103D CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 5184

To enable the Secretary of Agriculture to adjust the base period of milk production when calculating refunds of assessments made in calendar year 1994 under section 204(h) of the Agricultural Act of 1949 on milk producers affected by floods and excessive moisture during calendar year 1993.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 5, 1994

Mr. Gunderson (for himself and Mr. Roberts) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

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. PRODUCER REFUNDS.
- 4 Section 204(h) of the Agricultural Act of 1949 (7
- 5 U.S.C. 1446e(h)) is amended—

(1) in paragraph (2) (B), by inserting before the semicolon at the end the following: "(except that, in the case of a producer who owns and operates a farm in North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, or Wisconsin, the marketings of the producer for calendar year 1994 may be compared to the marketings of the producer for calendar year 1992 or 1993)"; and

(2) in paragraph (3)—

- (A) in the first sentence, by inserting before the period at the end the following: "(except that, in the case of a producer who owns or operates a farm in North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, or Wisconsin, the marketings of the producer in calendar year 1994 may be compared to the marketings of the producer for calendar year 1992 or 1993)"; and
- (B) by adding at the end the following new sentence: "In the case of a producer who owns or operates a farm in North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, or Wisconsin and who has not increased marketings in calendar year 1994 relative to marketings in calendar year 1992, a re-

- 1 fund due the producer may not be paid by the
- 2 Secretary until October 1, 1995.".

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