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S. 2050

To amend the Agricultural Act of 2014 to provide to producers partial payments under the livestock indemnity program for livestock sold for salvage.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. MORAN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

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. LIVESTOCK INDEMNITY PAYMENTS FOR LIVE-**
4 **STOCK SOLD FOR SALVAGE.**

5 Section 1501(b) of the Agricultural Act of 2014 (7
6 U.S.C. 9081(b)) is amended—

7 (1) in paragraph (1), in the matter preceding
8 subparagraph (A), by inserting “sold livestock for a
9 reduced sale price in excess of the normal mortality,
10 or both,” after “mortality,”;

1 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “on the day
2 before the date of death of the livestock, as deter-
3 mined by the Secretary.” and inserting the fol-
4 lowing: “, as determined by the Secretary on, as ap-
5 plicable—

6 “(A) the day before the date of death of
7 the livestock; or

8 “(B) the day before the date of sale of the
9 livestock.”; and

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

11 “(4) PAYMENT REDUCTIONS.—A payment made
12 under paragraph (1) to an eligible producer on a
13 farm that sold livestock for a reduced sale price in
14 excess of the normal mortality shall be reduced by
15 the amount that the producer received for the sale.”.

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