

Ohio Revised Code

Section 929.04 Defense to civil action for nuisance.

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In a civil action for nuisances involving agricultural activities, it is a complete defense if:

- (A) The agricultural activities Were conducted within an agricultural district;
- (B) Agricultural activities Were established within the agricultural district prior to the plaintiff's activities or interest on which the action is based;
- (C) the plaintiff was not involved in agricultural production; and
- (D) The agricultural activities Were not in conflict with federal, state, and local laws and rules relating to the alleged nuisance or were conducted in accordance with generally accepted agriculture practices.

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plaintiff may offer proof of a violation independently of proof of a violation or conviction by any public official.