

SENATE FILE NO. SF0068

Meat from harvested livestock or poultry.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Agar, Boner, Driskill, Hicks and  
Kinskey and Representative(s) Hunt, Sommers  
and Walters

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to food and drugs; prohibiting  
2 misrepresenting a product as meat that is not derived from  
3 harvested production livestock or poultry; requiring  
4 rulemaking; and providing for an effective date.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 35-7-111(a) by creating a new paragraph  
9 (xiii) and 35-7-119(e) are amended to read:

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11 **35-7-111. Prohibited acts.**

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13 (a) No person shall:

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1           (xiii) Include the term "meat" or any synonymous  
2 term for meat or a specific animal species in labeling,  
3 advertising or other sales promotion unless the product:

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5           (A) Is consistent with the definition of meat  
6 in W.S. 35-7-119(e)(iii)(A);

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8           (B) Is derived from harvested livestock,  
9 poultry, wildlife or exotic livestock as those terms are  
10 defined in W.S. 11-26-101(a), 11-32-101(a)(iv),  
11 23-1-101(a)(xiii) and 23-1-102(a)(xvi); and

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13           (C) Excludes plant based and cell cultured  
14 products.

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16           **35-7-119. Fair packaging and labeling provisions.**

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18           (e) The department shall promulgate rules with respect  
19 to labeling. Every retailer and every wholesaler who sells or  
20 offers for sale in this state through an establishment or  
21 otherwise any:

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1           (i) Meat, which that is the product of any country  
2 foreign to the United States, shall clearly label the meat as  
3 "imported," naming the country of its origin~~;~~~~The department~~  
4 ~~shall promulgate rules and regulations with respect to~~  
5 ~~labeling. As used in this subsection:~~

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7           (ii) Cell cultured or plant based products not  
8 consistent with the definition of meat in subparagraph  
9 (iii)(A) of this subsection and not derived from harvested  
10 livestock, poultry, wildlife or exotic livestock as those  
11 terms are defined in W.S. 11-26-101(a), 11-32-101(a)(iv),  
12 23-1-101(a)(xiii) and 23-1-102(a)(xvi), shall clearly label  
13 the product as "containing cell cultured or plant based  
14 products";

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16           (iii) As used in this subsection:

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18           (i)(A) "Meat" means the edible part of the muscle  
19 of animals, which is skeletal or which is found in the tongue,  
20 in the diaphragm, in the heart or in the esophagus, with or  
21 without the accompanying or overlying fat, and the portions  
22 of bone, skin, sinew, nerve and blood vessels which normally  
23 accompany the muscle tissue and which are not separated from

1 it in the process of dressing, but shall not include the  
2 muscle found in the lips, snout or ears, nor any edible part  
3 of the muscle which has been manufactured, cured, smoked,  
4 cooked or processed;

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6 ~~(ii)~~(B) "Retailer" means a person regularly  
7 engaged in the business of selling meat at retail to the  
8 public, and selling only to the user or consumer and not for  
9 resale;

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11 ~~(iii)~~(C) "Wholesaler" means a person  
12 regularly engaged in the business of selling meat at wholesale  
13 to retailers for subsequent sale at retail to the public.

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15 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2019.

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