A BILL FOR AN ACT

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

SECTION	1.	The	purpose	of	this	Act	is	to:
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- (1) Allow agricultural tourism uses and activities, including overnight accommodations for stays of less than thirty consecutive days, conducted in conjunction with a bona fide farming operation, in the state agricultural district; and
- (2) Ensure that bona fide farming operations that meet the statutory criteria would not be required to obtain a special permit pursuant to section 205-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for accessory agricultural tourism uses and activities.

Pursuant to this Act, depending on the particular county ordinance, an applicant could apply for a ministerial permit for an agricultural tourism use if the applicant demonstrates that the agricultural income from the farming operation as defined in section 165-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, meets or exceeds the minimum income criteria. Applicants not meeting the bona fide

farming operation criteria would not be able to conduct

1	agricultural to	urism activities, including overnight
2	accommodations,	without obtaining a special permit pursuant to
3	section 205-6,	Hawaii Revised Statutes. The counties would be
4	able to further	regulate agricultural tourism activities,
5	including overn	ight accommodations, under existing county codes.
6	SECTION 2.	Section 141-9, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
7	amended by amen	ding subsection (a) to read as follows:
8	"(a) There	e is established within the department of
9	agriculture an	energy feedstock program that shall:
10	(1) Maint	ain cognizance of actions taken by industry and
11	by fe	deral, state, county, and private agencies in
12	activ	ities relating to the production of energy
13	feeds	tock, and promote and support worthwhile energy
14	feeds	tock production activities in the State;
15	(2) Serve	as an information clearinghouse for energy
16	feeds	tock production activities;
17	(3) Coord	inate development projects to investigate and
18	solve	biological and technical problems involved in
19	raisi	ng selected species with commercial energy
20	gener	ating potential;

1	(4)	Actively seek federal funding for energy feedstock
2		production activities;
3	(5)	Undertake activities required to develop and expand
4		the energy feedstock production industry; and
5	(6)	Perform other functions and activities as may be
6		assigned by law, including monitoring the compliance
7		provisions under section $[205-4.5(a)(16).]$ $205-$
8		4.5(a)(15)."
9	SECT	ION 3. Section 165-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
10	amended b	y amending the definition of "farming operation" to
11	read as f	ollows:
12	""Fa	rming operation" means a commercial agricultural,
13	silvicult	ural, or aquacultural facility or pursuit conducted, in
14	whole or	in part, including the care and production of livestock
15	and lives	tock products, poultry and poultry products, apiary
16	products,	and plant and animal production for nonfood uses; the
17	planting,	cultivating, harvesting, and processing of crops; and
18	the farmi	ng or ranching of any plant or animal species in a
19	controlle	d salt, brackish, or freshwater environment. "Farming
20	operation	" includes but shall not be limited to:

1	(1)	Agricultural-based commercial operations as described
2		in section [[205-2(d)(15)];] 205-2(d)(14);
3	(2)	Noises, odors, dust, and fumes emanating from a
4		commercial agricultural or an aquacultural facility or
5		pursuit;
6	(3)	Operation of machinery and irrigation pumps;
7	(4)	Ground and aerial seeding and spraying;
8	(5)	The application of chemical fertilizers, conditioners,
9		insecticides, pesticides, and herbicides; and
10	(6)	The employment and use of labor.
11	A farming	operation that conducts processing operations or salt,
12	brackish,	or freshwater aquaculture operations on land that is
13	zoned for	industrial, commercial, or other nonagricultural use
14	shall not	, by reason of that zoning, fall beyond the scope of
15	this defin	nition; provided that those processing operations form
16	an integra	al part of operations that otherwise meet the
17	requiremen	nts of this definition."
18	SECT	ION 4. Section 205-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
19	amended by	y amending subsection (d) to read as follows:
20	"(d)	Agricultural districts shall include:

1	(1)	Accivities of uses as characterized by the curtivation
2		of crops, crops for bioenergy, orchards, forage, and
3		forestry;
4	(2)	Farming activities or uses related to animal husbandry
5		and game and fish propagation;
6	(3)	Aquaculture, which means the production of aquatic
7		plant and animal life within ponds and other bodies of
8		water;
9	(4)	Wind generated energy production for public, private,
10		and commercial use;
11	(5)	Biofuel production, as described in section [205
12		$\frac{4.5(a)(16)}{205-4.5(a)(15)}$, for public, private, and
13	·	commercial use;
14	(6)	Solar energy facilities; provided that:
15		(A) This paragraph shall apply only to land with soil
16		classified by the land study bureau's detailed
17		land classification as overall (master)
18		productivity rating class B, C, D, or E; and
19		(B) Solar energy facilities placed within land with
20		soil classified as overall productivity rating
21		class B or C shall not occupy more than ten per

1		cent of the acreage of the parcel, or twenty
2		acres of land, whichever is lesser, unless a
3		special use permit is granted pursuant to section
4		205-6;
5	(7)	Bona fide agricultural services and uses that support
6		the agricultural activities of the fee or leasehold
7		owner of the property and accessory to any of the
8		above activities, regardless of whether conducted on
9		the same premises as the agricultural activities to
10		which they are accessory, including farm dwellings as
11		defined in section 205-4.5(a)(4), employee housing,
12		farm buildings, mills, storage facilities, processing
13		facilities, photovoltaic, biogas, and other small-
14		scale renewable energy systems producing energy solely
15		for use in the agricultural activities of the fee or
16		leasehold owner of the property, agricultural-energy
17		facilities as defined in section [205-4.5(a)(17),
18		205-4.5(a)(16), vehicle and equipment storage areas,
19		and plantation community subdivisions as defined in
20		section 205-4.5(a)(12);

(8) Wind machines and wind farms;

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1	(9)	Small-scale meteorological, air quality, noise, and
2		other scientific and environmental data collection and
3		monitoring facilities occupying less than one-half
4		acre of land; provided that these facilities shall not
5		be used as or equipped for use as living quarters or
6		dwellings;
7	(10)	Agricultural parks;
8	(11)	Agricultural tourism uses or activities, including
9		overnight accommodations for stays of less than thirty
10		consecutive days, conducted [on a working farm, or a]
11	•	in conjunction with a bona fide farming operation [as
12		defined in section 165-2, for the enjoyment,
13		education, or involvement of visitors]; provided that
14		the agricultural tourism <u>use or</u> activity is accessory
15		and secondary to the principal agricultural use and
16		does not interfere with surrounding farm operations;
17		and provided further that [this paragraph shall apply
18		only to a county that has adopted ordinances
19		regulating agricultural tourism under section 205-5;
20	(12)	Agricultural tourism activities, including overnight
21		accommodations of twenty one days or less, for any one

1	stay within a county; provided that this paragraph
2	shall apply only to a county that includes at least
3	three islands and has adopted ordinances regulating
4	agricultural tourism activities pursuant to section
5	205-5; provided further that the agricultural tourism
6	activities coexist with a bona fide agricultural
7	activity. For the purposes of this paragraph, "bona
8	fide agricultural activity" means a farming operation
9	as defined in section 165-2;]
10	an agricultural tourism use or activity shall not be
11	permissible in the absence of a farming operation and
12	shall terminate upon cessation of the farming
13	operation's agricultural activity. For the purposes
14	of this paragraph, "bona fide farming operation" means
15	a farming operation as defined in section 165-2 that
16	meets the following minimum criteria and standards and
17	any additional criteria and standards adopted by
18	county ordinance pursuant to section 205-5(b):
19	(A) Has been in operation for not less than two
20	years;

1		<u>(B)</u>	Rece	ives the majority of its annual gross income
2			from	the sale of agricultural products grown by
3			the f	farming operation on the property for which
4		•	an ag	gricultural tourism use is proposed; and
5		(C)	Has a	annual gross sales of agricultural products
6			grown	n on the property for a minimum of two of the
7			prece	eding five years of no less than:
8			<u>(i)</u>	\$35,000 if the agricultural tourism use or
9				structures or includes overnight
10				accommodations; or
11		_(<u>ii)</u>	\$10,000 if the agricultural tourism use or
12				activity does not require permanent enclosed
13				structures and does not include overnight
14				accommodations;
15	[(13)]	(12)	Oper	n area recreational facilities;
16	[(14)]	(13)	Geot	thermal resources exploration and geothermal
17		resou	rces	development, as defined under section 182-1;
18		and		
19	[(15)]	(14)	Agri	icultural-based commercial operations,
20		inclu	ding:	· •

1	(A)	A roadside stand that is not an enclosed
2		structure, owned and operated by a producer for
3		the display and sale of agricultural products
4		grown in Hawaii and value-added products that
5		were produced using agricultural products grown
6		in Hawaii;
7	(B)	Retail activities in an enclosed structure owned
8		and operated by a producer for the display and
9		sale of agricultural products grown in Hawaii,
10		value-added products that were produced using
11		agricultural products grown in Hawaii, logo items
12		related to the producer's agricultural
13		operations, and other food items; and
14	(C)	A retail food establishment owned and operated by
15		a producer and permitted under title 11, chapter
16		12 of the rules of the department of health that
17		prepares and serves food at retail using products
18		grown in Hawaii and value-added products that
19		were produced using agricultural products grown
20		in Hawaii.

1	The owner of an agricultural-based commercial
2	operation shall certify, upon request of an officer or
3	agent charged with enforcement of this chapter under
4	section 205-12, that the agricultural products
5	displayed or sold by the operation meet the
6	requirements of this paragraph.
7	Agricultural districts shall not include golf courses and golf
8	driving ranges, except as provided in section 205-4.5(d).
9	Agricultural districts include areas that are not used for, or
10	that are not suited to, agricultural and ancillary activities by
11	reason of topography, soils, and other related characteristics."
12	SECTION 5. Section 205-4.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
13	amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:
14	"(a) Within the agricultural district, all lands with soil
15	classified by the land study bureau's detailed land
16	classification as overall (master) productivity rating class A
17	or B and for solar energy facilities, class B or C, shall be
18	restricted to the following permitted uses:
19	(1) Cultivation of crops, including crops for bioenergy,
20	flowers, vegetables, foliage, fruits, forage, and
21	timber;

1	(2)	Game and fish propagation;
2	(3)	Raising of livestock, including poultry, bees, fish,
3		or other animal or aquatic life that are propagated
4		for economic or personal use;
5	(4)	Farm dwellings, employee housing, farm buildings, or
6		activities or uses related to farming and animal
7		husbandry. "Farm dwelling", as used in this
8		paragraph, means a single-family dwelling located on
9		and used in connection with a farm, including clusters
10		of single-family farm dwellings permitted within
11		agricultural parks developed by the State, or where
12		agricultural activity provides income to the family
13		occupying the dwelling;
14	(5)	Public institutions and buildings that are necessary
15		for agricultural practices;
16	(6)	Public and private open area types of recreational
17		uses, including day camps, picnic grounds, parks, and
18		riding stables, but not including dragstrips,
19		airports, drive-in theaters, golf courses, golf

driving ranges, country clubs, and overnight camps;

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1	(/)	Public, private, and quasi-public utility lines and
2		roadways, transformer stations, communications
3		equipment buildings, solid waste transfer stations,
4		major water storage tanks, and appurtenant small
5		buildings such as booster pumping stations, but not
6		including offices or yards for equipment, material,
7		vehicle storage, repair or maintenance, treatment
8		plants, corporation yards, or other similar
9		structures;
10	(8)	Retention, restoration, rehabilitation, or improvement
11		of buildings or sites of historic or scenic interest;
12	(9)	Agricultural-based commercial operations as described
13		in section [205-2(d)(15);] <u>205-2(d)(14);</u>
14	(10)	Buildings and uses, including mills, storage, and
15		processing facilities, maintenance facilities,
16		photovoltaic, biogas, and other small-scale renewable
17		energy systems producing energy solely for use in the
18		agricultural activities of the fee or leasehold owner
19		of the property, and vehicle and equipment storage
20		areas that are normally considered directly accessory

1		to the above-mentioned uses and are permitted under		
2		section 205-2(d);		
3	(11)	Agricultural parks;		
4	(12)	Plantation community subdivisions, which as used in		
5		this chapter means an established subdivision or		
6		cluster of employee housing, community buildings, and		
7		agricultural support buildings on land currently or		
8		formerly owned, leased, or operated by a sugar or		
9		pineapple plantation; provided that the existing		
10		structures may be used or rehabilitated for use, and		
11		new employee housing and agricultural support		
12		buildings may be allowed on land within the		
13		subdivision as follows:		
14		(A) The employee housing is occupied by employees or		
15		former employees of the plantation who have a		
16		property interest in the land;		
17		(B) The employee housing units not owned by their		
18		occupants shall be rented or leased at affordable		
19		rates for agricultural workers; or		

1		(C) The agricultural support buildings shall be
2		rented or leased to agricultural business
3		operators or agricultural support services;
4	(13)	Agricultural tourism uses or activities, including
5		overnight accommodations for stays of less than thirty
6		consecutive days conducted [on a working farm, or a]
7		in conjunction with a bona fide farming operation [as
8		defined in section 165-2, for the enjoyment,
9		education, or involvement of visitors]; provided that
10		the agricultural tourism <u>use or</u> activity is accessory
11		and secondary to the principal agricultural use and
12		does not interfere with surrounding farm operations;
13		and provided further that [this paragraph shall apply
14		only to a county that has adopted ordinances
15		regulating agricultural tourism under section 205-5;
16	(14)	Agricultural tourism-activities, including overnight
17		accommodations of twenty one days or less, for any one
18		stay within a county; provided that this paragraph
19		shall apply only to a county that includes at least
20		three islands and has adopted ordinances regulating
21		agricultural tourism activities pursuant to section

205-5; provided further that the agricultural tourism
activities coexist with a bona fide agricultural
activity. For the purposes of this paragraph, "bona
fide agricultural activity" means a farming operation
as defined in section 165-2;]
an agricultural tourism use or activity shall not be
permissible in the absence of a farming operation and
shall terminate upon cessation of the farming
operation's agricultural activity. For the purposes of
this paragraph, "bona fide farming operation" means a
farming operation as defined in section 165-2 that
meets the following minimum criteria and standards and
any additional criteria and standards adopted by
county ordinance pursuant to section 205-5(b):
(A) Has been in operation for not less than two
years;
(B) Receives the majority of its annual gross income
from the sale of agricultural products grown by
the farming operation on the property for which
an agricultural tourism use is proposed; and

1		(C) Has annual gross sales of agricultural products
2		grown on the property for a minimum of two of the
3		preceding five years of no less than:
4		(i) \$35,000 if the agricultural tourism use or
5		activity that requires permanent enclosed
6		structures or includes overnight
7		accommodations; or
8		(ii) \$10,000 if the agricultural tourism use or
9		activity does not require permanent enclosed
10		structures and does not include overnight
11		accommodations;
12	[(15)]	(14) Wind energy facilities, including the
13		appurtenances associated with the production and
14		transmission of wind generated energy; provided that
15		the wind energy facilities and appurtenances are
16		compatible with agriculture uses and cause minimal
17		adverse impact on agricultural land;
18	[-(16) -]	(15) Biofuel processing facilities, including the
19		appurtenances associated with the production and
20		refining of biofuels that is normally considered
21		directly accessory and secondary to the growing of the

1		energy feedstock; provided that biofuel processing
2		facilities and appurtenances do not adversely impact
3		agricultural land and other agricultural uses in the
4		vicinity.
5		For the purposes of this paragraph:
6		"Appurtenances" means operational infrastructure
7		of the appropriate type and scale for economic
8		commercial storage and distribution, and other similar
9		handling of feedstock, fuels, and other products of
10		biofuel processing facilities.
11		"Biofuel processing facility" means a facility
12		that produces liquid or gaseous fuels from organic
13		sources such as biomass crops, agricultural residues,
14		and oil crops, including palm, canola, soybean, and
15		waste cooking oils; grease; food wastes; and animal
16		residues and wastes that can be used to generate
17		energy;
18	[(17)]	(16) Agricultural-energy facilities, including
19		appurtenances necessary for an agricultural-energy
20		enterprise; provided that the primary activity of the
21		agricultural-energy enterprise is agricultural

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activity. To be considered the primary activity of an
agricultural-energy enterprise, the total acreage
devoted to agricultural activity shall be not less
than ninety per cent of the total acreage of the
agricultural-energy enterprise. The agricultural-
energy facility shall be limited to lands owned,
leased, licensed, or operated by the entity conducting
the agricultural activity.

As used in this paragraph:

"Agricultural activity" means any activity described in paragraphs (1) to (3) of this subsection.

"Agricultural-energy enterprise" means an enterprise that integrally incorporates an agricultural activity with an agricultural-energy facility.

"Agricultural-energy facility" means a facility that generates, stores, or distributes renewable energy as defined in section 269-91 or renewable fuel including electrical or thermal energy or liquid or gaseous fuels from products of agricultural activities from agricultural lands located in the State.

1		"Appurtenances" means operational infrastructure
2		of the appropriate type and scale for the economic
3		commercial generation, storage, distribution, and
4		other similar handling of energy, including equipment,
5		feedstock, fuels, and other products of agricultural-
6		energy facilities;
7	[(18)]	(17) Construction and operation of wireless
8		communication antennas; provided that, for the
9		purposes of this paragraph, "wireless communication
10		antenna" means communications equipment that is either
11		freestanding or placed upon or attached to an already
12		existing structure and that transmits and receives
13		electromagnetic radio signals used in the provision of
14		all types of wireless communications services;
15		provided further that nothing in this paragraph shall
16		be construed to permit the construction of any new
17	·	structure that is not deemed a permitted use under
18		this subsection;
19	[(19)]	(18) Agricultural education programs conducted on a
20		farming operation as defined in section 165-2, for the
21		education and participation of the general public;

1		provided that the agricultural education programs are
2		accessory and secondary to the principal agricultural
3		use of the parcels or lots on which the agricultural
4		education programs are to occur and do not interfere
5		with surrounding farm operations. For the purposes of
6		this section, "agricultural education programs" means
7		activities or events designed to promote knowledge and
8		understanding of agricultural activities and practices
9		conducted on a farming operation as defined in section
10		165-2;
11	[(20)]	(19) Solar energy facilities that do not occupy more
12		than ten per cent of the acreage of the parcel, or
13		twenty acres of land, whichever is lesser or for which
14		a special use permit is granted pursuant to section
15		205-6; provided that this use shall not be permitted
16		on lands with soil classified by the land study
17		bureau's detailed land classification as overall
18		(master) productivity rating class A unless the solar
19		energy facilities are:
20		(A) Located on a paved or unpaved road in existence
21		as of December 31, 2013, and the parcel of land

1			upon which the paved or unpaved road is located			
2			has a valid county agriculture tax dedication			
3			status or a valid agricultural conservation			
4			easement;			
5		(B)	Placed in a manner that still allows vehicular			
6			traffic to use the road; and			
7		(C)	Granted a special use permit by the commission			
8			pursuant to section 205-6;			
9	[(21)]	(20)	Solar energy facilities on lands with soil			
10		clas	classified by the land study bureau's detailed land			
11		clas	classification as overall (master) productivity rating			
12		B or	B or C for which a special use permit is granted			
13		purs	pursuant to section 205-6; provided that:			
14		(A)	The area occupied by the solar energy facilities			
15			is also made available for compatible			
16			agricultural activities at a lease rate that is			
17			at least fifty per cent below the fair market			
18			rent for comparable properties;			
19		(B)	Proof of financial security to decommission the			
20			facility is provided to the satisfaction of the			
21			appropriate county planning commission prior to			

1		date	e of commencement of commercial generation;
2		and	
3		(C) Sola	ar energy facilities shall be decommissioned
4		at i	the owner's expense according to the following
5		req	uirements:
6		(i)	Removal of all equipment related to the
7			solar energy facility within twelve months
8			of the conclusion of operation or useful
9			life; and
10		(ii)	Restoration of the disturbed earth to
11			substantially the same physical condition as
12			existed prior to the development of the
13			solar energy facility.
14		For	the purposes of this paragraph, "agricultural
15		activitie	es" means the activities described in
16		paragrapl	ns (1) to (3); [or] <u>and</u>
17	[(22)]	(21) Geo	othermal resources exploration and geothermal
18		resources	s development, as defined under section 182-
19		1."	
20	SECT	ION 6. Se	ection 205-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
21	amended by	/ amending	g subsection (b) to read as follows:

1	"(b)	Within agricultural districts, uses compatible to the			
2	activities	s described in section 205-2 as determined by the			
3	commission	n shall be permitted; provided that accessory			
4	agricultu	ral uses and services described in sections 205-2 and			
5	205-4.5 ma	ay be further defined by each county by zoning			
6	ordinance.	. [Each county shall adopt ordinances setting forth			
7	procedures	and requirements, including provisions for			
8	enforcemen	nt, penalties, and administrative oversight, for the			
9	review and	d permitting of agricultural tourism uses and			
10	activities	as an accessory use on a working farm, or farming			
11	operation as defined in section 165-2. Ordinances shall include				
12	but not be	e limited to:			
13	(1)	Requirements for access to a farm, including road			
14		width, road surface, and parking;			
15	(2)	Requirements and restrictions for accessory facilities			
16		connected with the farming operation, including gift			
17		shops and restaurants;			
18	(3)	Activities that may be offered by the farming			
19		operation for visitors;			
20	(4)	Days and hours of operation; and			



1	(5)	Auto	matic termination of the accessory use upon the
2		eess	ation of the farming operation.]
3	Each count	y ma	y adopt ordinances setting forth procedures,
4	standards,	and	requirements for the purposes of regulating
5	agricultur	ral t	ourism uses and activities as an accessory use on
6	a bona fic	le fa	rming operation pursuant to sections 205-2(d)(11)
7	and 205-4.	5(a)	(13); provided that:
8	(1)	Proo	f of bona fide farming operation income shall be
9		evid	enced by, at a minimum:
10		(A)	Federal tax forms that show profit or loss from
11			farming and state general excise tax forms for
12			each year of agricultural income as required by
13			sections 205-2(d)(11) and 205-4.5(a)(13); or
14		<u>(B)</u>	A notarized affidavit attesting that the income
15			from the sale of agricultural products grown on
16			the subject property meets or exceeds the minimum
17			income requirements in sections 205-2(d)(11) and
18			205-4.5(a)(13), or county ordinance, whichever
19			are higher; and
20	(2)	A co	unty may adopt more restrictive standards and
21		requ	irements for permitting and regulating

1	agricultural tourism uses and activities, including			
2	more restrictive income criteria and proof of bona			
3	fide farming operations.			
4	Each county may require an environmental assessment under			
5	chapter 343 as a condition to any agricultural tourism use and			
6	activity. Other uses may be allowed by special permits issued			
7	pursuant to this chapter. The minimum lot size in agricultural			
8	districts shall be determined by each county by zoning			
9	ordinance, subdivision ordinance, or other lawful means;			
10	provided that the minimum lot size for any agricultural use			
11	shall not be less than one acre, except as provided herein. If			
12	the county finds that unreasonable economic hardship to the			
13	owner or lessee of land cannot otherwise be prevented or where			
14	land utilization is improved, the county may allow lot sizes of			
15	less than the minimum lot size as specified by law for lots			
16	created by a consolidation of existing lots within an			
17	agricultural district and the resubdivision thereof; provided			
18	that the consolidation and resubdivision do not result in an			
19	increase in the number of lots over the number existing prior to			
20	consolidation; and provided further that in no event shall a lot			
21	which is equal to or exceeds the minimum lot size of one acre be			

- 1 less than that minimum after the consolidation and resubdivision
- 2 action. The county may also allow lot sizes of less than the
- 3 minimum lot size as specified by law for lots created or used
- 4 for plantation community subdivisions as defined in section 205-
- 5 4.5(a)(12), for public, private, and quasi-public utility
- 6 purposes, and for lots resulting from the subdivision of
- 7 abandoned roadways and railroad easements."
- 8 SECTION 7. Each county may adopt interim rules or
- 9 ordinances to regulate agricultural tourism uses, to remain in
- 10 effect until the county has adopted or amended applicable county
- 11 codes to conform to this Act.
- 12 SECTION 8. This Act shall not invalidate a lawful permit
- 13 for an agricultural tourism use and activity, including
- 14 overnight accommodations, on lands in the agricultural district
- 15 in effect on or before the effective date of this Act.
- 16 SECTION 9. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 17 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 18 SECTION 10. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.

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Report Title:

Agricultural Tourism; Overnight Accommodations; Bona Fide Farming Operation; Agricultural District

Description:

Allows agricultural tourism uses or activities, including certain overnight accommodations, conducted in conjunction with a bona fide farming operation, in the agricultural district. Defines bona fide farming operations. (SD1)

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