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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 723

(Third Reading File Bill)

On page 2, in line 14, after the second “LABORATORY” insert “THAT:

(I) Is”;

and in line 16, strike “STANDARDIZATION” and substitute “STANDARDIZATION/INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION 17025:2017;

(II) USES AN ANALYTICAL METHOD AT LEAST AS SENSITIVE AS THE ANALYTICAL METHOD DESCRIBED IN SECTION 4.7 OF THE U.S. FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION ELEMENTAL ANALYSIS MANUAL FOR FOOD AND RELATED PRODUCTS; AND

(III) DEMONSTRATES PROFICIENCY IN QUANTIFYING EACH TOXIC ELEMENT TO AT LEAST 6 MICROGRAMS OF THE TOXIC ELEMENT TO KILOGRAM OF FOOD THROUGH AN INDEPENDENT PROFICIENCY TEST BY ACHIEVING A Z-SCORE THAT IS LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO PLUS OR MINUS TWO”.