

By Mr. Miceli of Wilmington, petition of James R. Miceli relative to expiration date labeling of certain food product packages. Community Development and Small Business.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE SALE OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 94 of the General Laws, as appearing in
2 the 2000 edition is hereby amended by inserting after section 99B
3 the following section:—

4 Section 99C. No person shall sell or offer for sale or pack for
5 sale or distribution in the commonwealth fruit or vegetables
6 unless the name of the country in which such fruit or vegetables
7 were grown appears in easily readable form.

1 SECTION 2. No requirements of this Act shall apply to farm
2 stands and roadside stands.

Dear Sir,
I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the above matter.

I am sorry to hear that you are unable to attend the meeting on the 15th inst. I will be pleased to discuss the matter with you at a later date.

Yours faithfully,
[Signature]

Enclosed for you are the documents referred to in my letter of the 10th inst.

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