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Floor Amendment to HB 199

Amend RSA 432:9 as inserted by section 3 of the bill by inserting after paragraph VI the followingnew paragraph:

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4 VII. "Plant biostimulant" means a substance, microorganism, or mixtures thereof, 5 that, when applied to seeds, plants, the rhizosphere, soil or other growth media, act to 6 support a plant's natural nutrition processes independently of the plant biostimulant's 7 nutrient content, improving nutrient availability, uptake or use efficiency, tolerance to 8 abiotic stress, and consequent growth, development, quality or yield.

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10 Amend RSA 432:16, VI as inserted by section 5 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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12VI. To make available, on such terms as it shall prescribe, to land occupiers within the 13district, *incentives*, *education*, *technical assistance*, agricultural and engineering machinery, 14equipment, fertilizer, *plant biostimulant*, seeds, seedlings, and such other material or equipment 15 \mathbf{as} will assist such land occupiers to carry on operations upon their lands for 16the *health*, conservation, and development of soil, water, and related natural resources, for the 17promotion of practices to foster drought resilience and adapt to a changing climate and 18environment, for the drainage of land, for the prevention and control of soil erosion, and for the 19prevention of floodwater and sediment damages;