

1 *Senate* BILL NO. 334
 2 INTRODUCED BY *Blaylock*
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 23 inspectors. The division shall appoint state inspectors of
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