108TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

S. 2565

To amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act to convert the dairy forward pricing program into a permanent program of the Department of Agriculture.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

June 23 (legislative day, June 22), 2004

Mr. Crapo (for himself, Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Lugar, Mr. Smith, Mr. Wyden, Mr. Craig, and Mr. Roberts) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

A BILL

- To amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act to convert the dairy forward pricing program into a permanent program of the Department of Agriculture.
 - 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
 - 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
 - 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
 - 4 This Act may be cited as the "Milk Price Forward
 - 5 Contracting Act".
 - 6 SEC. 2. PERMANENT DAIRY FORWARD PRICING PROGRAM.
 - 7 Section 23 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act (7
 - 8 U.S.C. 627), reenacted with amendments by the Agricul-
 - 9 tural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, is amended—

1	(1) in the section heading, by striking
2	" PILOT ";
3	(2) in subsection (a)—
4	(A) in the subsection heading, by striking
5	"PILOT"; and
6	(B) by striking "Not later than" and all
7	that follows through "temporary pilot program"
8	and inserting "The Secretary of Agriculture
9	shall conduct, as a permanent program of the
10	Department of Agriculture, a program";
11	(3) in subsection (c)—
12	(A) in the subsection heading, by striking
13	"PILOT"; and
14	(B) in paragraph (1), by striking "pilot"
15	and
16	(4) by striking subsections (d) and (e).