

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
116TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 265, L.D. 343, Bill, "An
Act to Define Farmers' Market"

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title
and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the
following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not
become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted
as emergencies; and

Whereas, this Act regulates farm markets, which will be
operating this summer; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
Maine and require the following legislation as immediately
necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
safety; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 7 MRSA §415 is enacted to read:

§415. Farmers' market

1. Definitions. As used in this section, unless the
context otherwise indicates, the following terms have the
following meanings.

**A. "Farmers' market" means a building, structure or place
used by 2 or more farmers for the direct sale of farm and
food products to consumers, at which all sellers meet the
requirements of subsection 2, paragraph B.**

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