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HOUSE BILL NO. 124

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A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 3.1-14.4, relating to regulation of the sale of farm produce; penalty.

Patrons—Kilgore, Hogan and Marsden

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 3.1-14.4 as follows:

§ 3.1-14.4. Sale of produce on farm; penalty.

No rule or regulation shall prohibit or restrict any person from selling food or food products grown or processed on his farm to any customer provided that: (i) the food or food products are sold on the farm on which they are produced; (ii) the food or food products are sold to the customer for personal consumption and shall not be sold for reuse, including restaurant sales; and (iii) the food or food products are marked with the following: "Not for Resale, Produced Without State Inspection." Any customer who resells food or food products bought at the farm under this section shall be guilty of a Class 4 misdemeanor.

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