

purchaser before unloading or attempting to unload the vehicle. The actual amount of the load of solid fuel being transported or delivered shall not be less than the weight represented in the delivery ticket or tickets, provided that in all cases sixty (60) pounds to a ton may be considered as an allowance for variation in scales and wastage, and the kind and size of the solid fuel being transported and delivered must be as specified on the delivery ticket. Any person transporting or delivering solid fuel in the State of Maryland except in the manner provided for in this section, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of the provisions of this section, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500) or by imprisonment for not more than six (6) months or by both such fine and imprisonment. Where solid fuel is delivered in car load quantity to a single consumer or to one or more consumers who have agreed to divide a car load lot and who are transporting the solid fuel from the siding or have made arrangements for such transportation, the delivery ticket shall show merely the initial, number and location of the car from which said fuel was unloaded, the date of delivery and the name of the person making delivery. Nothing in this section shall apply to the delivery of coal to or from a boat.

See notes to Secs. 58 and 61.

1937, ch. 349, sec. 46EE. 1939, ch. 401.

61. No person shall make or issue a delivery ticket for solid fuel as provided in this sub-title unless such solid fuel has been weighed as herein provided by a weighmaster duly licensed by the Bureau of Mines. Application for a license shall be made upon the form prescribed by the Chief Mine Engineer, shall state the name and address of the applicant's employer and shall be verified by the oath of the applicant. In addition the applicant shall furnish satisfactory evidence of good moral character, and of ability to weigh accurately, and make correct weight tickets. The Bureau may issue a license upon the payment of the annual license fee of ten dollars (\$10). The license may be renewed for successive periods of one year each, upon payment of a license fee of ten dollars (\$10), which license shall be kept in the place where the weighmaster is engaged in weighing and shall be open to inspection. Every licensed weighmaster shall notify the Bureau in writing of any change of the name or address of his employer. A license may be suspended or revoked by the Chief Mine Engineer after hearing, upon due notice to the licensee, for dishonesty, incompetency, inaccuracy, or any violation of the provisions of this sub-title. No licensed weighmaster shall knowingly permit any delivery ticket to be used or issued which purports to bear his signature which was not in fact signed by him or which expresses a weight not ascertained by him, nor shall any person use a delivery ticket not signed by a licensed weighmaster, nor knowingly issue or use a delivery ticket which purports to bear the signature of a licensed weighmaster, but which was not in fact signed by such licensed weighmaster. No licensed weighmaster shall weigh up and sign a delivery ticket for any load of solid fuel unless such load is weighed by him on scales located within the State, which have been tested, approved, and sealed within twelve months, by the Bureau of Mines, or, in case of scales located within the City of Baltimore, by the Division of Weights and Measures of the Department of Public Works of the City of of Baltimore, and unless within twenty-four hours