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Senate Bill 153

BY SENATOR MAYNARD

[Introduced January 13, 2016;

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural
Development; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact article 9, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as
2 amended, relating to authorizing the Department of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative
3 rule relating to livestock care standards.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

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

§64-9-1. Department of Agriculture .

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 31, 2015, authorized under the
2 authority of section four, article one-c, chapter nineteen, of this code, modified by the Department
3 of Agriculture to meet the objections of the Legislative Rule-making Review Committee and refiled
4 in the State Register on November 5, 2015, relating to the Department of Agriculture (livestock
5 care standards, 61 [CSR 31](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Department of Agriculture to promulgate
a legislative rule relating to Livestock Care Standards.

This section is new; therefore, strike-throughs and underscoring have been omitted.