

HOUSE BILL No. 2072

By Committee on Agriculture

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AN ACT concerning the state meat and poultry inspection program; relating to elimination thereof; amending K.S.A. 50-905 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 65-6a18, 65-6a19, 65-6a20, 65-6a21, 65-6a22, 65-6a23, 65-6a24, 65-6a25, 65-6a26, 65-6a27, 65-6a28, 65-6a29, 65-6a30, 65-6a31, 65-6a32, 65-6a33, 65-6a34, 65-6a34a, 65-6a35, 65-6a36, 65-6a37, 65-6a38, 65-6a39, 65-6a40, 65-6a41, 65-6a43, 65-6a44, 65-6a44a, 65-6a45, 65-6a46 and 65-6a56.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 50-905 is hereby amended to read as follows: 50-905. (a) The state board of agriculture and the secretary of the state board of agriculture shall provide, ~~in conjunction with and in addition to the inspection program established under K.S.A. 65-6a30 and amendments thereto,~~ for inspection of places of business of sellers who are subject to this act.

(b) Personnel of the state board of agriculture designated by the secretary of the state board of agriculture shall have access to those places of business during regular business hours for the purpose of inspecting carcasses or parts of carcasses sold by the seller and observing the sales practices of the seller to determine whether there is compliance with the provisions of this act.

(c) The secretary of the state board of agriculture, or personnel designated by the secretary, shall report any suspected violations of this act to the county or district attorney of the county where the alleged violation occurred and to the attorney general.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 50-905, 65-6a18, 65-6a19, 65-6a20, 65-6a21, 65-6a22, 65-6a23, 65-6a24, 65-6a25, 65-6a26, 65-6a27, 65-6a28, 65-6a29, 65-6a30, 65-6a31, 65-6a32, 65-6a33, 65-6a34, 65-6a34a, 65-6a35, 65-6a36, 65-6a37, 65-6a38, 65-6a39, 65-6a40, 65-6a41, 65-6a43, 65-6a44, 65-6a44a, 65-6a45, 65-6a46 and 65-6a56 are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2004, and its publication in the statute book.