

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill	Red CW 25						
	Referred to Committee: Senate 3						
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- 1 An act to update and enforce the inspection system and protocol for managing Kentucky honey farms.
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- 3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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- 5 Section 1: Inspectors for Kentucky honey farms will be assigned and trained (through the State
6 Apiarist) to address the declining bee population in an effort to protect agriculture.
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- 8 Section 2: Regulations on the mistreatment of bees along with a penalty and fine system will be
9 established.
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- 11 Section 3: An increase in existing fines for violations regarding honey farm conditions will be
12 implemented in addition to the requirement that a representative of the farm attend one of the state
13 beekeeping schools.
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- 15 Section 4: Funding will come from the current allocation of taxes for the Department of Agriculture
16 along with fines incurred as a result of inspection or code violations
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- 18 Section 5: This bill will be effective immediately after the completion of the inspector training.