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1 AN ACT Relating to poultry; amending RCW 69.07.100; adding a new  
2 section to chapter 43.20 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 16.49  
3 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 69.04 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.20 RCW  
6 to read as follows:

7 Rules adopted by the state board of health, the department of  
8 health, or a local health jurisdiction, as defined in RCW 43.70.575,  
9 regulating food or food service establishments do not apply to the  
10 slaughter and preparation of one thousand or fewer poultry animals in  
11 a calendar year by the agricultural producer of the poultry for the  
12 sale of the whole or cut-up raw poultry by the producer directly to  
13 retail customers, or to such sale. The state board of health, the  
14 department of health, or a local health jurisdiction, as defined in RCW  
15 43.70.575, shall not apply such rules directly or indirectly to such an  
16 activity or sale.

17 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 16.49 RCW  
18 to read as follows:

1 This chapter does not apply to the slaughter and preparation of one  
2 thousand or fewer poultry animals in a calendar year by the  
3 agricultural producer of the poultry for the sale of the whole or cut-  
4 up raw poultry by the producer directly to retail customers or to such  
5 a sale.

6 **Sec. 3.** RCW 69.07.100 and 2002 c 301 s 10 are each amended to read  
7 as follows:

8 (1) The provisions of this chapter shall not apply to  
9 establishments issued a permit or licensed under the provisions of:

10 ~~((1))~~ (a) Chapter 69.25 RCW, the Washington wholesome eggs and  
11 egg products act;

12 ~~((2))~~ (b) Chapter 69.28 RCW, the Washington state honey act;

13 ~~((3))~~ (c) Chapter 16.49 RCW, the meat inspection act;

14 ~~((4))~~ (d) Chapter 77.65 RCW, relating to the direct retail  
15 endorsement for wild-caught seafood;

16 ~~((5))~~ (e) Title 66 RCW, relating to alcoholic beverage control;  
17 and

18 ~~((6))~~ (f) Chapter 69.30 RCW, the sanitary control of shellfish  
19 act. However, if any such establishments process foods not  
20 specifically provided for in the above entitled acts, such  
21 establishments shall be subject to the provisions of this chapter.

22 (2) The provisions of this chapter shall not apply to:

23 (a) Restaurants or food service establishments; and

24 (b) The slaughter and preparation of one thousand or fewer poultry  
25 animals in a calendar year by the agricultural producer of the poultry  
26 for the sale of the whole or cut-up raw poultry by the producer  
27 directly to retail customers or to such a sale.

28 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 69.04 RCW  
29 to read as follows:

30 This chapter does not apply to the slaughter and preparation of one  
31 thousand or fewer poultry animals in a calendar year by the  
32 agricultural producer of the poultry for the sale of the whole or cut-  
33 up raw poultry by the producer directly to retail customers, or to such  
34 a sale.

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