



State of Oklahoma  
Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry

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**CERTIFICATION OF REFERENDUM PROPOSITION DEFEAT**

On this day, November 16, 2017, I, Jim Reese, Commissioner of the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry, hereby certify that the referendum proposition conducted by Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association on November 1, 2017 to add One Dollar (\$1.00) to the current federal assessment on the sale of cattle was defeated.

Pursuant to Title 2 of the Oklahoma Statutes, § 5-63.1 *et seq*, the report of the returns was delivered to the Commissioner of the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry on November 9, 2017.

A review was conducted of the report of the returns and the review determined that the majority of the votes cast were not in favor of the referendum proposition, thereby defeating the proposition.

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Jim Reese, Commissioner

November 16, 2017