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AN ACT to amend and reenact §19-1-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating
 to employees of the Commissioner of Agriculture.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 1. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

§19-1-3. Employees; itemized statement of expenditures; monthly statement and payment of moneys received by commissioner.

1 (a) The commissioner shall organize his or her department and may employ a general 2 counsel and other such legal, business, science professionals, para-professionals, technical 3 experts, and support staff as may be necessary to perform the duties of the office and shall fix 4 their compensation, and may require them to give bond for the faithful performance of their duties. 5 (b) It shall be the duty of the commissioner to certify to the State Auditor, from time to time, 6 an itemized account of all expenditures made by him or her for clerk hire and other purposes, 7 whereupon the Auditor shall draw his or her warrant on the State Treasurer for the payment 8 thereof out of the funds appropriated by the Legislature for that purpose, but in no case to exceed 9 such appropriation.

(c) The commissioner shall, within 10 days after the expiration of each month, submit to
the Auditor and Treasurer an itemized statement of all moneys received by him during that month,
and at the same time pay such money into the State Treasury.

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The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Member Chairman, Senate Committee

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President of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Delegates

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