

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 57

To amend the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to include maple syrup under the seniors farmers’ market nutrition program.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 9, 2025

Mr. WELCH (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. KING, and Mrs. GILLIBRAND) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Making Agricultural
5 Products Locally Essential Act” or the “MAPLE Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. MAPLE SYRUP UNDER THE SENIORS FARMERS'**
2 **MARKET NUTRITION PROGRAM.**

3 Section 4402(b)(1) of the Farm Security and Rural
4 Investment Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C. 3007(b)(1)) is amended
5 by inserting “maple syrup,” before “and herbs”.

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