

SEC. 16. The standard of measure for buying and selling strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, currants, gooseberries, cranberries, whortle berries, cherries, plums, peanuts, kernels of other nuts, chinquapins, chestnuts, Brussels sprouts and all other berries, small fruits and vegetables shall be by dry measure.

SEC. 17. The standard quart berry box or basket shall measure not less than five and one-quarter inches across the top, four and two hundred and sixteen thousandths across the bottom and three inches deep, all to be inside measurement.

SEC. 18B. The standard box of apples shall be of the following dimensions: ten and one-half inches by eleven and one-half inches by eighteen inches, all inside measurements.

SEC. 18. The standard double-headed barrel of apples, pears or quinces shall be of the following dimensions: Head diameter, seventeen and one-eighth inches; bulge, twenty and one-third inches, both inside measurements; length of stave, twenty-eight and one-half inches.

SEC. 19. The standard barrel of Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, turnips, green peas, beans, cabbage, beets, parsnips, carrots, kale, spinach, brocoli, onions and all other truck or vegetables, shall be of not less than the following dimensions: Diameter at the top, seventeen inches; diameter at the bulge, eighteen and one-half inches, both inside measurements; length of stave, twenty-seven and one-half inches.

SEC. 20. All standard barrels, baskets, boxes or packages used within this State, with the exception of strawberry and other small berry, quart, pint or half-pint basket or boxes shall have plainly branded or marked thereon the name and address of its maker, and the words "Maryland Standard Measure."

SEC. 21. Whoever brands or marks on any barrel, basket, box, or package or whoever offers for sale a produce or commodities in a barrel, basket, box or package of a capacity less than is stamped thereon, except as provided in Section 21 of this Article, relating to short packages, shall for each barrel, basket, box or package be fined and pay the sum of two dollars, together with all costs of prosecution, one-half to go to the informer and the other half to the public school fund of the county or city.

SEC. 22. All produce offered for sale within this State in any barrel, basket, box or package of less capacity than the Maryland standard barrel, basket, box or package multiples thereof divisible by two, must have plainly marked or stamped thereon, in three conspicuous and different places on each barrel, basket, box or package the following words, in letters one inch high, "Short Measure."