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AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF CERTAIN RODENTICIDES. AMENDMENT

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No Fiscal Impact

The amendment establishes a ban on the sale, possession, and use, beginning January 1, 2024, of neonicotinoid pesticides, with certain exemptions (including agriculture).¹ It also eliminates the bill's ban on the sale and distribution of any second-generation rodenticides while maintaining other rodenticide restrictions in the bill. This is not expected to result in a fiscal impact as the costs identified in the underlying bill's fiscal note would be sufficient to enforce the restrictions as adjusted by the amendment.

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¹ A neonicotinoid is a pesticide that impacts the nervous system of an organism.

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