A bill for an act

relating to agriculture; extending the exemption from commercial pesticide applicator licensing for use of sanitizers and disinfectants in response to COVID-19; amending Laws 2020, chapter 71, article 2, section 19.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Laws 2020, chapter 71, article 2, section 19, is amended to read:


(a) A person who uses a general-use sanitizer or disinfectant for hire in response to COVID-19 is exempt from the commercial applicator license requirements under Minnesota Statutes, section 18B.33.

(b) This section expires April 1, 2021, or 60 days after the declaration of the peacetime public health emergency due to COVID-19 expires, whichever is later.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.