Amendment No. 1

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION ADOPTED ____ (Y/N) ADOPTED AS AMENDED ____ (Y/N) ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION ____ (Y/N) FAILED TO ADOPT ____ (Y/N) WITHDRAWN ____ (Y/N) OTHER

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

Representative Grow offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Section 487.082, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

487.082 Products liability actions.— A products liability action under this part based on a failure to warn may not be brought or maintained with respect to any pesticide registered with the United States Environmental Protection Agency under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), 7 U.S.C. ss. 136 et seq., if the label for such pesticide is:

(1) Approved by the United States Environmental Protection Agency;

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(2)	Consistent	with	the	most	recent	human	health	risk
assessment	performed	under	FI	FRA;	or			

(3) Consistent with the United States Environmental Protection Agency's carcinogenicity classification of the pesticide under FIFRA.

However, the provisions of this section do not shield from liability a manufacturer that the United States Environmental Protection Agency determines knowingly withheld, concealed, misrepresented, or destroyed material information regarding the human health risks or carcinogenicity of such pesticide in order to obtain or maintain approval of its label by the United States Environmental Protection Agency.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

TITLE AMENDMENT

Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert: An act relating to products liability actions under the Florida Pesticide Law; creating s. 487.082, F.S.; prohibiting a pesticide-related products liability action for failure to warn if the pesticide's label meets specified conditions; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

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