

Subject Damage to farm machinery and equipment

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Overview

This bill establishes a new crime for placing a device in a growing crop with the intent to damage farm machinery and equipment, and heightens a trespass misdemeanor to a gross misdemeanor when that trespass is with the intent to take or damage crops or to damage farm machinery and equipment.

Summary

Section	Description
1	Damage to farm machinery and equipment. Makes it a gross misdemeanor to place a device in a growing crop with the intent to damage farm machinery and equipment. Requires the sentencing court to order the violator to pay restitution in addition to other fines or punishment associated with gross misdemeanors.
2	Misdemeanor. Clarifies that a trespass to take or damage crops or to damage farm machinery and equipment is not a misdemeanor.
3	Gross misdemeanor. Makes it a gross misdemeanor to trespass onto agricultural land with intent to take or damage crops or to damage farm machinery or equipment.