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Eric J. Holcomb  
Governor

April 26, 2021

The Honorable Rodric Bray  
President Pro Tempore  
Indiana State Senate  
200 W. Washington Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Dear Senator Bray:

By the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Indiana pursuant to the provisions of Article 5, Section 14, of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, I do hereby veto Senate Enrolled Act No. 303 (SEA 303) enacted during the regular session of the 122<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly.

I am vetoing SEA 303 due to its requirement of a duplicative label at every pump that dispenses E15 blends of fuel in the state. The Environmental Protection Agency already mandates that all E15 pumps have a label clearly advising consumers of the possible implications of using the fuel in certain engines. I find this additional layer of government unnecessary and confusing.

I do support the provision in SEA 303 that redefines gasohol and makes clear that E15 can be sold year-round in our state. I encourage the Indiana General Assembly to codify this definition next year, as it would support our ethanol industry and would further grow the market for our Hoosier farmers.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eric J. Holcomb".

Eric J. Holcomb