for determining the gross weight of vehicles to which this section is applicable. The State Roads Commission and the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles shall also have the power, acting jointly, to prescribe the form of application blanks on which shall be shown the information required in connection with the issuance of the licenses required by this section. The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles shall not be allowed any commission on the collection of the fees for Classes A and D motor vehicles or for making remittances from said fees to Baltimore City and several counties, nor shall he require applicants for motor vehicle licenses to pay postage for same.

- (f) Any person may secure a license for a higher classification any time during the year providing he pays the registration fee for such higher classification, and if he secure such higher classification license during the first six months he shall be required to pay the higher fee for the entire year, but if secured during the last six months of the license year he shall be required to pay the higher fee for one-half year, with a credit for the fee already paid in each instance.
- (g) When making application for license of motor vehicle, tractor or trailer where registration fee is based on maximum gross weight the applicant shall present a certificate giving the empty weight, including body, cabs, spare tire, etc., and shall declare the load he decides to carry.
- (h) Maximum Gross Weight as used in this section shall mean the weight of the vehicle and load when the vehicle is loaded.
- (i) No person shall operate on the public highways or streets within this State any motor vehicle with a gross weight greater than that registered as herein provided and any violation of this section shall be a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$50.00 for the first offense and not less than \$75.00 for any succeeding offense or by imprisonment for not more than 60 days or both in the discretion of the court or magistrate.
- 75. (Fees on Semi-Annual Basis.) The charges prescribed in Section 74 shall be for the entire twelve months of the registration year except as hereinafter provided. If a certificate provided for any vehicle licensed under Section 74 be issued on on before October first in any year, the regular annual registration fee shall be paid and if issued