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HOUSE BILL

***95-FN***

AN ACT relative to milk pasteurization.

SPONSORS: Rep. Allard, Merr. 21; Rep. Marsh, Carr. 8; Rep. Aron, Sull. 7; Rep. Woodcock, Carr. 2; Rep. Steven Smith, Sull. 11; Rep. Deshaies, Carr. 6; Rep. A. Lekas, Hills. 37

COMMITTEE: Environment and Agriculture

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ANALYSIS

This bill allows for the sale of products made with raw milk in certain circumstances.

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Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.  
Matter removed from current law appears ~~[in brackets and struck through.]~~  
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Two*

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*Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:*

1           6:1 License Required; Exemptions. Amend the introductory paragraph of RSA 184:84, V to read as  
2 follows:

3           V. A milk producer-distributor who daily produces for sale less than 20 gallons of raw milk or  
4 processes less than 20 gallons of raw milk into cheese aged at least 60 days, yogurt, cream, butter, *ice*  
5 *cream, frozen yogurt*, or kefir shall not require a milk producer-distributor license, provided these products  
6 are offered as direct sales from the producer-distributor's own farm, farm stand, or at a farmers' market to  
7 the food consumer within the state of New Hampshire only. *Ice cream and frozen yogurt produced and*  
8 *sold under this paragraph shall be packaged in containers no larger than 6 fluid ounces and shall be*  
9 *marked with an expiration date 30 days from the date of manufacture.*

10          6:2 Labeling of Raw Milk Products. Amend RSA 184:84, V(a) to read as follows:

11           (a) Any product containing raw milk from the milk producer-distributor's farm or farm stand or  
12 at farmers' markets shall be clearly labeled. If the product is sold in containers provided by the producer-  
13 distributor, the individual container shall have a label which contains the name, address, and phone  
14 number of the milk producer-distributor's farm; the name of the product; and the following statement:  
15 "This product is made with raw milk and is exempt from New Hampshire licensing and inspection. *RAW*  
16 *MILK: consuming raw milk may increase your risk of foodborne illness.*"

6:3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage

Approved: March 18, 2022  
Effective Date: May 17, 2022

