

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all Acts or parts of Acts, both general laws or local laws, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1929.

Approved April 11, 1929.

CHAPTER 367.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 23 of Article 48 of Bagby's Annotated Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, Edition of 1924 title "Inspections."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 23 of Article 48 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, 1924, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments so as to read as follows:

23. The said Committee of Arbitration when duly constituted and appointed shall fully examine and investigate all the facts concerning the subject in controversy before them, and to that end they shall have power to send for persons and papers, to compel the attendance of witnesses, to administer oaths, and to examine witnesses on oath; they shall determine all questions which may be submitted to them by a majority vote, and shall assess whatever damages, if any, they may adjudge due, by reason of any false or erroneous inspection, and from their finding or award there shall be no appeal; all damages shall be assessed upon the basis of the market value of the particular grade of tobacco on the date of the reclamation; and no claims on tobacco shipped either to any point in the United States or to any foreign country, shall be considered or allowed after the expiration of nine months from the date of its inspection, nor shall any claim be allowed upon tobacco which shall have been changed by fermentation.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1929.

Approved April 11, 1929.