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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS,
SEPTEMBER 29, 2020

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 3 (Agriculture) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, providing for the regulation of hemp extract and
3 imposing duties on the Department of Agriculture.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Title 3 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes
7 is amended by adding a chapter to read:

8 CHAPTER 17

9 HEMP EXTRACT

10 Sec.

11 1701. Scope of chapter.

12 1702. Definitions.

13 1703. Regulations.

14 § 1701. Scope of chapter.

15 This chapter relates to the production, processing,
16 transportation, distribution and sale of hemp extract.

17 § 1702. Definitions.

18 The following words and phrases when used in this chapter

1 shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the
2 context clearly indicates otherwise:

3 "Hemp extract." Any product made or derived from industrial
4 hemp, and any part of such plant, including the seeds thereof
5 and all derivatives, extracts, cannabinoids, isomers, acids,
6 salts, and salts of isomers, whether growing or not, with a
7 delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of not more than an
8 amount of the plant Cannabis sativa L.

9 § 1703. Regulations.

10 (a) General rule.--Notwithstanding any other law to the
11 contrary, industrial hemp may be produced, processed,
12 transported, distributed and sold in a manner consistent with
13 the regulations promulgated under subsection (b) and all Federal
14 laws, regulations and orders.

15 (b) Regulations.--The department shall promulgate rules and
16 regulations governing the production, processing,
17 transportation, distribution and sale of hemp extract in this
18 Commonwealth.

19 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.