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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 494, L.D. 674, Bill, "An Act to Provide Consumers Notice of Restaurant Foods Containing Monosodium Glutamate"

Amend the bill in subsection 13, in the first line (page 1, line 5 in L.D.) by adding after the following: "glutamate" the following: 'MSG'

Further amend the bill in subsection 13, in paragraph A in the last line (page 1, line 14 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "or"

Further amend the bill in subsection 13, in paragraph B in the 3rd line (page 1, line 18 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "or" and inserting in its place the following '''

Further amend the bill in subsection 13, in paragraph B in the 4th line (page 1, line 19 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "menu" the following: ', or in an open manner where the food order or food product is obtained'

Further amend the bill in subsection 13, in paragraph B in the last line (page 1, line 20 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "glutamate." and inserting in its place the following: 'glutamate; or'

Further amend the bill in subsection 13 by adding at the end the following:

'C. There is a conspicuously displayed directory to which customers can refer for information on the contents of unpackaged products offered for sale.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment expands the bill to ensure that customers have access to information concerning the contents of unpackaged food offered for sale, such as at a grocery store delicatessen or at a take-out counter.