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BILL ANALYSIS

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Senate Bill 542 (Substitute S-3 as reported)
Sponsor: Senator Tom Casperson
Committee: Natural Resources

CONTENT

The bill would amend Part 83 (Pesticide Control) of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act to require the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development to maintain a voluntary registry of individuals who, due to a medically documented condition, are required to be notified before the application of a lawn or ornamental pesticide, other than a general-use ready-to-use pesticide, on property adjacent to the property on which the individual's primary residence is located. The registry would contain a list of those properties adjacent to the registrant's primary residence. The notification to the registrant would be given by the means provided in the registry and state that a pesticide application was scheduled on one or more of the adjacent properties listed in the registry.

"Adjacent to" would mean either of the following:

- Sharing a common boundary line or property corner with.
- Located directly across an undivided road, stream, or right-of-way from.

Proposed MCL 324.8316b

Legislative Analyst: Nathan Leaman

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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