

ESHB 1754 - S COMM AMD  
By Committee on Agriculture

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1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the  
2 following:

3 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 16.49 RCW  
4 to read as follows:

5 This chapter does not apply to the slaughter and preparation of one  
6 thousand or fewer pastured chickens in a calendar year by the  
7 agricultural producer of the chickens for the sale of whole raw  
8 chickens by the producer directly to the ultimate consumer at the  
9 producer's farm.

10 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 69.07 RCW  
11 to read as follows:

12 (1) A special, temporary permit issued by the department under this  
13 section is required for the slaughter and preparation of one thousand  
14 or fewer pastured chickens in a calendar year by the agricultural  
15 producer of the chickens for the sale of whole raw chickens by the  
16 producer directly to the ultimate consumer at the producer's farm, and  
17 for such sale. Such activities shall not be conducted without the  
18 permit. However, if the activities are conducted under such a permit,  
19 the activities are exempted from any other licensing requirements of  
20 this chapter.

21 (2)(a) The department must adopt by rule requirements for a  
22 special, temporary permit for the activities described in subsection  
23 (1) of this section. The requirements must be generally patterned  
24 after those established by WAC 246-215-190 as it exists on the  
25 effective date of this section for temporary food service  
26 establishments, but must be tailored specifically to these slaughter,  
27 preparation, and sale activities. The requirements must include, but  
28 are not limited to, those for: Cooling procedures, when applicable;

1 sanitary facilities, equipment, and utensils; clean water; washing and  
2 other hygienic practices; and waste and wastewater disposal.

3 (b) The rules must also identify the length of time such a permit  
4 is valid. In determining the length of time, the department must take  
5 care to ensure that it is adequate to accommodate the seasonal nature  
6 of the permitted activities. In adopting any rule under this section,  
7 the department must also carefully consider the economic constraints on  
8 the regulated activity.

9 (3) The department shall conduct such inspections of the activities  
10 permitted under this section as are reasonably necessary to ensure  
11 compliance with permit requirements.

12 (4) The fee for a special permit issued under this section is  
13 seventy-five dollars."

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14 On page 1, beginning on line 1 of the title, after "poultry;"  
15 strike the remainder of the title and insert "adding a new section to  
16 chapter 16.49 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 69.07 RCW."

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