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| | Referred to Committee: Senate 1 | | | | | | |
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- 1 An act to to put a 3% sales tax on food that contains more than 7 grams of fat; as well as beverages
- 2 containing 7 or more grams of sugar.
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- 4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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- 6 Section 1: This will put a 3% sales tax on food that contains more than 7 grams of fat; as well as beverages
- 7 containing 7 or more grams of sugar. The Federal Drug Administration (FDA) will identify what constitutes a
- 8 beverage in this bill.
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- 10 Section 2: The items that contain equal or less amount of 7 grams of fat or sugar in them will have a label to
- 11 identify that they have an added 3% sales tax. The government will pay for the labels with the money they
- 12 receive from charging the extra sales tax on these items.
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- 14 Section 3: The government would enforce this law by making grocery stores and restaurants sign a contract
- 15 saying they will participate in adding the tax. The consequences would be if the store did not add the tax
- 16 then it would be temporarily shut down. If the store/restaurant's owner still would not participate, then the
- 17 store/restaurant would be sold and further action would be taken.
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- 19 Section 4: This bill would not cost any money. If anything this would actually make some money. The
- 20 government would pay for the labels explained above with the extra money made from the tax.
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- 22 Section 5: This bill will be enacted 6 months after passage.