

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

April 13, 2023
Date

Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB23-266 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 2, strike lines 2 through 21.
- 2 Page 3, strike lines 1 through 15.
- 3 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.
- 4 Page 4, strike lines 2 through 5 and substitute:
 - 5 (g) THIACTOPRID; OR
 - 6 (h) THIAMETHOXAM."
- 7 Page 4, line 8, after "**commissioner** -" insert "**exemptions** -".
- 8 Page 4, strike lines 10 through 27.
- 9 Page 5, strike line 1 and substitute "ADOPT RULES REQUIRING
10 NEONICOTINOID PESTICIDES TO BE DESIGNATED AS LIMITED-USE
11 PESTICIDES.
12 (b) ON OR BEFORE JULY 1, 2024, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL ADOPT
13 RULES REQUIRING NEONICOTINOID PESTICIDES TO BE SOLD ONLY BY
14 DEALERS LICENSED PURSUANT TO SECTION 35-9-114.
15 (c) SUBSECTIONS (7)(a) AND (7)(b) OF THIS SECTION, AND RULES
16 THAT THE COMMISSIONER ADOPTS PURSUANT TO THOSE SUBSECTIONS, DO
17 NOT APPLY TO PESTICIDE PRODUCTS CONTAINING NEONICOTINOID ACTIVE
18 INGREDIENTS THAT:
 - 19 (I) ARE USED IN ACADEMIC RESEARCH; OR
 - 20 (II) FOR WHICH THE PRODUCT LABEL INCLUDES ONE OR MORE OF
21 THE FOLLOWING INTENDED USES:

- 1 (A) AS A PET CARE PRODUCT;
- 2 (B) AS A VETERINARY PRODUCT USED BY A VETERINARIAN
- 3 LICENSED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 315 OF TITLE 12 AS PART OF THE
- 4 VETERINARIAN'S LICENSED PRACTICE;
- 5 (C) AS AN INDOOR OR PERSONAL CARE PRODUCT USED FOR
- 6 PREVENTING, DESTROYING, REPELLING, OR MITIGATING LICE OR BEDBUGS;
- 7 (D) AS A PRODUCT USED IN STRUCTURAL INSULATION; OR
- 8 (E) AS A PRESERVED WOOD PRODUCT OR PRODUCT USED IN THE
- 9 MANUFACTURING OF WOOD PRESERVATIVES."

** *** ** *** **