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A bill

TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 44‑1‑143, RELATING TO REQUIREMENTS FOR HOME‑BASED FOOD PRODUCTION OPERATIONS, SO AS TO ALLOW THE USE OF EGGS from chickens kept at the individual’s dwelling or from a roadside stand.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Section 44‑1‑143(H) of the S.C. Code is amended to read:

(H) [Deleted] In preparing a nonpotentially hazardous food for sale in which eggs are an ingredient, a home‑based food production operation may use eggs collected from chickens kept at the individual’s dwelling or purchased from a roadside stand near the farm at which the eggs were produced.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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