

HOUSE BILL 2393

By Travis

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 43
and Title 62, Chapter 21, relative to pesticides.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 43-8-103(a), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

Any pesticide that contains chlorpyrifos;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 43-8-306, is amended by deleting the language "or otherwise violating this part," and substituting instead the language "aerially applying any pesticide that contains chlorpyrifos, or otherwise violating this part,".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-21-120(a), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (1) and adding the following as a new subdivision:

(2) It is an offense for any person to apply any pesticide that contains chlorpyrifos in this state.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-21-120(c), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (1) and adding the following as a new subdivision:

(2) Each application of a pesticide that contains chlorpyrifos in this state is a separate offense.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020, the public welfare requiring it.