

Amendment offered by Rep. Sorensen (IL-17)

Amendment description

The amendment would apply the waiver for Reid Vapor Pressure requirements that is applicable to gasoline blended with 10% ethanol (E10) to gasoline blended with up to 15% ethanol (E15). This change allows gasoline that is blended with 10% to 15% ethanol to be sold year-round.

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At the end of title IX, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . NATIONWIDE CONSUMER AND FUEL RETAILER**

2 **CHOICE ACT OF 2026.**

3 (a) **EXISTING ETHANOL WAIVERS.**—Section
4 211(f)(4) of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7545(f)(4)) is
5 amended—

6 (1) by striking “(4) The Administrator, upon”
7 and inserting the following:

8 “(4) **WAIVERS.**—

9 “(A) **IN GENERAL.**—The Administrator,
10 on”;

11 (2) in subparagraph (A) (as so designated)—

12 (A) in the first sentence—

13 (i) by striking “of this subsection”
14 each place it appears; and

15 (ii) by striking “if he determines” and
16 inserting “if the Administrator deter-
17 mines”; and

18 (B) in the second sentence, by striking
19 “The Administrator” and inserting the fol-
20 lowing:

1 “(B) FINAL ACTION.—The Adminis-
2 trator”; and

3 (3) by adding at the end the following:

4 “(C) REID VAPOR PRESSURE.—A fuel or
5 fuel additive may be introduced into commerce
6 if—

7 “(i)(I) the Administrator determines
8 that the fuel or fuel additive is substan-
9 tially similar to a fuel or fuel additive uti-
10 lized in the certification of any model year
11 vehicle pursuant to paragraph (1)(A); or

12 “(II) the fuel or fuel additive has been
13 granted a waiver under subparagraph (A)
14 and meets all of the conditions of that
15 waiver other than any limitation of the
16 waiver with respect to the Reid Vapor
17 Pressure of the fuel or fuel additive; and

18 “(ii) the fuel or fuel additive meets all
19 other applicable Reid Vapor Pressure re-
20 quirements under subsection (h).”.

21 (b) REID VAPOR PRESSURE LIMITATION.—Section
22 211(h) of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7545(h)) is
23 amended—

24 (1) by striking “vapor pressure” each place it
25 appears and inserting “Vapor Pressure”;

1 (2) in paragraph (4), in the matter preceding
2 subparagraph (A), by striking “10 percent” and in-
3 serting “10 to 15 percent”; and

4 (3) in paragraph (5)(A)—

5 (A) by striking “Upon notification, accom-
6 panied by” and inserting “On receipt of a noti-
7 fication that is submitted after the date of en-
8 actment of the Farm, Food, and National Secu-
9 rity Act of 2026, and is accompanied by appro-
10 priate”;

11 (B) by striking “10 percent” and inserting
12 “10 to 15 percent”; and

13 (C) by adding at the end the following:
14 “Upon the date of enactment of the Farm,
15 Food, and National Security Act of 2026, any
16 State for which the notification from the Gov-
17 ernor of a State was submitted before the date
18 of enactment of the Farm, Food, and National
19 Security Act of 2026 and to which the Adminis-
20 trator applied the Reid Vapor Pressure limita-
21 tion established by paragraph (1) shall instead
22 have the Reid Vapor Pressure limitation estab-
23 lished by paragraph (4) apply to all fuel blends
24 containing gasoline and 10 to 15 percent dena-
25 tured anhydrous ethanol that are sold, offered

1 for sale, dispensed, supplied, offered for supply,
2 transported, or introduced into commerce in the
3 area during the high ozone season.”

