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Amendment

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 6983

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Cal. No. 413

"AN ACT CONCERNING THE LIABILITY OF LANDOWNERS WHO PERMIT THE HARVESTING OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES."

1 In line 1, before "Section" insert "Section 1."

2 After line 28, add the following:

3 "Sec. 2. (NEW) (a) As used in this section: (1) "Owner" means the
4 possessor of a fee interest, a tenant, occupant or person in control of
5 the premises; (2) "pick or cut an agricultural commodity" means to
6 harvest, collect or crop a designated agricultural commodity; and (3)
7 "charge" means the fee asked in return for a specified volume of
8 agricultural commodity or the right to pick or cut such agricultural
9 commodity.

10 (b) Any owner of land who invites or permits any person to enter
11 the land or a part thereof to pick or cut an agricultural commodity,
12 with or without charge, shall not be liable for damages as a result of
13 injury to such person when such injury arises out of the use of the land
14 or out of the act of picking or cutting an agricultural commodity,

15 unless such injury is caused by such owner's failure to warn of a
16 dangerous hidden hazard actually known to such owner.

17 Sec. 3. Section 52-568a of the general statutes is repealed."