

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

SB 2121 prohibits the distribution, sale, or manufacture of a meat or meat product that was produced from cultured animal tissue produced from in vitro animal cell cultures outside of the animal from which the cells were derived. The measure creates a misdemeanor for violating this prohibition and provides that such violators shall be subject to enforcement measures by rule of the State Department of Health as well as license revocation. The measure exempts research initiatives partnered with any federal, state, or local governmental entity or institution of higher education.

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