

111TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. INHOFE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. DELAY OF IMPLEMENTATION.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
5 sion of law, the Administrator of the Environmental Pro-
6 tection Agency shall delay the implementation of the final
7 rule entitled “Lead; Renovation, Repair, and Painting
8 Program; Lead Hazard Information Pamphlet; Notice of

1 Availability; Final Rule” (73 Fed. Reg. 21692 (April 22,
2 2008)), and the final rule entitled “Lead; Amendment to
3 the Opt-out and Recordkeeping Provisions in the Renova-
4 tion, Repair, and Painting Program”, signed by the Ad-
5 ministrator on April 22, 2010, in each State until such
6 time as accredited certified renovator classes have been
7 held in the State, for a period of at least 1 year, to train
8 contractors in practices necessary for compliance with the
9 final rules, as determined by the Administrator.

10 (b) NOTIFICATION.—The Administrator shall—

11 (1) monitor each State to determine when class-
12 es described in subsection (a) are offered in the
13 State; and

14 (2) provide to each Member of Congress rep-
15 resenting the State a notification describing—

16 (A) the location and time of each such
17 class held in the State; and

18 (B) the date on which the classes have
19 been held for the 1-year period described in
20 subsection (a).