 A BILL to amend and reenact article 9, chapter 64 of the Code of  
11 West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to authorizing the  
12 Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule  
13 relating to the inspection of meat and poultry.

14 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

15 That article 9, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931,  
16 as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

17 **ARTICLE 9. AUTHORIZATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS AGENCIES AND BOARDS TO**  
18 **PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

19 **§64-9-1. Commissioner of Agriculture.**

20 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on the  
21 twenty-seventh day of July, two thousand eleven, authorized under  
22 the authority of section three, article two-b, chapter nineteen, of  
23 this code, relating to the Commissioner of Agriculture (inspection  
24 of meat and poultry, [61 CSR 16](#)), is authorized.

1           NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the  
2 Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule  
3 relating to the Inspection of Meat and Poultry.  
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5           This section is new; therefore, strike-throughs and  
6 underscoring have been omitted.