

~~-(8)-~~~~-(7)-~~ Farming and dairy farming, other than office work, and including, by way of illustration and not by way of limitation, the operation of any machinery connected with any phase of soil, crop or animal management, construction and repairs of machinery and fixtures, and the handling of any crops or animals with or without machinery.

For the purposes of this section, a farmer is defined as one who has three (3) or more full-time employees or who has a yearly payroll for his full-time employees of at least fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) provided, however, that this section shall not apply to seasonal or migratory farm laborers who do not operate machinery or equipment.

~~-(9)-~~~~-(8)-~~ Any person employed as a domestic servant in a private home who earns \$250 or more in cash in any calendar quarter from any single household.

~~-(10)-~~~~-(9)-~~ Student teachers and student interns as provided in Article 77, § 112B (b).

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(4) If an employer is a partnership, or sole proprietorship, ~~OR A CORPORATION,~~ THE [such] employer may elect to include as an "employee" within the provisions of the act, any member of [such] THE partnership, or the owner of the sole proprietorship, devoting full time to the partnership or proprietorship business[.], ~~OR ANY OFFICER OF THE CORPORATION RENDERING SERVICES FOR THE CORPORATION FOR MONETARY REMUNERATION MAY ELECT NOT TO EXEMPT THEMSELVES FROM COVERAGE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 21(E) (2).~~ In the event of such election, the employer must serve upon the employer's insurance carrier and upon the Commission written notice naming the persons to be covered and no [such] proprietor or partner OR OFFICER OF A CORPORATION shall be deemed an employee within this article until [such] THE notice has been served as aforesaid.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

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AN ACT concerning