

HOUSE BILL NO. 5787

June 06, 2024, Introduced by Reps. Johnsen and DeBoyer and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

A bill to amend 2000 PA 92, entitled
"Food law,"
by amending section 7129 (MCL 289.7129).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 7129. (1) If a ~~food~~**product** is subject to a standard
2 established under this chapter, ~~it shall~~**the product must** be
3 identified by the name required by that standard. If no standard
4 applies, the product ~~shall~~**must** be identified by its common or
5 usual name. If no common or usual name exists, the product ~~shall~~
6 **must** be identified by an appropriately descriptive name that is not
7 misleading and ~~that~~ accurately identifies or describes, in as

1 simple and direct terms as possible, the basic nature of the ~~feed~~
 2 **product** and its characterizing ingredients or properties. A product
 3 manufactured or sold under the provisions of this act, ~~which that~~
 4 is sold in a closed or sealed ~~packages shall bear~~ **package must have**
 5 a complete label. ~~The label shall bear the~~ **that contains all of**
 6 **the following information:**

7 (a) **The** true name of the product, as defined in this act. ~~an~~

8 (b) **An** ingredient statement if the product contains more than
 9 1 ingredient. ~~the~~

10 (c) **The** net weight of the product. ~~and the~~

11 (d) **The** name and address of the manufacturer.

12 (2) ~~Products~~ **A product** sold from a bulk retail ~~displays shall~~
 13 ~~bear~~ **display must have** a sign or placard ~~containing that contains~~
 14 the true and approved name of the product. If the product contains
 15 more than 1 ingredient, an ingredient statement ~~shall must~~ be
 16 placarded, posted, or otherwise available for the customer in
 17 written form.

18 (3) ~~Meat products using~~ **A meat product that uses** antioxidants
 19 ~~shall must~~ indicate on the label, ~~or,~~ in the absence of a label,
 20 an adjacent placard, ~~their the~~ **presence of the antioxidants in the**
 21 **meat product** and **their** purpose.

22 (4) ~~Meat products containing~~ **A meat product that contains**
 23 monosodium glutamate, hydrolyzed vegetable protein, or ~~any other~~
 24 **another** source of monosodium glutamate ~~shall must~~ indicate on the
 25 label or, in the absence of a label, an adjacent placard, ~~in its~~
 26 **the presence of those substances in the meat product.**

27 (5) The meat ingredients in a meat product that specifies 1
 28 type of meat in its name, ~~such as including, but not limited to,~~
 29 ham loaf, pork loaf, veal patties, or turkey sausage, ~~shall must~~ be

1 entirely from the species indicated in the product name. The meat
2 in a meat product that specifies more than 1 type of meat in its
3 name, ~~such as including, but not limited to,~~ beef and turkey
4 sausage, ~~shall~~**must** be entirely from the types **of meat** indicated,
5 and ~~shall~~ contain at least 20% of each meat. A meat product that
6 contains a type of meat consisting of less than 20% of that meat
7 may be labeled as "(product) _____ added" or "product with _____",
8 inserting the common name of that meat. Sausage labeled or
9 advertised as all meat or all beef ~~shall~~**must** not contain any
10 nonfat dry milk solids or dry whole milk.

11 (6) All required words and numbers ~~shall~~**must** be legible to
12 potential customers.

13 (7) **A person shall not manufacture, or offer or expose for**
14 **sale, cultivated meat. As used in this subdivision, "cultivated**
15 **meat" means a meat or meat product that was produced from cultured**
16 **animal cells.**