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HOUSE BILL 974

Short Title: State Purchases of Substitute for Milk. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Hill; and Church.

Referred to: State Government.

April 9, 2003

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ANY DEPARTMENT, INSTITUTION, OR AGENCY OF  
THE STATE FROM PURCHASING FOOD PRODUCTS CONTAINING MILK  
PROTEIN CONCENTRATE OR RECONSTITUTED MILK.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** Article 3 of Chapter 143 of the General Statutes is amended by  
adding a new section to read:

**"§ 143-59.3. No contracts for the purchase of products containing milk protein  
concentrate or reconstituted milk.**

No department, institution, or agency of the State shall enter into a contract for the  
purchase of any food product that lists 'milk protein concentrate' on the label as an  
ingredient. No department, institution, or agency of the State shall enter into a contract  
for the purchase of any fluid milk product that lists 'reconstituted milk' on the label as an  
ingredient."

**SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective October 1, 2003, and applies to  
contracts entered into on or after that date.