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An Act

HOUSE BILL 18-1235

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Hansen and McKean, Arndt, Gray, Hooton, Humphrey, Lewis, Lontine, Valdez, Williams D.;
also SENATOR(S) Scott, Cooke, Crowder, Donovan, Hill, Marble, Martinez Humenik, Neville T., Smallwood, Tate, Grantham.

CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE REGULATION OF CUSTOM MEAT PROCESSORS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE 2017 SUNSET REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-34-104, **repeal** (14)(a)(IV); and **add** (24)(a)(VI) as follows:

24-34-104. General assembly review of regulatory agencies and functions for repeal, continuation, or reestablishment - legislative declaration - repeal. (14) (a) The following agencies, functions, or both, are scheduled for repeal on July 1, 2018:

(IV) ~~The regulation by the department of agriculture of the custom processing of meat animals in accordance with article 33 of title 35, C.R.S.;~~

(24) (a) The following agencies, functions, or both, are scheduled for repeal on September 1, 2023:

(VI) THE REGULATION OF THE CUSTOM PROCESSING OF MEAT ANIMALS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 33 OF TITLE 35.

SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 35-33-407 as follows:

35-33-407. Repeal of article. This ~~article~~ ARTICLE 33 is repealed, effective ~~July 1, 2018. Prior to such~~ SEPTEMBER 1, 2023. BEFORE ITS repeal, the licensing functions of the department ~~shall be reviewed as provided for in~~ ARE SCHEDULED FOR REVIEW IN ACCORDANCE WITH section 24-34-104. C.R.S.

SECTION 3. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 35-33-301, **amend** (1) as follows:

35-33-301. Sale of poultry - labeling - rules. (1) A poultry producer ~~licensed or~~ exempted under this ~~article~~ ARTICLE 33 may sell poultry to individuals. A POULTRY PRODUCER LICENSED UNDER THIS ARTICLE 33 MAY SELL POULTRY TO RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS LICENSED PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-4-1606 AND TO INDIVIDUALS.

SECTION 4. Effective date. This act takes effect July 1, 2018.

SECTION 5. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,

determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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