

2025 Food Producers of Idaho – Legislative Summary

68th Idaho Legislature, First Session

* All Legislation that Food Producers of Idaho takes a position on will be tracked for the FP Scorecard.

Shading indicates Food Producers' latest action on legislation.

Bill #	Description	House	Senate	Final
H11	Adds to existing law to provide for crimes regarding illegal entry into this state, to provide for an order to return to a foreign nation, and to provide for civil immunity for and indemnification of local government and state officials, employees, and contractors regarding immigration.	State Affairs		
* H12 FP OPPOSES	Amends and adds to existing law to revise provisions regarding who may own certain property, to provide for prohibition on lease or purchase of certain land or dwellings, and to provide for prohibition on access to state assets.	State Affairs		
H24	This bill establishes labeling requirements for alternative animal protein products sold in Idaho, such as lab-grown meat and insect-based proteins. It mandates clear front-of-package disclosures, specifies ingredient listing standards, and outlines penalties for non-compliance, with enforcement managed by the Idaho Department of Agriculture.	Agriculture Affairs		
H63	This legislation expands on current code where foreign governments will now be prohibited from purchasing any Idaho forest land, in addition to the already prohibition in purchasing agricultural land, water rights, mining claims or mineral rights. Any foreign adversary is also under the same prohibitions, but under this legislation, the foreign adversary that owns any of these lands or resources must sell within 180 days of notice. If they do not sell, the land or resources will be sold by judicial foreclosure. Also, no foreign adversary may purchase or lease any property within the certain geographic boundaries to establish secure military operations areas	State Affairs		
*S1011 FP SUPPORTS	This legislation would establish the requirement that at least one member of a Winter Feeding Advisory Committee be an agricultural producer. It also establishes the requirement that all members reside in the Idaho Department of Fish and Game's district where the committee is formed.		Resource and Envir	
*S1012 FP SUPPORTS	Amends and adds to existing law to establish the Idaho Depredating Wildlife Appeals Board and to exempt the board from open meeting requirements.		Resource and Envir	
*S1013 FP SUPPORTS	This bill brings from rule what must be taught in a hunter and trapping education course while also consolidating the requirements. It adds the requirement that students must receive instruction on trespassing and personal and real property tampering laws. The bill also allows individuals to trap under the supervision of a certified guide without the individual being certified themselves. This allows the individual to receive hands on instruction and take the animals trapped without having to wait months to take a trapping education course. If that individual ever wishes to trap independently, they will still have to take the trapper education course but will have the additional experience.		Resource and Envir	
*S1016 FP SUPPORTS	Amends and adds to existing law to revise provisions regarding certain fees. S1016 adjusts statutory fee caps within several sections of Title 25 Chapter 11 and 33 Idaho Code, and to add language clarifying the Brand Board's ability and process of regulating fees under the statutory caps. Secondly, the legislation introduces language within 25-1161 i.c. allowing the Board to retain interest accrued on the Board's dedicate State Brand Board Account.		Agriculture Affairs	
*S1033 FP SUPPORTS	Idaho Right to Farm Act protects agriculture as one of the foundations of our economy and the Idaho way of life. The Act protects lawfully conducted agricultural operations but lacks the practical protections for meritless lawsuits or complaints. This legislation provides that if a lawsuit alleging nuisance is filed against a lawfully conducted agricultural operation and the agriculture operator prevails, then they are entitled to recover their attorney's fees. It also provides fines and penalties for filing multiple meritless complaints with applicable state and local agencies.		Agriculture Affairs	