

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 1100

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN

SMALL BUSINESS: Repeals requirements for enriching bread and flour sold in this state

1 AN ACT

2 To repeal R.S. 40:782 through 792, relative to bread and flour; to remove prohibitions on
3 flour and bread that are not enriched.

4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

5 Section 1. R.S. 40:782 through 792 are hereby repealed in their entirety.

DIGEST

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HB 1100 Engrossed

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Abstract: Repeals requirements for enriching bread and flour sold in this state.

Present law requires bread and flour sold in this state to be enriched with vitamins in certain amounts.

Present law requires enriched flour and bread to be properly labeled in accordance with state and federal law.

Present law exempts certain flour and bread products and transactions from requirements of present law including specific commercial uses, whole wheat products, toll milling, and on-farm use.

Present law authorizes the La. Dept. of Health (LDH) to conduct inspections, collect samples, and investigate facilities involved in flour and bread production and distribution.

Present law authorizes LDH to temporarily suspend enrichment requirements during ingredient shortages and to reinstate them when the shortage ends.

Present law authorizes LDH to adopt, amend, and rescind rules and regulations necessary to implement related to enriched flour.

Present law requires publication of notices, rules, and orders in newspapers across three regions of the state and allows LDH to set the effective date.

Present law establishes penalties for violations, including fines, imprisonment, or both.

Proposed law repeals present law.

(Repeals R.S. 40:782-792)