

SEC. ____ . None of the funds made available by this ~~or any other~~ Act may be used to write, prepare, or publish a final rule or an interim final rule in furtherance of, or otherwise to implement or enforce the proposed rule entitled "National Organic Program: Organic Livestock and Poultry Practices" published by the Department of Agriculture in the Federal Register on April 7, 2016 (81 Fed. Reg. 21955 et seq.) until an independent economic assessment is completed and verifies that the proposed rule--

(1) will not negatively impact ~~organic poultry and egg producers~~ or consumers by--

(A) reducing access to organic products; or

(B) substantially increasing food costs; and

(2) will not negatively impact organic markets by--

(A) causing significant disruption to the organic feed and processed organic products industries;

(B) leading to increased exposure to disease or ~~mortality~~ for organic poultry;

(C) increasing the risk of contamination with pathogens that ~~may~~ cause food-borne illness.

(D) change consumer purchasing behavior as a result of increased food costs;

(E) adversely impact one type of organic poultry producer more significantly than another; or

(F) force the organic poultry sector to make changes to infrastructure or other business investments that exceed \$100,000,000.