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H.B. No. 2113

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the regulation of cottage food products and cottage
3 food production operations.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Chapter 437, Health and Safety Code, is amended
6 by adding Section 437.0195 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 437.0195. PROHIBITED USE OF CERTAIN INGREDIENTS BY
8 COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCTION OPERATIONS. A cottage food production
9 operation may not use in a cottage food product an ingredient that
10 is not intended for human consumption, including an edible
11 decoration.

12 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
13 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
14 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
15 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
16 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.