

115TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2436

To amend the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990 to reauthorize the organic agriculture research and extension initiative.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 16, 2017

Ms. PINGREE (for herself, Mr. NEWHOUSE, and Mr. PANETTA) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Organic Agriculture
5 Research Act of 2017”.

6 **SEC. 2. ORGANIC AGRICULTURE RESEARCH AND EXTEN-**
7 **SION INITIATIVE REAUTHORIZED.**

8 Section 1672B(e) of the Food, Agriculture, Conserva-
9 tion, and Trade Act of 1990 (7 U.S.C. 5925b(e)) is
10 amended—

1 (1) in paragraph (1)—

2 (A) in subparagraph (B), by striking
3 “2012” and inserting “2018”; and

4 (B) by amending subparagraph (C) to read
5 as follows:

6 “(C) \$50,000,000 for each fiscal year
7 thereafter.”; and

8 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “2018” and
9 inserting “2023”.

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