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LT. GOVERNOR

April 25, 2003

The Honorable Chester Culver  
Secretary of State  
State Capitol Building  
LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

**House File 493**, an Act relating to the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship by providing for the elimination of administrative requirements.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Vilsack".

Thomas J. Vilsack  
Governor

TJV:jmc

cc: Secretary of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House





HOUSE FILE 493

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP BY PROVIDING FOR THE  
ELIMINATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 159.5, subsections 12 and 15, Code  
2003, are amended by striking the subsections.

Sec. 2. Section 161A.11, Code 2003, is repealed.

CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS

Speaker of the House

MARY E. KRAMER

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and  
is known as House File 493, Eightieth General Assembly.

MARGARET THOMSON

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved September 25, 2003

THOMAS J. VILSACK

Governor