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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 543

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 543, AS AMENDED,
3 with reference to the page and line numbers of Senate Amendment
4 No. 2, on page 2, by replacing lines 17 through 21 with the
5 following:

6 "(6) CCB used as a functionally equivalent substitute
7 for agricultural lime as a soil conditioner.

8 (6.5) CCB that is a synthetic gypsum that:

9 (A) has a calcium sulfate dihydrate content
10 greater than 90%, by dry weight, and is generated by
11 the lime or limestone forced oxidation process;

12 (B) is registered with the Illinois Department of
13 Agriculture as a fertilizer or soil amendment and is
14 used as a fertilizer or soil amendment;

15 (C) is a functionally equivalent substitute for
16 mined gypsum (calcium sulfate dihydrate) used as a
17 fertilizer or soil amendment;

1 (D) is used in accordance with, and applied at a
2 rate consistent with, documented recommendations of a
3 qualified agricultural professional or institution,
4 including, but not limited to any of the following:
5 certified crop adviser, agronomist, university
6 researcher, federal Natural Resources Conservation
7 Service Conservation Practice Standard regarding the
8 amendment of soil properties with gypsum, or
9 State-approved nutrient management plan; but in no
10 case is applied at a rate greater than 5 dry tons per
11 acre per year; and

12 (E) has not been mixed with any waste."; and

13 on page 7, immediately below line 5, by inserting the
14 following:

15 "Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
16 becoming law.".