**Conference for Food Protection**

**2012 Issue Form**

**Internal Number: 102**

**Issue: 2012 I-043**

**Title:**

Cottage Industry/Direct Producer to Consumer Sales

**Recommended Solution: The Conference recommends...:**

creating a Committee to develop a proposal for the 2014 Biennial Meeting that more completely addresses cottage industries and direct producer to consumer sales. We respectfully suggest the Committee undertake the following charges:

* define Cottage Industries and Direct Producer to Consumer Sales
* identify exemptions from the Food Code
* establish labeling requirements
* write advisory statements as appropriate
* recommend Cottage Industry registration requirements
* require the Committee to submit a report at the 2014 Biennial Meeting along with Issues they identify.

It is the policy of the Conference for Food Protection to not accept Issues that would endorse a brand name or a commercial proprietary process.