

**Idaho State Department of Agriculture**  
**IDAPA 02.06.01 - Rules Governing the Production and Distribution of Seed**  
**September 18, 2019**  
**Lloyd Knight, Facilitator**

Present: Benjamin Kelly, Food Producers of Idaho; Doug Boze, Idaho Crop Improvement Association; Jeremy Varley, ISDA; Jared Stuart, ISDA; Elizabeth Vavricka, ISDA; Pamm Juker, ISDA; Brian Oakey, ISDA; Katy DeVries, Office of Attorney General – ISDA; Nic Zurfluh, ISDA; Lloyd Knight, ISDA; Janis Perry, ISDA.

**AGENDA ITEMS**

**WELCOME**

Lloyd Knight convened the meeting at 9:55 a.m. He explained that this is a combination of three rules into one chapter. The code sites were reviewed and redundant language eliminated. Since this is not the normal time of year for negotiated rulemaking, no substantive changes were made. The comment period ends September 20. The proposed rule will be published in the November Bulletin. He explained that the involvement of stakeholders in the legislative process is important and thanked those who attended the meeting.

Lloyd Knight showed on the website where to find the rules that are being combined. The rules being combined into “IDAPA 02.06.01 Rules Governing the Production and Distribution of Seed” include: IDAPA 02.06.01 Rules Governing the Pure Seed Law; IDAPA 02.06.13 Rules Relating to Rapeseed Production and Rapeseed Districts; and IDAPA 02.06.14 Rules Governing Bluegrass.

Benjamin Kelly asked about canola growing in Canyon County. Jared Stuart responded that inspectors had checked on that, but not ever found any.

Lloyd Knight suggested that the division could do a presentation for Food Producers regarding the combination rules. Benjamin Kelly suggested that the December meeting would be good.

Lloyd explained that this rule includes the bluegrass rule that was combined in June. He mentioned that the address for the seed lab was updated.

Doug Boze stated that the Idaho Crop Improvement Association supports the combining of rules into fewer rules. Lloyd thanked him for his support.

Lloyd Knight adjourned the meeting at 10:05 a.m., reconvened at 10:40 a.m. and readjourned at 10:50 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Janis Perry.