February 22, 2001

H 218. TREBLE DAMAGES FOR INJURY TO AGR. CROPS. TO PROVIDE FOR TREBLE DAMAGES FOR THE INJURY TO, OR THE DESTRUCTION OF, AGRICULTURAL CROPS AND PLANTS. As title indicates, adds new GS 1-539.2B. Treble damages apply to a person who willfully injures or destroys another's crops or plants. Value of crops and plants includes: (1) diminution in market value caused by the loss, (2) cost to plaintiff for research and development of the injured or destroyed crops, and (3) other incidental and consequential damages proven by the plaintiff. Effective Oct. 1, 2001.

Intro. by Hill.

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April 19, 2001

H 218. INJURY TO COMMODITIES OR PRODUCTION SYSTEMS. Intro. 2/22/01. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Changes title to AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR TREBLE DAMAGES FOR THE INJURY TO, OR THE DESTRUCTION OF, AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES OR PRODUCTION SYSTEMS. The original bill provided for treble damages for injury to or destruction of agricultural crops and plants; the committee substitute provides for such damages for injury to or destruction of agricultural commodities and production systems, which include land, buildings, and equipment used for production of agricultural commodities.

April 25, 2001

H 218. INJURY TO COMMODITIES OR PRODUCTION SYSTEMS. Intro. 2/22/01. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Makes technical changes only.

June 26, 2001

H 218. INJURY TO COMMODITIES OR PRODUCTION SYSTEMS. Intro. 2/22/01. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Makes technical changes only.

July 23, 2001

SL 2001-290 (H 218). INJURY TO COMMODITIES OR PRODUCTION SYSTEMS. AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR DOUBLE DAMAGES FOR THE INJURY TO, OR THE DESTRUCTION OF, AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES OR PRODUCTION SYSTEMS. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 2/22/01, 4/19/01, 4/25/01, and 6/26/01. Enacted July 19, 2001. Effective Oct. 1, 2001, and applies to acts that occur on or after that date.