

**135.16C Federal nutrition programs — cultivated-protein food products.**

1. As used in [this section](#), unless the context otherwise requires:

a. “*Cultivated-protein food product*” means the same as defined in [section 137E.1](#).

b. “*Federal nutrition program*” or “*program*” means any of the following:

(1) The special supplemental nutrition program for women, infants, and children as provided in 42 U.S.C. §1786 et seq.

(2) The supplemental nutrition assistance program as provided in 7 U.S.C. ch. 51.

2. If the United States department of agriculture approves cultivated-protein food products for purchase under a federal nutrition program, the department of health and human services shall submit a request to the United States department of agriculture for a waiver or other exception that excludes cultivated-protein food products from program eligibility in this state.

[2024 Acts, ch 1158, §1](#)