

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# S. 736

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 1 (legislative day, MARCH 3), 1993

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

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## 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 “Bovine Growth Hor-  
5       mone User Assessment Act”.



1       retary, that is equal to the increased cost of pur-  
2       chasing milk and the products of milk under this  
3       section as the result of the injection of cows with bo-  
4       vine growth hormone.

5           “(3) DEFINITIONS.—As used in this subsection:

6           “(A) BOVINE GROWTH HORMONE.—The  
7       term ‘bovine growth hormone’ means—

8           “(i) a substance described as bovine  
9       somatotropin, bST, BST, bGH, or BGH;  
10      and

11          “(ii) a growth hormone, intended for  
12      use in bovine, that has been produced  
13      through recombinant DNA techniques.

14          “(B) MILK.—The term ‘milk’ includes—

15          “(i) milk produced by cows that have  
16      been injected with bovine growth hormone;  
17      and

18          “(ii) milk that has been commingled  
19      with milk produced by cows that have been  
20      injected with bovine growth hormone.”;  
21      and

22           (3) in subsection (j) (as redesignated by para-  
23      graph (1)), by striking “subsection (g) or (h)” both  
24      places it appears and inserting “subsection (g), (h),  
25      or (i)”.

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