

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 3 (HB 173)

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Prior law requires that one cent of the four-cent per bushel tax collected be disbursed by the commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry when authorized by a majority of the La. Sweet Potato Advertising and Development Commission.

New law increases the amount of the four-cent bushel tax collected from one cent of the four-cent bushel tax to two cents of the four-cent bushel tax.

Prior law requires that the La. Sweet Potato Association receive one-fourth of the amount collected for disbursement.

New law decreases the disbursement percentage from one-fourth of the amount collected to one-eighth of the amount collected.

Prior law requires that the La. Agricultural Experiment Station receive three-fourths of the amount collected for disbursement.

New law increases the disbursement percentage from three-fourths of the amount collected to seven-eighths of the amount collected.

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(Amends R.S. 3:1746(C))