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BY: Environment and Transportation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 275

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, after "State;" insert "<u>authorizing the Department of Agriculture to grant a certain waiver under certain circumstances;</u>"; in the same line, strike the second "State"; and in the same line, strike "of Agriculture".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 16, strike "ON" and substitute "(A) EXCEPT AS

PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, ON"; in the same line, strike
"JANUARY 1" and substitute "DECEMBER 31"; and after line 19, insert:

"(B) IF THE DEPARTMENT DETERMINES THAT NO ALTERNATIVE TO THE USE OF CHLORPYRIFOS EXISTS, THE DEPARTMENT MAY GRANT A WAIVER, ON REQUEST, TO ALLOW A PERSON TO USE CHLORPYRIFOS, INCLUDING INSECTICIDES THAT CONTAIN CHLORPYRIFOS OR SEEDS THAT HAVE BEEN TREATED WITH CHLORPYRIFOS, ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 2022."