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TO: Editor Arkansas Democrat-Gazette

FROM: Terry Walker, Director

SUBJECT: Legal Notice

Please publish the enclosed legal notice in the August 19 - 21, 2017 issues of the Arkansas Democrat-Gazette. Please bill us in the usual manner.

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Enclosures

CC: Wade Hodge, Attorney, Arkansas Agriculture Department
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Legal Notice

State Plant Board Quarterly Meeting and Public Hearing

The Arkansas State Plant Board will meet at 1:30 p.m., September 21, 2017 at the State Plant Board offices, #1 Natural Resources Drive, Little Rock, AR.

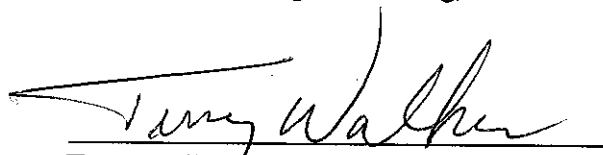
1. **Public Hearing.** The hearing will be to consider changes to the Pesticide Enforcement Response Regulations. The proposed regulations would amend the Enforcement Response Regulations in accordance with Act 778 of 2017 that increases the maximum civil penalty from \$1,000 to \$25,000 for egregious violations from applications of Dicamba, or an Auxin containing herbicide, or any new herbicide technology released after August 01, 2017.

Comments may be mailed to: Attn: Susie Nichols or Brandi Reynolds, Arkansas State Plant Board, P.O. Box 1069, Little Rock, AR 72203. Mailed comments will be accepted until the close of business **Tuesday, September 19, 2017**. Anyone wishing to make comments in person may attend the hearing and they will be afforded the opportunity to present those comments.

The proposed rule change may be viewed on the Plant Board web page at:
<http://www.aad.arkansas.gov/arkansas-state-plant-board>.

2. Approval of Board meeting minutes.
3. Approval of pest control exam grades.
4. Standing Committee Reports.
5. Election of Officers
6. Other business.

Board meetings are open to the public. For further information concerning the meeting, contact Terry Walker, Director, at 501-225-1598.



Terry Walker/Director
Arkansas State Plant Board