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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 789**

Introduced by Erdman, 47.

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Committee: Agriculture

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to the Agricultural Opportunities and  
2 Value-Added Partnerships Act; to amend section 2-5420,  
3 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change a  
4 grant requirement; and to repeal the original section.

5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           Section 1. Section 2-5420, Revised Statutes Cumulative  
2 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:

3           2-5420 To be eligible for a grant under the Agricultural  
4 Opportunities and Value-Added Partnerships Act, an applicant shall:

5           (1) Document a matching amount in money ~~or in-kind~~  
6 ~~contributions or a combination of both~~ equal to fifty percent of  
7 the grant funds requested if the grant will be used to acquire or  
8 lease a building or equipment to be used in a farming or ranching  
9 operation or in a private enterprise or twenty-five percent of the  
10 grant funds requested for all other grants;

11           (2) Specify measurable goals and expected outcomes for  
12 the project for which the grant funds are requested; and

13           (3) Specify an evaluation and impact assessment process  
14 or procedure for the project for which the grant funds are  
15 requested.

16           Sec. 2. Original section 2-5420, Revised Statutes  
17 Cumulative Supplement, 2006, is repealed.