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### INDIANA STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

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The Indiana State Ethics Commission  
315 W. Ohio Street, Room 104  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

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**Notice of receipt of expenses from a person that may have a business relationship with the Indiana State Board of Animal Health or who may be seeking to influence an action by the employee or special state appointee in his or her official capacity. 42 IAC 1-5-1**

**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Animal Health

**Name of Recipient:** Michael D. Kopp, D.V.M., Director of the Avian Division

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received:** Registration, transportation, lodging, and food for attending the International Poultry Exposition, including the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) General Conference Committee meeting.

**Date of Receipt:** January 28, 2018 through February 2, 2018

**Name of Donor:** Indiana State Poultry Association (ISPA)

**Donor's Address:** Purdue University, 1151 Lilly Hall, W. Lafayette, IN 47907

**Nature of Business Relationship with Agency:** The ISPA and the BOAH cooperate in implementing the National Poultry Improvement Plan (IC 15-17-10-15). ISPA member companies are subject to BOAH regulatory jurisdiction (IC 15-17).

**Why Acceptance is in the Public Interest:** Dr. Kopp is the Director of the Avian Health Division at the Board of Animal Health. The primary method by which the Board regulates avian health in the state is through participation in the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP). Dr. Kopp serves as Indiana's delegate to the NPIP General Conference Committee meeting. Delegates will vote at the NPIP meeting on changes in national avian health policy that will directly affect the Board of Animal Health programs and the poultry industry in the state. Dr. Kopp's participation at this conference is directly related to his duties at the BOAH. BOAH and ISPA interests in these issues are not adverse.

**Approved by:**

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I am submitting to the State Ethics Commission the attached approval of a receipt of expenses.

Please contact me if you need anything.

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