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H 1007. URGE FOOD QUALITY PROTECTION ACT IMPL. *URGING CONGRESS TO TAKE STEPS TO IMPLEMENT THE FOOD QUALITY PROTECTION ACT.* Urges Congress to direct Environmental Protection Agency to (i) immediately initiate appropriate public administrative guidance or rule making to ensure that policies, standards, and procedures it intends to apply in reassessing existing pesticide tolerances are subject to thorough public notice and comment before final tolerance determinations are made by agency; (ii) use sound science and real-world data from data call-in process in establishing realistic models for evaluating risks; and (iii) implement Food Quality Protection Act of 1996 in manner that will not disrupt agricultural production nor negatively impact availability, diversity, and affordability of food, threaten public health nor diminish quality of valuable recreational areas and managed green spaces.

Intro. by Hill.

Ref. to Rules

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