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5 Replace line 27 on page 1 with the following:

6 the waiver is granted; to require the Department of
7 Revenue to coordinate implementation of the waiver and
8 provide for the duties of the department; and to provide
9 for the resubmission of

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11 Replace lines 32 through 39 on page 2 with the following:

12 (1) CANDY. Food products that list sugar, cane sugar,
13 corn syrup, or high fructose corn syrup as a primary
14 ingredient. The term includes any confectionery products
15 primarily composed of sugar or sweeteners and intended
16 for consumption as candy, including, but not limited to,
17 chocolate bars, non-chocolate candy, chewing gum, and
18 similar products. The term does not include any baked
19 goods, prepared desserts, bakery items, baking mixes,
20 cooking ingredients, dessert toppings, frostings,
21 jellies, jams, marshmallows, hot cocoa mix, powdered
22 drink mixes, or other foods intended primarily for
23 cooking, baking, or meal preparation.

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25 Replace line 56 on page 2 with the following:

26 (c) (1) If the waiver described in subsection (b) is

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28 Replace line 59 on page 3 with the following:

29 purchase of candy and soda, provided that retailers
30 must be provided at least one month's notice before the
31 waiver may become effective. The Department of Revenue,
32 in consultation with the department, shall provide notice
33 of the effective date of the waiver to SNAP-authorized
34 retailers.

35 (2) The Department of Revenue shall coordinate with
36 SNAP-authorized retailers to implement the approved
37 waiver. The Alabama Department of Revenue shall work
38 directly with retailers to:

39 a. Identify items included and excluded under the
40 waiver; and

41 b. Provide guidance on SNAP-eligible and
42 SNAP-ineligible purchases. The guidance shall include,
43 but not be limited to, product identification on existing
44 universal product codes or other standard point-of-sale
45 identifiers used by retailers.

46 (3) The Department of Revenue shall offer technical
47 assistance, training, and any other necessary resources
48 to support retailers in compliance with the waiver and



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minimize disruption to retail operations.