H. R. 1426

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 11, 2009

Mr. Lucas (for himself and Mr. Neugebauer) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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- Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

 SECTION 1. PROHIBITION ON PERMITTING CERTAIN EMIS
 SIONS FROM AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION.

 Section 502(f) of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C.

 7661a(f)) is amended—

 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (1) through
- 7 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (1) through
- 8 (3) as subparagraphs (A) through (C), respectively,
- 9 and indenting such subparagraphs and the matter

1	following subparagraph (C), as so redesignated, ap-
2	propriately;
3	(2) by striking the subsection designation and
4	heading and all that follows through "No partial"
5	and inserting the following:
6	"(f) Prohibitions.—
7	"(1) Partial Permit Programs.—No par-
8	tial"; and
9	(3) by adding at the end the following:
10	"(2) Certain emissions from agricultural
11	PRODUCTION.—No permit shall be issued under a
12	permit program under this title for any carbon diox-
13	ide, nitrogen oxide, water vapor, or methane emis-
14	sions resulting from biological processes associated
15	with livestock production.".

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