

SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 161

2023 Regular Session

Lambert

KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

PUBLIC HEALTH. Provides for the Louisiana Small Wild Catfish Processor's Act. (8/1/23)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1. Make technical changes to relocate proposed law relative to the cleaning and sanitizing of food containers and food contact surfaces.
2. Require the refrigeration of processed wild catfish only if appropriate.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

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Proposed law creates an exemption to present law to allow small wild catfish processors to prepare catfish for direct sale to the consuming public if the processor sells less than or equal to 400 pounds of catfish per month and does not employ another individual to assist in the preparation of wild catfish for the direct sale to the consuming public.

Proposed law establishes standards for equipment and labeling requirements applicable to the preparation of wild catfish for direct sale to the consuming public.

Proposed law requires a wild catfish processor to hold a wholesale/retail seafood dealer's license pursuant to present law and be registered to collect any local sales and use taxes that are applicable to the sale fo seafood.

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