

116TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1189

To repeal section 12616 of the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018, and  
for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 13, 2019

Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico (for herself, Mr. SABLAN, Mr. SAN NICOLAS, Ms. PLASKETT, and Mrs. RADEWAGEN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## A BILL

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Act of 2018, and for other purposes.

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. RESTORATION OF STATE RIGHT TO REGULATE**  
4 **INTRASTATE ACTIVITY.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Effective on the date of the enact-  
6 ment of the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018 (Public  
7 Law 115–334), section 12616 of such Act (Public Law

1 115–334) and the amendments made by such section are  
2 repealed.

3 (b) APPLICATION.—The Animal Welfare Act (7  
4 U.S.C. 2131 et seq.) and section 49(a) of title 18, United  
5 States Code, shall be applied and administered as if sec-  
6 tion 12616 of the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018  
7 (Public Law 115–334) and the amendments made by such  
8 section had not been enacted.

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