

## VOLUNTARY PESTICIDE NOTIFICATION REGISTRY

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**Senate Bill 542 as passed by the Senate**  
**Sponsor: Sen. Tom Casperson**  
**House Committee: Natural Resources**  
**Senate Committee: Natural Resources**  
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### SUMMARY:

Senate Bill 542 would amend Part 83 (Pesticide Control) within the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act (NREPA) to create a voluntary registry of certain individuals who will be required to be notified before the application of certain pesticides.

Under the bill, the Department of Agriculture would be charged with maintaining a voluntary registry of individuals with a medically documented condition who are required to be notified before the application of a lawn or ornamental pesticide on property *adjacent to* the property on which the individual's primary residence is located. Notification would not be required for a general-use, ready-to-use pesticide.

The registry also would contain a list of those properties *adjacent to* the individual's primary residence. Additionally, it would have to provide notification requirements and include in the notification to individuals in the registry that a pesticide application is scheduled on one or more of the adjacent properties listed in the registry.

The bill would define *adjacent to* as either of the following:

- Sharing a common boundary line or property corner with.
- Located directly across an undivided road, stream, or right-of-way from.

The bill would take effect 90 days after its enactment.

Proposed MCL 324.8316b

### FISCAL IMPACT:

Senate Bill 542 has no apparent fiscal impact on the state or local units of government.

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