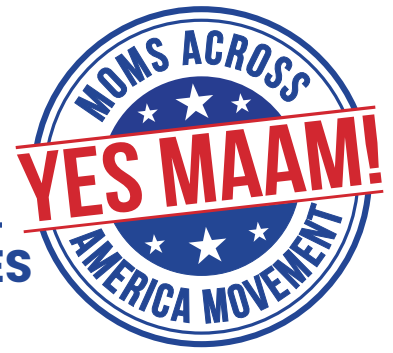


MOMS ACROSS AMERICA MOVEMENT

Championing policy and public servants that put children health, safety, and America's future FIRST.



SECTION 453: PROTECTING PESTICIDE COMPANIES FROM LAWSUITS — NOT OUR CHILDREN

What Is Section 453?

Section 453 hands pesticide and chemical companies de facto immunity from lawsuits — even if their products cause cancer, birth defects, infertility, or other serious harm.

WHY THIS IS DANGEROUS

- **No Accountability** – If Section 453 becomes law, victims harmed by pesticides would have no legal pathway to seek justice; increasing rates of medical bankruptcy and fiscal burden on states.
- **Protects Profits, Not People** – Corporations that knowingly sell toxic products get a free pass. This section prevents emergency withdrawal of a pesticide regardless of new science.
- **Blocks State and Federal Action** – Preempts state liability code and severely restricts FDA and HHS actions.

The Public Overwhelmingly Rejects This

- **87%** of Republican voters oppose giving chemical companies immunity from lawsuits.
- **94%** of Republican voters are very concerned that the EPA relies on industry-funded data to determine safety.
- Both Democrat and Republican constituents ask their elected officials to put health and safety first.

Who Benefits?

- Chinese and German pesticide manufacturers like Bayer and ChemChina, whose products are in our food, water, playgrounds, and even baby formula.

Who Loses?

- ➔ **Farmers**
- ➔ **Parents**
- ➔ **Children**
- ➔ **Anyone exposed to toxic pesticides**



What You Can Do:

- ➔ **Strip Section 453 from the bill.**
- ➔ **Make sure parents, farmers, and communities know what's at stake.**
- ➔ **Join the movement: MomsAcrossAmericaMovement.org**

