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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Judiciary Committee
2 Representative Truenow offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

5 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

6 Section 1. Subsection (7) is added to section 487.081,
7 Florida Statutes, to read:

8 487.081 Exemptions.—

9 (7) A products liability action, including a failure to
10 warn, may not be brought or maintained against any agricultural
11 employer as defined in s. 487.2031(1), or any distributor,
12 dealer, or applicator unless:

13 (a) The agricultural employer, distributor, dealer, or
14 applicator exercised substantial control over the aspect of the
15 design, testing, manufacture, or labeling of the product that
16 caused the alleged harm for which recovery of damages is sought;

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17 (b) The agricultural employer, distributor, dealer, or
18 applicator altered or modified the product and the alteration or
19 modification was a substantial factor in causing the alleged
20 harm for which recovery of damages is sought;

21 (c) The agricultural employer, distributor, dealer, or
22 applicator handled, used, or applied the product in a manner
23 inconsistent with the product label and such action or failure
24 to warn caused the alleged harm for which recovery of damages is
25 sought;

26 (d) The manufacturer of the product that caused the
27 alleged harm for which recovery of damages is sought is not
28 subject to the jurisdiction of this state.

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30 This subsection applies only to pesticides as defined in s.
31 487.021.

32 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.

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35 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

36 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:
37 An act relating to exemptions from products liability actions;
38 amending s. 487.081, F.S.; specifying circumstances under which
39 products liability actions may not be brought against
40 agricultural employers or pesticide distributors, dealers, or

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41 applicators; providing applicability; providing construction;
42 providing an effective date.