

NOTE: This bill has been prepared for the signatures of the appropriate legislative officers and the Governor. To determine whether the Governor has signed the bill or taken other action on it, please consult the legislative status sheet, the legislative history, or the Session Laws.

An Act

HOUSE BILL 17-1197

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Ginal, Catlin, Saine, Valdez;
also SENATOR(S) Coram, Crowder, Fenberg, Gardner,
Martinez Humenik, Merrifield, Moreno.

CONCERNING THE EXCLUSION OF MARIJUANA FROM THE DEFINITION OF
"FARM PRODUCTS" WITH REGARD TO REGULATION OF FARM
PRODUCTS UNDER THE "FARM PRODUCTS ACT".

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-16-103, **amend** (5)(b); and **add** (5.7) as follows:

12-16-103. Definitions - rules. As used in this part 1, unless the context otherwise requires:

(5) (b) "Farm products" does not include poultry and poultry products, timber products, nursery stock, ~~or~~ commodities, OR MARIJUANA.

(5.7) "MARIJUANA" HAS THE SAME MEANING AS SET FORTH IN SECTION 16 (2)(f) OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION.

SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 9, 2017, if adjournment sine die is on May 10, 2017); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2018 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Crisanta Duran
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE
OF REPRESENTATIVES

Kevin J. Grantham
PRESIDENT OF
THE SENATE

Marilyn Eddins
CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE
OF REPRESENTATIVES

Effie Ameen
SECRETARY OF
THE SENATE

APPROVED _____

John W. Hickenlooper
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF COLORADO