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HOUSE BILL 53

44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LABORERS; PROVIDING FOR A MINIMUM LENGTH OF SHORT-HANDLED HOES; IMPOSING A CRIMINAL PENALTY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. MINIMUM LENGTH OF HOE HANDLES. --

A. An employer of agricultural laborers shall not require an employee to use a hoe that has a handle shorter than four feet while performing agricultural labor that includes weeding, thinning or hot-capping in a stooped, kneeling or squatting position for a commercial farming operation.

B. An employer who violates Subsection A of this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be sentenced pursuant to the provisions of Section 31-19-1 NMSA 1978.

C. This section does not apply to an employer

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engaged in the operation of a greenhouse or nursery.

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8 Mr. Speaker:
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10 Your LABOR & HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE, to whom
11 has been referred
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15 has had it under consideration and reports same with
16 recommendation that it DO PASS, and thence referred to the
17 JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

18 Respectfully submitted,
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23 Sheryl Williams Stapleton,
24 Chair man
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6 (Chief Clerk)

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8 Date _____

10 The roll call vote was 8 For 0 Against

11 Yes: 8

12 Excused: None

13 Absent: Roberts

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20 R. David Pederson, Chairman
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12 No: Mallory, Taylor, T.

13 Excused: Godbey, Luna, Sanchez

14 Absent: None

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Mr. President:

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Your CONSERVATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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Fernando R. Macias, Chairman

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Excused: Eisenstadt, Sanchez, Vernon, Rodarte

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Absent: None

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