

Senate Study Bill 3120 - Introduced

SENATE FILE _____
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
NATURAL RESOURCES AND
ENVIRONMENT BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON SWEENEY)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the regulation of fertilizers and soil
2 conditioners by amending the term unmanipulated manures, and
3 including effective date provisions.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 200.3, subsection 29, Code 2024, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 29. The term "*unmanipulated manures*" means any substances
4 composed primarily of excreta, plant remains, or mixtures of
5 such substances which have not been processed in any manner
6 other than dewatering.

7 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate
8 importance, takes effect upon enactment.

9 EXPLANATION

10 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
11 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

12 This bill amends a provision in Code chapter 200, which
13 provides for the regulation of the sale of fertilizers and
14 soil conditioners by the department of agriculture and land
15 stewardship. Specifically, the bill amends the defined term
16 "unmanipulated manures" which means any substances composed of
17 excreta or plant remains that have not been processed. The
18 bill provides that the term includes such substances processed
19 by dewatering.

20 The bill takes effect upon enactment.