

enacted in lieu thereof, to stand in the place of the sections so repealed, and to read as follows:

134. *Title.* This sub-title shall be known as the "Maryland Pesticide Law of 1958". It shall be administered by the State Chemist as appointed by the State Board of Agriculture, hereinafter referred to as State Chemist.

135. *Definitions.* (a) For the purpose of this sub-title:

(b) The term "pesticide" means any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any insects, rodents, fungi, weeds, or other forms of plant or animal life or viruses, except viruses on or in living man or other animals, which the State Chemist shall declare to be a pest.

(c) The term "insecticide" means any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any insects which may be present in any environment whatsoever.

(d) The term "fungicide" means any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any fungi.

(e) The term "rodenticide" means any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating rodents or any other vertebrate animal which the State Chemist shall declare to be a pest.

(f) The term "herbicide" means any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any weed, ~~or for defoliating plants, preventing fruit drop, and inhibiting sprouting.~~

(g) The term "insect" means any of the numerous small invertebrate animals generally having the body more or less obviously segmented, for the most part belonging to the class Insecta, comprising six-legged, usually winged forms, as, for example, beetles, bugs, bees, flies; and to other allied classes of arthropods whose members are wingless and usually have more than six legs, as for example, spiders, mites, ticks, centipedes, and wood lice.

(h) The term "fungi" means all non-chlorophyll-bearing thallophytes (that is, all non-chlorophyll-bearing plants of a lower order than mosses and liverworts) as, for example, rusts, smuts, mildews, molds, yeasts, and bacteria, except those on or in living man or animals.

(i) The term "nematocide" means any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating nematodes, other worms, or any other ~~invertebrates~~ INVERTEBRATES which are destructive, constitute a liability, and may be declared a pest.

(j) The term "weed" means any plant or plant part which grows where not wanted.

(k) The term "ingredient statement" means either—