
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PESTICIDES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 149A-51, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§149A-51 Advisory committee. (a) There shall be an
4 advisory committee on pesticides composed of but not limited to
5 the chairperson, or the chairperson's designated representative,
6 who shall head the committee and one representative each from
7 the department of health, department of land and natural
8 resources, University of Hawaii college of tropical agriculture
9 and human resources, [~~sugar industry, pineapple industry,~~
10 coffee industry, diversified agriculture industry, Hawaii Farm
11 Bureau [~~Federation~~], pesticide industry, structural pest control
12 industry, an environmental organization, a citizen group, and a
13 landscape professional.

14 (b) Members of the advisory committee shall be appointed
15 by the governor from a list of persons recommended by the
16 respective agencies and industries in accordance with section
17 26-34.

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1 (c) The committee shall advise and assist the department
2 in developing or revising laws and rules to carry out and
3 effectuate the purposes of this chapter and in advising the
4 department in pesticide problems."

5 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
6 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

7 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Advisory Committee on Pesticides; Membership

Description:

Replaces representatives from the sugar and pineapple industries with representatives of the coffee and diversified agriculture industries.

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JUSTIFICATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Agriculture

TITLE: A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES.

PURPOSE: To replace representatives from the sugar and pineapple industries with representatives of the coffee and diversified agriculture industries.

MEANS: Amend section 149A-51, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

JUSTIFICATION: The reduction of the sugar and pineapple industries has resulted in the increase of diversified agriculture. Both the sugar and pineapple industries will continue to be represented by the diversified agriculture group.

Impact on the public: None.

Impact on the department and other agencies:
None.

GENERAL FUND: None.

OTHER FUNDS: None.

PPBS PROGRAM
DESIGNATION: None.

OTHER AFFECTED
AGENCIES: None.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon approval.