House Bill 3372
Sponsored by Representative SMITH DB

SUMMARY
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Requires State Department of Agriculture to adopt rules governing processing and sale of beef and lamb that does not travel in interstate commerce.

A BILL FOR AN ACT
Relating to meat.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2019 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 619.010 to 619.071.

SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:

(a) “Interstate commerce” means the movement of commercial goods:

(A) From a processing site within Oregon to a destination outside Oregon; and

(B) Between points within Oregon, but outside Oregon while in transit.

(b) “Processing” means activities that are subject to regulation under ORS 619.010 to 619.071 or ORS chapter 603.

(2) The State Department of Agriculture shall adopt rules for the processing and sale of beef and lamb that does not travel in interstate commerce. Notwithstanding ORS 603.015, 619.021 and 619.046, the department may adopt rules under this section that diverge from Federal Meat Inspection Act requirements. However, the rules must include requirements that are equivalent to the requirements of 21 U.S.C. 642, 643 and 644.

(3) The department may not administer or enforce any provision of the Federal Meat Inspection Act with regard to beef and lamb that is subject to department rules adopted under this section. ORS 603.034 does not apply to beef and lamb not traveling in interstate commerce that is processed and sold as provided in department rules adopted under this section.