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L.D. 1557

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 514, L.D. 1557, Bill, "AN ACT to Improve the Ability of the Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources to Respond Constructively to Complaints of Insect Infestation."

Amend the bill by inserting before the Statement of Fact the following:

'In cases of insect infestations not arising from agricultural activities, when the State Entomologist believes that the infestation is a public nuisance and is able to identify the source or sources of the infestation, he shall refer the matter to the Department of the Attorney General.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment corrects an omission from the bill. It continues the role and responsibility of the State Entomologist in dealing with insect infestations arising from nonagricultural sources.

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Reported by Senator Black for the Committee on Agriculture.
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