

Amendment offered by Mr. Finstad of Minnesota

Amendment description

The amendment would require USDA to conduct research and development on a policy to insure swine producers against financial losses resulting from a catastrophic disease event.

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At the end of section 11014, add the following:

1 (i) POLICY FOR SWINE PRODUCERS FOR CATA-
2 STROPHIC EVENTS.—Section 522(c) of the Federal Crop
3 Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1522(c)) is further amended by
4 adding at the end the following:

5 “(28) POLICY FOR SWINE PRODUCERS FOR
6 CATASTROPHIC EVENTS.—

7 “(A) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of up-
8 dating any conclusions contained in the final re-
9 port for the study on swine catastrophic disease
10 published by the Risk Management Agency in
11 2015, the Corporation shall carry out research
12 and development, or offer to enter into 1 or
13 more contracts with 1 or more qualified persons
14 to carry out research and development, regard-
15 ing a policy to insure swine producers with re-
16 spect to financial losses due to a catastrophic
17 event.

18 “(B) REPORT.—Not later than 1 year
19 after the date of the enactment of this para-
20 graph, the Corporation shall submit to the

1 Committee on Agriculture of the House of Rep-
2 resentatives and the Committee on Agriculture,
3 Nutrition, and Forestry of the Senate a report
4 that describes the results of the research and
5 development carried out under subparagraph
6 (A).”.

