

AN ACT relating to crimes and punishments.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔Section 1. KRS 433.865 is amended to read as follows:

(1) A person is guilty of theft of milk cases, cabinets, or other dairy equipment by unlawful taking or disposition when he ***or she***:

(a) Receives, takes, stores, buys, sells, disposes of, uses, or otherwise possesses any milk case, milk cabinet, or other dairy equipment without the consent of the owner;

(b) Refuses to return any milk case, cabinet, or other dairy equipment to the owner upon demand; or

(c) Defaces, erases, obliterates, covers up, or otherwise removes or conceals any name, registered trademark, or other business identification of an owner of a milk case, cabinet, or other dairy equipment for the purpose of destroying or removing from the milk case, cabinet, or other dairy equipment evidence of its ownership.

(2) Theft of milk cases, cabinets, or other dairy equipment is punishable by a minimum fine of one hundred dollars (\$100) and a maximum fine of three hundred dollars (\$300).

(3) A person is guilty of theft of apiary equipment by unlawful taking or disposition when he or she:

(a) Receives, takes, stores, buys, sells, disposes of, uses, or otherwise possesses any hives, honey, wax, appliances, or other apiary equipment without the consent of the owner;

(b) Refuses to return any hives, honey, wax, appliances, or other apiary equipment to the owner upon demand; or

(c) Defaces, erases, obliterates, covers up, or otherwise removes or conceals any name, registered trademark, or other business identification of an owner of

hives, honey, wax, appliances, or other apiary equipment for the purpose of destroying or removing from the hives, honey, wax, appliances, or other apiary equipment evidence of its ownership.

(4) Theft of apiary equipment is punishable by a minimum fine of one hundred dollars (\$100) and a maximum fine of three hundred dollars (\$300).