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# SENATE BILL NO. 500

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 261.241, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to honey.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 261.241, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 261.241, to read as follows:

261.241. 1. Sellers of [jams, jellies, and] honey whose annual sales of [jams, jellies, and] honey are [thirty] **fifty** thousand dollars or less per domicile shall not be required to construct or maintain separate facilities for the [manufacture] **bottling** of [jams, jellies, and] honey. Such sellers shall be exempt from all remaining health standards and regulations for the [manufacture] **bottling** of [jams, jellies, and] honey pursuant to sections 196.190 to 196.271 if they meet the following requirements:

(1) [Jams, jellies, and] Honey shall be [manufactured] **bottled** in the domicile of the person [processing] **harvesting** and selling the [jams, jellies, and] honey [and sold by the manufacturer to the end consumer];

(2) [Jams, jellies, and] Honey shall be labeled with the following information in legible English as set forth in subsection 2 of this section;

(3) [During the sale of such jams, jellies, and honey, a placard shall be displayed in a prominent location stating the following: "This product has not been inspected by the Department of Health and Senior Services.";

(4) Annual gross sales shall not exceed [thirty] **fifty** thousand dollars. The person [manufacturing] **harvesting** such [jams, jellies, and] honey shall maintain a record of sales of [jams, jellies, and] honey [processed] **bottled** and sold. The record shall be available to the regulatory authority when

**EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.**

20 requested.

21           2. The [jams, jellies, and] honey shall be labeled with the following  
22 information:

23           (1) Name and address of the persons preparing the food;

24           (2) Common name of the food; **and**

25           (3) The name of all ingredients in the food[; and

26           (4) Statement that the jams, jellies, and honey have not been inspected  
27 by the department of health and senior services].

28           3. Sellers of [jams, jellies, and] honey who violate the provisions of this  
29 section may be enjoined from selling [jams, jellies, and] honey by the department  
30 of health and senior services.

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