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RE: HM-200 (Hazardous Materials & Intrastate Transportation)

To Whom It May Concern:

I am an agricultural producer in Nebraska. During the growing season, it is necessary for me to transport hazardous agricultural chemicals to my farm as a vital part of the production of crops. It is my belief that requiring me to placard, have shipping papers, and a 24-hour phone number for these seasonal shipments on rural roads is unnecessary and will provide little or no benefit to public safety when compared to the increased costs these rules will have on farmers.

Federal rules should be written to recognize the need of producers for delivery of necessary hazardous materials used in farming and ranching. I urge you to enact a regulation which would allow states to maintain exemptions for agricultural producers to the requirements.

Sincerely,


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