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Subject: FW: Amendment HB 2331 as requested

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HB 2331 Amendment-Correcting the definition of Farmers markets

Amending a part of SB 217 which was added to HB 2331 yesterday in committee farm wineries at farmers markets.

As it now reads;

Specifically the definition of farmers market that was on pg 1 line 34-35 in SB 217, "(d) For the purposes of this section, ~~"bona fide farmers' market" means any location held out to be a farmers' market that is subject to inspection by the department of agriculture~~ farmers' market as defined in K.S.A. 2-3802, and amendments thereto.

Instead Amend it to read,

""(d) For the purposes of this section, ~~"bona fide farmers' market" means any location held out to be a farmers' market that is subject to inspection by the department of agriculture~~ "Farmers' market" means a common facility or area where producers or growers gather on a regular, recurring basis to sell fresh fruits, vegetables, meats and other farm products directly to consumers-

Background-If unchanged the bill would reference the definition below which is too broad

Current Statute

2-3802. Same; definitions. As used in this act:

- (a) "Department" means the Kansas department of agriculture.
- (b) "Farmers' market" means a common facility or area where producers or growers gather on a regular, recurring basis to sell fresh fruits, vegetables, meats and other farm products directly to consumers. "Farmers' market" includes, but is not limited to, short-term festivals, roadside stands or other agricultural product sales or other locations or any market, sales event or other related event, series of events or venue that advertises, promotes or uses the term "farmers' market" or any derivative thereof, as a part of the name of such market, sales event, or other related event or venue.