

113TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 175

To amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act to improve the use of certain registered pesticides.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 29, 2013

Mr. ROBERTS (for himself, Mr. JOHANNES, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. THUNE, Mr. VITTER, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. MORAN, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. ENZI, Mr. INHOFE, and Mr. BOOZMAN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

A BILL

To amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act to improve the use of certain registered pesticides.

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. USE OF REGISTERED PESTICIDES.**

4 Section 3(f) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide,
5 and Rodenticide Act (7 U.S.C. 136a(f)) is amended by
6 adding at the end the following:

1 “(5) USE OF REGISTERED PESTICIDES.—Not-
2 withstanding any other law, no permit shall be re-
3 quired for—

4 “(A) the use of a pesticide that is reg-
5 istered or otherwise authorized for use under
6 this Act, if that use is in accordance with this
7 Act; or

8 “(B)(i) the use of a biological control orga-
9 nism (as defined in section 403 of the Plant
10 Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 7702)) for the preven-
11 tion, control, or eradication of a plant pest or
12 noxious weed, if that use is in accordance with
13 that Act (7 U.S.C. 7701 et seq.); or

14 “(ii) the conduct of any other plant pest,
15 noxious weed, or pest control activity under
16 that Act, if that activity is conducted in accord-
17 ance with that Act.”.

○