

By Senator Garcia

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to inspection of perishable items; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to inspect items that are exported by certain countries and enter the state through its airports; providing for payment of inspection costs; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services shall manually inspect each perishable item that enters the state through one of the state's airports and is exported by a country that has been identified by the United States Department of State as a country in which a terrorist organization exists. The costs of inspection shall be borne by the importer of such items.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005.