

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS25761C1

This legislation will allow inmate labor to work for private employers in the production, harvesting and processing of Idaho agricultural products. Agricultural products include horticultural, viticulture, forestry, dairy, livestock, poultry, bee and any farm products.

FISCAL NOTE

There will be no fiscal impact on the General Fund. The revision to the statute will operate financially the same as the perishable food program. The program will pay for itself through billing the agricultural employer and dispersing the funds to the inmate worker, Idaho Department of Corrections and Correctional Industries. All program costs incurred by the IDOC and ICI will be covered through the billing of the agricultural employer.

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