

Explanation of CS Changes

HB 191 – “An Act establishing a state department of agriculture and food and relating to its powers and duties; relating to the powers and duties of the Department of Environmental Conservation and the Department of Natural Resources; and providing for an effective date.”

Sec. 1, page 2, line 5. Removes reference to “food processing” language.

Sec 1, page 2, lines 24-26. Adds voluntary participation.

Sec. 5, page 4, line 29. Deletes references to fish and fisheries products.

Sec. 18, page 9, line 29. Deletes references to retail food.

Sec. 41, page 18, line 10. Amends definitions for standards and foods. Names the Department of Agriculture and Food to establish and fix regulations for agricultural food products or classes.

Sec. 49, page 23, line 22. Removes reference to retail food establishment.

Sec. 75, page 30, lines 25-30. Removes references to retail food.