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Agriculture 2, Horticulture.

House File 309
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Passed House, Date.....
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Passed Senate, Date.....
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Approved *April 21, 1955*

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend chapter one hundred ninety-five (195), Code 1954, relating to transportation and grading of milk or cream, and price differentials per pound of butterfat.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 Section 1. Section one hundred ninety-five point three
2 (195.3), Code 1954, is amended by striking subsections six (6),
3 seven (7), eight (8), and nine (9), and inserting in lieu thereof
4 the following:
5 " 'Sweet cream' shall be cream which after proper
6 manufacturing will yield butter meeting at least the requirements
7 of United States Grade A or United States 92 score. It shall be
8 fresh and clean to the taste and its acidity shall at no time
9 exceed two-tenths of one per cent calculated as lactic acid. It
10 may have a slight feed flavor. It shall be free from extraneous
11 matter.
12 " 'Grade one cream' shall be cream which after proper
13 manufacturing will yield butter meeting at least the requirements
14 of United States Grade B or United States 90 score. It shall be
15 free from flavors resulting from decomposition and age. It may

16 have smothered, utensil, or feed flavors and its acidity shall at
17 no time exceed six-tenths of one per cent calculated as lactic
18 acid. It shall be free from extraneous matter.

19 “‘Grade two cream’ shall be cream which after proper
20 manufacturing will yield butter meeting at least the requirements
21 of United States Grade C or United States 89 score. It may have
22 off-flavors to a limited degree and its acidity may exceed six-
23 tenths of one per cent calculated as lactic acid. It shall be
24 free from extraneous matter.

25 “‘Unlawful cream’ shall be cream which has such flavors as
26 stale, rancid, cheesy, yeasty, metallic, oily, putrid, or other
27 objectionable flavors or which shows evidence of decomposition
28 and age. Unlawful cream shall also be cream containing excessive
29 extraneous matter as set forth in section one hundred ninety-five
30 point fourteen (195.14) of the Code as amended, regardless of
31 other quality characteristics.”.

1 Sec. 2. Section one hundred ninety-five point five (195.5),
2 Code 1954, is amended by striking all of said section after the
3 word “cream” in line five (5) and inserting in lieu thereof the
4 following: “shall maintain a price differential between sweet
5 and grade one cream of not less than one cent, and between grade
6 one and grade two cream of not less than five cents.”.

1 Sec. 3. Section one hundred ninety-five point six (195.6),
2 Code 1954, is hereby repealed.

1 Sec. 4. Section one hundred ninety-five point ten (195.10),
2 Code 1954, is amended by striking the word “cream” in lines two

3 (2), three (3), and four (4), and inserting in lieu thereof the
4 words "milk or cream".

1 Sec. 5. Section one hundred ninety-five point twelve
2 (195.12), Code 1954, is amended by striking the word "cream"
3 wherever it occurs in said section and inserting in lieu thereof
4 the words "milk or cream".

1 Sec. 6. Section one hundred ninety-five point thirteen
2 (195.13), Code 1954, is amended by striking all of said section
3 down to the word "But" in line ten (10) and inserting in lieu
4 thereof the following: "A test for the purpose of determining
5 the amount and nature of extraneous matter in milk or cream shall
6 always be made by the grader on the first purchase of milk or
7 cream from a customer. At least two (2) tests for extraneous
8 matter shall be made each month on the milk or cream sold by each
9 customer."

1 Sec. 7. Section one hundred ninety-five point fourteen
2 (195.14), Code 1954, is repealed and the following enacted in
3 lieu thereof:

4 "The secretary of agriculture shall determine and promulgate
5 the standards and methods of testing milk or cream for extraneous
6 matter. These standards and methods shall be no less than the
7 minimum requirements of the Federal regulatory agencies."

1 Sec. 8. Section one hundred ninety-five point twenty-two
2 (195.22), Code 1954, is repealed and the following enacted in
3 lieu thereof:

4 "Every vehicle used to transport milk or cream from

5 producers to any dairy plant shall be maintained in a sanitary
 6 condition. Every vehicle so used shall be enclosed to protect
 7 the milk or cream from extreme heat or cold and from dust or
 8 other contamination; provided, however, that this provision shall
 9 not be applied to producers delivering their own milk or cream
 10 when such milk or cream is otherwise protected from extreme heat
 11 or cold and from dust or other contamination.”.

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 309

Iowa ranks fifth in milk production and third in butter production among the states. More than 80 per cent of the butter and other manufactured dairy products are sold outside the state in severe competition with other products and is thus obliged to meet rigorous standards of quality. For many years, the present Iowa cream grading law has been a distinct aid toward maintaining the quality of Iowa dairy products. Important changes in technology and in federal standards warrant that certain sections of this law be revised and brought up to date to make it even more effective as a supplement to the educational work which is undertaken to improve the quality of Iowa dairy products.

- 1 Amend the title to House File 309 by striking all after
- 2 the word “cream” in line two (2).

Filed and adopted
 April 1, 1955.

PAUL of Poweshiek.

- 1 Section 1 of House File 309 is hereby amended as follows:
- 2 1. In line seven (7), insert after the words “United States”
- 3 in each place where said words appear in that line the following:
- 4 “Department of Agriculture”.
- 5 2. In line fourteen (14), insert after the words “United
- 6 States” in each place where said words appear in that line the
- 7 following: “Department of Agriculture”.
- 8 3. In line fifteen (15), strike the word “and” preceding
- 9 the word “age” and insert in lieu thereof the word “or”.
- 10 4. In line sixteen (16), insert the word “slight” preceding
- 11 the word “utensil”.
- 12 5. In line twenty-one (21), insert after the words “United
- 13 States” in each place where said words appear in that line the
- 14 following: “Department of Agriculture”.
- 15 6. Insert in line twenty-one (21) after the period following
- 16 the word “score”, the following: “It shall be free from flavors
- 17 resulting from decomposition or age.”.

Filed
 February 24, 1955.

PAUL of Poweshiek.

- 1 Amend House File 309 by striking all of section 2, and renumber-
- 2 the remaining sections. ing

Filed
 March 29, 1955.

HALLING of Adair.

- 1 Amend House File 309, section seven (7) line seven (7) by striking
- 2 the words “the Federal regulatory agencies” and insert the words
- 3 “United States Public Health Service Standards”.

Offered and adopted
 March 25, 1955.

PAUL of Poweshiek.