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S. 1558

To amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to require producers of an agricultural commodity for which an acreage limitation program is in effect to pay certain costs as a condition of agricultural loans, purchases, and payments, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 18 (legislative day, OCTOBER 13), 1993

Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Mr. KOHL) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

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 “Agricultural Irrigation
5 and Deficit Reduction Act of 1993”.

1 **SEC. 2. PAYMENT OF CERTAIN COSTS UNDER ACREAGE**
2 **LIMITATION PROGRAMS.**

3 Title I of the Agricultural Act of 1949 (7 U.S.C.
4 1441 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the follow-
5 ing new section:

6 **“SEC. 116. PAYMENT OF CERTAIN COSTS UNDER ACREAGE**
7 **LIMITATION PROGRAMS.**

8 “(a) IN GENERAL.—If an acreage limitation program
9 is announced for a crop of a commodity under this title,
10 as a condition of eligibility for loans, purchases, and pay-
11 ments for the crop under this title, the producers on a
12 farm shall pay to the Secretary of the Interior an amount
13 that is equal to the full cost incurred by the Federal Gov-
14 ernment of the delivery to the farm of water that is used
15 in the production of the crop, as determined by the Sec-
16 retary of the Interior.

17 “(b) APPLICATION.—

18 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) shall not
19 apply to the delivery of water pursuant to a contract
20 that is entered into before January 1, 1995, under
21 any provision of Federal reclamation law.

22 “(2) RENEWAL OR AMENDMENT.—If a contract
23 described in paragraph (1) is renewed or amended
24 on or after January 1, 1995, subsection (a) shall
25 apply to the delivery of water beginning on the date
26 of renewal or amendment.”.

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