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RESTAURANT NUTRITION LABELING

2009 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Howard A. Stephenson

House Sponsor: Kevin S. Garn

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill enacts provisions relating to the authority of counties and municipalities to regulate the dissemination of nutritional information.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ prohibits counties and municipalities from regulating the dissemination of nutritional information by restaurants and other facilities; and
- ▶ provides that an ordinance or regulation in violation of this prohibition is void.

Monies Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

ENACTS:

10-8-44.5, Utah Code Annotated 1953

17-50-327, Utah Code Annotated 1953

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **10-8-44.5** is enacted to read:

10-8-44.5. Prohibition against regulation of nutritional information dissemination.



28 (1) A municipality may not regulate the dissemination of nutritional information or the
29 content required to be placed on a menu, menu board, or food tag by a restaurant, eating
30 establishment, or other food facility.

31 (2) An ordinance or regulation that violates Subsection (1) is void.

32 Section 2. Section **17-50-327** is enacted to read:

33 **17-50-327. Prohibition against regulation of nutritional information**
34 **dissemination.**

35 (1) A county may not regulate the dissemination of nutritional information or the
36 content required to be placed on a menu, menu board, or food tag by a restaurant, eating
37 establishment, or other food facility.

38 (2) An ordinance or regulation that violates Subsection (1) is void.

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State Impact

Enactment of this bill will not require additional appropriations.

Individual, Business and/or Local Impact

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable costs and/or benefits for individuals, businesses, or local governments.
