

Amendment to HB 505-FN

1 Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:

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3 1 Homestead Food; License Required. Amend RSA 143-A:12, IV to read as follows:

4 **IV. *Homestead food operations processing and selling freeze dried foods, from the***
5 ***homestead residence, at the owner's own farm stand, at farmers' markets, or at retail food***
6 ***stores shall be licensed under RSA 143-A:4. For the purposes of this section, freeze dried***
7 ***foods means fruits, vegetables, and commercially prepared dairy products.***

8 **V.** All homestead food products sold in packages from the home kitchen, farm stand of a
9 homestead food operation, at farmers' markets, or at retail food stores shall have individual labels on
10 each package containing the following information: name, address, and phone number of the
11 homestead food operation; name of the homestead food product; the ingredients of the homestead
12 product, in descending order of predominance by weight; and allergy information. Products made by
13 homestead food operations exempt from licensure shall also be clearly labeled with the following
14 statement: "This product is exempt from New Hampshire licensing and inspection." Products made
15 by nonexempt homestead food operations shall also be clearly labeled with the following statement:
16 "This product is made in a residential kitchen licensed by the New Hampshire Department of Health
17 and Human Services."

18 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 120 days after its passage.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill requires the licensing of homestead food operations processing and selling freeze dried foods.