# **National Association of State Departments of Agriculture**



## Requires 2/3 Vote

# **Subject of Action Item I:**

USDA's Animal & Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) Indemnity and Compensation Program

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## **Corresponding Policy Section & Statement:**

12.2 Farm Income and Production Stability - NASDA recognizes the opportunities and risks of the market economy and uncontrollable conditions that threaten farm income and production stability. We encourage modern, comprehensive risk management tools encompassing commodity programs, marketing, and crop insurance programs vital to maintaining an affordable, reliable food supply.

 NASDA believes federal policies should support and ensure farm profit viability and production stability.

#### **Text of Action Item:**

NASDA urges Congress to enact comprehensive legislation that supports the USDA's Animal & Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) indemnity and compensation program for foreign animal disease outbreaks by streamlining and expanding the program by urging passage of the HPAI Act.

Adopted: February 26, 2025