

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5829

To provide for the prompt establishment by the Science Advisory Board of the Environmental Protection Agency of the agriculture committee.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 2016

Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois (for himself and Mr. CONAWAY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 “Agriculture Delivering
5 Vastly Improved Science at the EPA Now Act” or the
6 “ADVISE Now Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMITTEE.**

2 (a) AMENDMENT.—Section 8(e)(2)(A)(i) of the Envi-
3 ronmental Research, Development, and Demonstration
4 Authorization Act of 1978 (42 U.S.C. 4365(e)(2)(A)(i))
5 is amended by inserting “, not later than 30 days after
6 the date of enactment of the ADVISE Now Act,” after
7 “shall establish”.

8 (b) CONTINGENT APPOINTMENT BY SECRETARY OF
9 AGRICULTURE.—If an agriculture committee is not estab-
10 lished pursuant to the amendment made by subsection (a)
11 within the deadline provided, the Secretary of Agriculture
12 shall establish and appoint members to such a committee
13 within 15 days.

14 (c) CONTINUING AUTHORITY.—If the contingent es-
15 tablishment occurs under subsection (b), the Secretary of
16 Agriculture shall have the continuing authority to appoint
17 members to the committee so established.

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