

(3) To hinder or obstruct in any way any authorized person in the performance of his duties under this sub-title.

(4) To fail to comply with a "stop sale" order.

133. (Exemptions.) (a) The provisions of Sections 130, 131, and 132 do not apply—

(1) To seed or grain not intended for planting purposes.

(2) To seed in storage in, or consigned to, a seed cleaning or processing establishment for cleaning or processing: Provided, That any labeling or other representation which may be made with respect to the unclean seed shall be subject to this sub-title.

(3) To seed sold by one farmer to another if such seed has neither been advertised for sale nor been delivered through a common carrier.

(b) No person shall be subject to the penalties of this sub-title for having sold, offered or exposed for sale in this State any agricultural or vegetable seeds, which were incorrectly labeled or represented as to kind, variety, type, or origin which seeds cannot be identified by examination thereof, unless he has failed to obtain an invoice or grower's declaration giving kind, or kind and variety, or kind and type, and origin, if required, and to take such other precautions as may be necessary to insure the identity to be that stated.

134. (Duties and Authority of State Board of Agriculture.)

(a) The duty of enforcing this sub-title and carrying out its provisions and requirements shall be vested in the State Board of Agriculture. It shall be the duty of said Board, which may act through its authorized agents—

(1) To inspect, sample, analyze, test and examine agricultural and vegetable seeds transported, sold, offered or exposed for sale within this State for planting purposes, at such time and place and to such extent as said Board may deem necessary to determine whether said agricultural or vegetable seeds are in compliance with the provisions of this sub-title, and to notify promptly the person who transported, sold, offered or exposed the seed for sale, of any violation.

(2) To prescribe, and after public hearing following due public notice, to adopt rules and regulations governing the methods of inspecting, sampling, analyzing, testing, and examining agricultural and vegetable seeds, and the tolerances to be followed in the administration of this sub-title, and such other rules and regulations as may be necessary to secure the efficient enforcement of this sub-title.

(b) Further, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this sub-title, the State Board of Agriculture through its authorized agents is authorized—