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Senate

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1 Senator Alexander moved the following **amendment**:

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3 **Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Delete everything after the enacting clause
5 and insert:

6 Section 1. Section 570.191, Florida Statutes, is amended to
7 read:

8 570.191 Agricultural Emergency Eradication Trust
9 Fund.--There is created in the office of the commissioner the
10 Agricultural Emergency Eradication Trust Fund. Funds in the trust
11 fund may be made available for the promotion, advancement, and
12 protection of agriculture in this state, including maintaining or
13 increasing market share and suppressing or eradicating wildfire,
14 animal or plant disease, insect infestation, or a plant or pest
15 that endangers or threatens agriculture ~~upon certification by the~~
16 ~~commissioner that an agricultural emergency exists and that funds~~
17 ~~specifically appropriated for the emergency's purpose are~~



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18 ~~exhausted or insufficient to eliminate the agricultural~~
19 ~~emergency. The term "agricultural emergency" means an animal or~~
20 ~~plant disease, insect infestation, or plant or pest endangering~~
21 ~~or threatening the horticultural, aquacultural, or other~~
22 ~~agricultural interests in this state.~~

23 Section 2. Section 570.1911, Florida Statutes, is repealed.

24 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008.

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26 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

27 And the title is amended as follows:

28 Delete everything before the enacting clause
29 and insert:

30 A bill to be entitled
31 An act relating to agriculture; amending s. 570.191, F.S.;
32 providing that money in the Agricultural Emergency
33 Eradication Trust Fund be made available under certain
34 circumstances; repealing s. 570.1911, F.S., relating to
35 notice of certification of an agricultural emergency;
36 providing an effective date.