

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5140

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 29, 2016

Mr. SMITH of Missouri (for himself, Mr. MULLIN, Mrs. HARTZLER, and Mr. LONG) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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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 “VFD Repeal Act of
5 2016”.

6 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF FINAL RULE AMENDING ANIMAL DRUG**
7 **REGULATIONS REGARDING VETERINARY**
8 **FEED DIRECTIVE DRUGS.**

9 (a) REPEAL.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—The final rule entitled “Vet-
2 erinary Feed Directive” published in the Federal
3 Register on June 3, 2015 (80 Fed. Reg. 31708),
4 and the amendments to the Code of Federal Regula-
5 tions made by such rule are hereby repealed.

6 (2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The repeal made by
7 subsection (a) shall take effect as if enacted on the
8 date of promulgation of such final rule.

9 (b) NO ISSUANCE OF IDENTICAL OR SUBSTANTIALLY
10 SIMILAR RULE.—The Food and Drug Administration
11 shall not issue any rule that is the same as or substantially
12 similar to the rule described in subsection (a)(1).

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