



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 80

LCO No. 520

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:
(ENV)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALE OF RAW MILK.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2002*) No person, handler, as
2 defined in section 22-127 of the general statutes, firm or corporation
3 shall give away or offer for sale any milk or milk products that have
4 not been pasteurized. Any person, handler, firm or corporation that
5 violates this section shall be subject to administrative civil penalties, as
6 provided in section 22-7 of the general statutes.

7 Sec. 2. Section 22-197 of the general statutes is repealed and the
8 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2002*):

9 No person shall sell or exchange, or offer for sale or exchange, or
10 have in his possession with intent to sell or exchange, any milk or
11 cream which has been pasteurized unless the receptacle in which the
12 same is contained is plainly labeled with the name and address of the
13 registered dealer, and the name, grade or class of product, and the
14 word "pasteurized". If such registered dealer does not operate the
15 dairy plant where the milk or cream was pasteurized, the
16 commissioner's pasteurizing plant permit number of the dairy plant

17 where the product was pasteurized shall appear on the label. [No
18 person shall at retail sell or exchange, or offer for sale or exchange, or
19 have in his possession with intent to sell or exchange any milk or
20 cream which has not been pasteurized unless the receptacle in which
21 the same is contained is plainly labeled "raw" in letters as large as or
22 larger than any other letters on the label.]

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2002</i>
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2002</i>

Statement of Purpose:

To protect public health.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]