



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

HB3650

Introduced 2/22/2021, by Rep. Michael Halpin

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act

Creates the Agricultural Experiences Act. Provides that licenses are not required for anyone trying to provide an "agricultural experience" which is defined as any agriculture-related activity, as a secondary use in conjunction with agricultural production, on a farm which activity is open to the public with the intended purpose of promoting or educating the public about agriculture, agricultural practices, agricultural activities, or agricultural products.

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1 AN ACT concerning Agriculture.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the
5 Agricultural Experiences Act.

6 Section 5. Agricultural experiences.

7 (a) In this Section, "agricultural experience" means
8 any agriculture-related activity, as a secondary use in
9 conjunction with agricultural production, on a farm which
10 activity is open to the public with the intended purpose of
11 promoting or educating the public about agriculture,
12 agricultural practices, agricultural activities, or
13 agricultural products.

14 (b) To assist in the promotion of agricultural
15 experiences, a county shall not require a conditional use
16 permit, special use permit, special exception, or variance for
17 agricultural experiences on property of which the primary use
18 is agricultural production.