

ARTICLE LXI.

MANURES AND FERTILIZERS.

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| <p>1. Meaning of terms.</p> <p>2-7. Conditions of sale of; fee; labels; brands.</p> <p>8-10. Analysis by state college; samples.</p> | <p>11. Defrauded purchasers—remedies.</p> <p>12. Inspection and brand fees.</p> <p>13. Rules and regulations to be established.</p> <p>14. Brand fees, when do not apply.</p> <p>15-16. Penalties; prosecutions.</p> |
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1904. art. 61, sec. 1. 1890. ch. 387, sec. 1. 1894. ch. 397. 1912. ch. 212.
1918. ch. 315, sec. 1.

1. The term "fertilizer" as used in this Article shall mean any commercial fertilizer, or any article, substance, or mixture sold, offered, or exposed for sale, for manurial purposes in the State of Maryland of which the selling price shall be more than \$5.00 per ton of two thousand pounds, but shall not include ground gypsum, lime, ground limestone, ground shells, or dung of domestic animals, in bulk, when sold as such and when not mixed with other fertilizer or fertilizer materials. The term "State Chemist" shall mean the Professor in charge of the Chemical Department of the Maryland State College of Agriculture, who shall be *ex-officio* State Chemist. The term "brand" shall mean the full name, brand and trade-mark under which a fertilizer is sold, together with a statement of the percentage of the valuable ingredients contained in said fertilizer.*

1918. ch. 315, sec. 2.

2. Every manufacturer, jobber, or manipulator of commercial fertilizer, and materials used in the manufacture of the same, who may desire to sell or offer for sale in the State of Maryland such fertilizer or fertilizer materials before offering the same for sale shall file with the Maryland State College of Agriculture upon forms furnished by said College the name of each and every brand of fertilizer which it is desired to sell in the said State by any said manufacturer, jobber, or manipulator, or their agents, together with the name and address of said manufacturer, jobber, or manipulator, and the guaranteed analysis of said fertilizer stating the sources from which the phosphoric acid, nitrogen and potash are derived; and if the said fertilizer is sold under a different name, or names, said fact shall be stated and the different brands which are identical in composition shall be named. The said statements filed with the said College shall be published at least semi-

*See foot note to section 16.