

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 HB1192

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

65 ILCS 5/11-20-16

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that a requirement that a municipality in a county with 2,000,000 or more inhabitants must regulate and inspect retail food establishments does not apply to a municipality that is served by a local health district. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning local government.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by changing Section 11-20-16 as follows:
- 6 (65 ILCS 5/11-20-16)
- 7 Sec. 11-20-16. Retail food establishments.
- 8 (a) A municipality in a county having a population of 2,000,000 or more inhabitants must regulate and inspect retail 10 food establishments in the municipality. A municipality must regulate and inspect retail food establishments in accordance 11 with applicable federal and State laws pertaining to the 12 operation of retail food establishments including but not 13 14 limited to the Illinois Food Handling Regulation Enforcement Act, the Illinois Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, the Sanitary 15 16 Food Preparation Act, the regulations of the Illinois 17 Department of Public Health, and local ordinances regulations. This subsection shall not apply to a municipality 18 19 that is served by a certified local health department, other 20 than a county certified local health department, or a local 21 health district.
- A home rule unit may not regulate retail food establishments in a less restrictive manner than as provided in

- 1 this Section. This Section is a limitation of home rule powers
- 2 under subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of the
- 3 Illinois Constitution on the concurrent exercise by home rule
- 4 units of the powers and functions exercised by the State.
- 5 (b) A municipality may enter into an intergovernmental
- 6 agreement with a county that provides for the county's
- 7 certified local health department to perform any or all
- 8 inspection functions for the municipality. The municipality
- 9 must pay the county's reasonable costs. An intergovernmental
- 10 agreement shall not preclude a municipality from continuing to
- 11 license retail food establishments within its jurisdiction.
- 12 (c) For the purpose of this Section, "retail food
- 13 establishment" includes a food service establishment, a
- 14 temporary food service establishment, and a retail food store
- as defined in the Food Service Sanitation Code, 77 Ill. Adm.
- 16 Code Part 750, and the Retail Food Store Sanitation Code, 77
- 17 Ill. Adm. Code Part 760.
- 18 (Source: P.A. 96-749, eff. 1-1-10; 96-1000, eff. 7-2-10.)
- 19 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 20 becoming law.