

**CHAPTER 48****( HB 343 )**

AN ACT relating to certificates of free sale.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 260 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) *As used in this section, "certificate of free sale" means a document attesting that a product is legally sold or distributed in the open, without restriction, in the country of origin.*
- (2) *The Department of Agriculture is authorized to issue certificates of free sale for products that are manufactured or processed in Kentucky and not intended for human consumption.*
- (3) *The department shall charge a reasonable fee for issuing certificates of free sale.*
- (4) *The department may adopt rules and promulgate administrative regulations necessary to carry out this section.*

**Signed by Governor March 30, 2018.**