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# PROTECT THE HEALTH OF MISSOURIANS, NOT INDUSTRY

**VOTE "NO" ON SB 1005 & HB 2712**

**SB 14 & HB 544 would provide legal protection to pesticide manufacturers from "failure-to-warn" liability. This legal framework has been critical for pesticide users seeking redress from exposure to glyphosate-based herbicide products such as Roundup. Tell the committee to vote "no" on SB 1005 & HB 2712.**

Bayer since acquiring Monsanto has been involved in numerous lawsuits with individuals who have become sick with Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma and other diseases after use of their glyphosate product known as Round Up. Rather than acknowledge that their product is inherently dangerous and place a warning label on their product or change the composition of the product to make it safe, which are the two options if a company wants to no longer be sued because of their inherently dangerous product, Bayer has turned to the state legislature.



SB 1005 & HB 2712 seek to bar users of certain agricultural chemicals from bringing duty to warn claims against agricultural manufacturers should the users become harmed. Specifically, these bills seek to protect agricultural manufacturers from lawsuits for harm caused by exposure to their chemical products governed by EPA and/or the federal Fungicide, Insecticide and Rodenticide Act.



When corporations are in the business of selling inherently dangerous products, they are susceptible to litigation when the product is not sufficiently labeled to inform consumers of the health risk.

**The Missouri Legislature should be protecting their citizens with their policy proposals, not protecting large corporations' profits. They are in the Capitol to represent the interests of their constituents, not multinational corporations. Tell your legislators to oppose SB 1005 & HB 2712.**

**Protect Missouri's agriculture and people. Vote "NO" on SB 1005 & HB 2712.**