

## RESOLUTION # 44

### STAFF AUTHORIZATION

1           **WHEREAS**, we, the delegates to the 101<sup>st</sup> State Agricultural Convention are  
2 gathered in Atlantic City, New Jersey, on February 10-11, 2016, to discuss issues  
3 related to state agricultural policy for the coming year and to express the outcome of  
4 those discussions in the form of resolutions; and

5           **WHEREAS**, the resolutions being discussed have been presented to the  
6 assembled delegates by the Resolutions Committee and others representing the  
7 interests covered in the resolutions; and

8           **WHEREAS**, the assembled delegates are expected to offer suggestions from the  
9 floor as to amendments to those drafts, which suggestions will be incorporated into the  
10 final versions of these resolutions by designated New Jersey Department of Agriculture  
11 staff members; and

12          **WHEREAS**, additional resolutions for which no drafts have been written may be  
13 brought to the floor by delegates throughout these proceedings and, if approved by a  
14 majority of the delegates, must be memorialized in written form.

15          **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that we, the delegates to the 101<sup>st</sup>  
16 State Agricultural Convention, assembled in Atlantic City, New Jersey, on February 10-  
17 11, 2016, do hereby authorize the appropriate New Jersey Department of Agriculture  
18 staff to incorporate into the resolutions the suggestions offered by delegates in language  
19 they deem appropriate, provided such language does not change in any substantive way  
20 the meaning or intent of the resolutions adopted by the delegates.

21          **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that we authorize appropriate NJDA staff to  
22 finalize the resolutions that are adopted by correcting typographical or other errors,  
23 provided that such corrections do not change in any substantive way the resolutions.

24                   **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that we authorize the designated New Jersey  
25                   Department of Agriculture staff to draft and finalize the language of additional resolutions  
26                   brought to the floor during these discussions, provided that language accurately reflects  
27                   the meaning and intent of the delegates' proposed resolutions.