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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 209, L.D. 524, “An Act To Require Schools To Submit Pest Management Activity Logs to the Board of Pesticides Control and the Posting of Inspection Results for the Purpose of Providing Information to the Public”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'Resolve, Directing the Board of Pesticides Control To Research Workable Methods To Collect Pesticide Sales and Use Records for the Purpose of Providing Information to the Public'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control to research workable methods to collect pesticide sales and use records. Resolved: That the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control shall research workable methods to collect pesticide sales and use records for the purpose of providing information to the public. The board shall explore the best methods for collecting pesticide use information from schools as defined in the board's rule Chapter 27: Standards for Pesticide Applications and Public Notification in Schools; private applicators as defined in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 22, section 1471-C, subsection 22; and commercial applicators as defined in Title 22, section 1471-C, subsection 5. The board shall explore the best methods for collecting information on pesticide sales in the State. The board shall submit a report with findings and recommendations to the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry no later than January 1, 2022. The joint standing committee may submit a bill to the 130th Legislature relating to the subject matter of the report.'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the majority report, strikes and replaces the bill with a resolve. The amendment directs the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and

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1 Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control to research workable methods to collect pesticide
2 sales and use records for the purpose of providing information to the public. The
3 amendment directs the board to submit a report, with findings and recommendations, to the
4 Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry no later than January
5 1, 2022 and gives the joint standing committee authority to submit a bill to the 130th
6 Legislature relating to the subject matter of the report.