

## S 1624

Protect Children, Farmers, and Farmworkers from Nerve Agent Pesticides Act of 2017

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

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### Sponsor

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**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NM • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Jul 25, 2017
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Aug 3, 2017
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Nov 7, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 25, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Environmental Protection

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Protect Children, Farmers, and Farmworkers from Nerve Agent Pesticides Act of 2017**

This bill amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA) to prohibit from sale any food that contains the organophosphate pesticide, chlorpyrifos.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) must offer a contract to the National Research Council to conduct an organophosphate pesticide risk assessment.

If the EPA finds pesticide exposure that does not meet FFDCA standards or the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act standards, the EPA must take regulatory action not later than 90 days after becoming aware of the exposure.

### **Actions Timeline**

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