A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.

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

1	SECTION 1. Chapter 149A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3	and to read as follows:
4	"§149A- Pesticide inspection program; restricted use
5	pesticides; banned pesticides. (a) The department shall
6	establish and implement a pesticide inspection program to:
7	(1) Increase compliance with proper use of restricted use
8	pesticides; and
9	(2) Ensure the continued prohibition on the use or
10	application of pesticides containing chlorpyrifos
11	pursuant to section 149A-31(7).
12	(b) In establishing the pesticide inspection program, the
13	department shall:
14	(1) Develop a system to conduct inspections annually or in
15	response to a complaint to determine if any violations
16	of section $149A-31(3)$, (4) , or (7) were committed; and

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1 (2) Develop an online reporting tool for restricted use 2 pesticides, with the data available to the public. 3 (c) The department shall post the results of all pesticide 4 inspections conducted pursuant to this section on the 5 department's website and update the results upon completion of 6 each inspection. 7 (d) The department shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91 necessary for the implementation of this section." 8 9 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored. 10 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 3000.

Report Title:

Department of Agriculture; Pesticide Inspection Program; Restricted Use Pesticides; Banned Pesticides

Description:

Requires the Department of Agriculture to establish and implement a pesticide inspection program to increase compliance with the proper use of restricted use pesticides by agricultural producers and ensure the continued prohibition on the use of chlorpyrifos. Effective 7/1/3000. (SD1)

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