

On page 6, strike lines 1 through 12 and insert the following:

“(ii) on-package disclosure options, in addition to those available under subparagraph (D), that may be selected by the small food manufacturer, that consist of—

“(I) a telephone number accompanied by the following language to indicate that the phone number provides access to additional bioengineered food information: ‘Call for more GE information’; and

“(II) an Internet website maintained by the small food manufacturer; and

On page 7, strike line 1 and all that follows through page 10, line 3.

On page 10, line 4, strike “(e)” and insert “(c)”.

On page 10, line 14, strike “(f)” and insert “(d)”.

On page 10, line 21, strike “(g)” and insert “(e)”.

SA 4966. Mr. LEAHY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4935 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL (for Mr. ROBERTS) to the bill S. 764, to reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 13, strike line 20 and insert the following:

“SEC. 296. PRESERVATION OF CERTAIN STATE LAWS.

“Notwithstanding section 293(e) and section 295(b), nothing in this subtitle or subtitle E shall affect the authority of a State or political subdivision of a State to enforce any State or local law (including any action taken or requirement imposed pursuant to the authority of the State or local law) relating to food labeling or seed labeling that was enacted before January 1, 2016.

“SEC. 297. EXCLUSION FROM FEDERAL PREEMPTION.

SA 4967. Mr. LEAHY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4935 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL (for Mr. ROBERTS) to the bill S. 764, to reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 5, strike lines 1 through 4 and insert the following:

“(B) require that a food that contains bioengineered substances in an amount greater than ½ of 1 percent of the total weight of the food shall be a bioengineered food;

SA 4968. Mr. LEAHY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4935 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL (for Mr. ROBERTS) to the bill S. 764, to reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 9, line 17, insert “, including unique identifiers that are linked, or linkable, to consumers or the devices of consumers” before “; but”.

SA 4969. Mr. MERKLEY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4935 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL (for Mr. ROBERTS) to the bill S. 764, to reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Pro-

gram Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 8, line 24, strike “more” and insert “GMO and other”.

On page 9, line 6, strike “more” and insert “GMO and other”.

SA 4970. Mr. MERKLEY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4935 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL (for Mr. ROBERTS) to the bill S. 764, to reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 10, strike lines 22 through 24 and insert the following:

“(1) IN GENERAL.—

“(A) WARNINGS.—If the Secretary determines that a person is in violation of the national bioengineered food disclosure standard under this subtitle, the Secretary shall—

“(i) notify the person of the determination of the Secretary; and

“(ii) provide the person a 30-day period, beginning on the date on which the person receives the notice under clause (i) from the Secretary, during which the person may take necessary steps to comply with the standard.

“(B) FINES.—On completion of the 30-day period described in subparagraph (A)(ii) and after providing notice and an opportunity for a hearing before the Secretary, the Secretary may fine the person in an amount of not more than \$1,000 for each violation if the Secretary determines that the person—

“(i) has not made a good faith effort to comply with the national bioengineered food disclosure standard under this subtitle; and

“(ii) continues to willfully violate the standard with respect to the violation about which the person received notification under subparagraph (A)(i).

SA 4971. Mr. TESTER (for himself and Mr. MERKLEY) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4935 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL (for Mr. ROBERTS) to the bill S. 764, to reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 2, strike lines 6 through 15 and insert the following:

“(1) BIOENGINEERING.—The term ‘bioengineering’, and any similar term, as determined by the Secretary, with respect to a food, refers to a food or food ingredient—

“(A) that is produced with genetic engineering techniques; and

“(B) for which the genetic material has been altered in a manner that does not occur naturally by mating or conventional breeding.

SA 4972. Mr. SASSE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4935 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL (for Mr. ROBERTS) to the bill S. 764, to reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted, insert the following:

SECTION 1. LABELING OF CERTAIN FOOD.

The Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1621 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“Subtitle E—Labeling of Certain Food

“SEC. 291. FEDERAL PREEMPTION.

“(a) DEFINITIONS.—In this subtitle:

“(1) FOOD.—The term ‘food’ has the meaning given the term in section 201 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 321).

“(2) GENETICALLY ENGINEERED.—The term ‘genetically engineered’ has the meaning given the term in the Coordinated Framework for the Regulation of Biotechnology, published June 26, 1986, and February 27, 1992 (51 Fed. Reg. 23302; 57 Fed. Reg. 6753).

“(b) FEDERAL PREEMPTION.—No State or a political subdivision of a State may directly or indirectly establish under any authority or continue in effect as to any food or seed in interstate commerce any requirement relating to the labeling of whether a food (including food served in a restaurant or similar establishment) or seed is genetically engineered or was developed or produced using genetic engineering, including any requirement for claims that a food or seed is or contains an ingredient that was developed or produced using genetic engineering.”.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. SASSE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on July 6, 2016, at 2:30 p.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATIONS

Mr. SASSE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on July 6, 2016, at 2 p.m., to conduct a hearing entitled, “ISIS Online: Countering Terrorist Radicalization and Recruitment on the Internet and Social Media.”

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that my intern, Olivia Woods, be granted privileges of the floor for the balance of the day.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

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