

HB 823

2005

1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to inspection of perishable items;  
3           requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer  
4           Services to inspect items that are exported by certain  
5           countries and enter the state through its airports;  
6           providing for payment of inspection costs; providing an  
7           effective date.

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

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

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