

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to cottage food operations; amending
 3 s. 500.80, F.S.; increasing the annual gross sales
 4 limitation for exempting cottage food operations from
 5 certain food and building permitting requirements;
 6 authorizing cottage food products to be advertised,
 7 sold, and paid for over the Internet; requiring such
 8 products to be delivered in person directly to the
 9 consumer or to a specific event venue; providing an
 10 effective date.

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 12 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 14 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) and subsection
 15 (2) of section 500.80, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

16 500.80 Cottage food operations.—

17 (1)(a) A cottage food operation must comply with the
 18 applicable requirements of this chapter but is exempt from the
 19 permitting requirements of s. 500.12 if the cottage food
 20 operation complies with this section and has annual gross sales
 21 of cottage food products that do not exceed \$50,000 ~~\$15,000~~.

22 (2) A cottage food operation may sell, offer for sale, and
 23 accept payment for cottage food products over the Internet but
 24 such products must be delivered in person directly to the
 25 consumer or to a specific event venue. A cottage food operation

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26 | may not sell, ~~or~~ offer for sale, or deliver cottage food
27 | products ~~over the Internet,~~ by mail order, or at wholesale.

28 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017.