

HB1483



97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB1483

by Rep. Chapin Rose

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

410 ILCS 625/3.3 new
410 ILCS 625/3.4 new

Amends the Food Handling Regulation Enforcement Act. Provides that, notwithstanding any other provision of law, neither the Department of Public Health nor the health department of a unit of local government may regulate the serving or sale of food at a charitable fundraising event or at a farmers market.

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HOME RULE NOTE
ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public health.

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

4 Section 5. The Food Handling Regulation Enforcement Act is
5 amended by adding Sections 3.3 and 3.4 as follows:

6 (410 ILCS 625/3.3 new)

7 Sec. 3.3. Charitable fundraising event.

8 (a) As used in this Section, "charitable fundraising event"
9 means an event that meets all of the following conditions:

10 (1) the event is sponsored by a fraternal or religious
11 organization;

12 (2) food items are sold at the event; and

13 (3) the event is conducted for the purpose of raising
14 funds for the sponsoring organization.

15 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, neither the
16 Department of Public Health nor the health department of a unit
17 of local government may regulate the serving or sale of food at
18 a charitable fundraising event.

19 (410 ILCS 625/3.4 new)

20 Sec. 3.4. Farmers markets.

21 (a) As used in this Section, "farmers market" means a
22 market held in a public space where regional farmers and

1 regional food vendors sell produce and other food items to the
2 public.

3 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, neither the
4 Department of Public Health nor the health department of a unit
5 of local government may regulate the serving or sale of food at
6 a farmers market.