

July 15, 1949

Mr. P. A. Isley  
State Dairy Commissioner  
State House  
Phoenix, Arizona

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**ARIZONA ATTORNEY GENERAL**

Dear Mr. Isley:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 1, requesting an opinion from this office on the following question:

"Is a dairy such as the Consumer's Co-op entitled to a Producer-distributor and producer-manufacturer's license according to House Bill 195, Section 50-908?"

It is our opinion that consumer's co-operatives that are producers of raw milk handling their own products exclusively and distributing same and manufacturing milk products therefrom and distributing same are entitled to a license as provided by Section 50-908, 19th Legislature, Regular Session. Said section reads as follows:

"Producer-distributor and producer-manufacturer. A producer of market milk handling his own products exclusively and distributing the same, or manufacturing milk products therefrom and distributing the same, shall obtain a license as a dairy products distributor and as a manufacturer of milk products in the same manner as provided for a dairy products distributor and manufacturer of milk products. The application shall be accompanied by a fee of twenty-five dollars which shall be the full fee for issuing a temporary license and the first regular license. Thereafter a license fee of twenty-five dollars shall be paid annually with the application."

Trusting the above answers your question satisfactorily, we remain

Very truly yours,

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