

W. "Average Bacterial Plate Count" shall mean the logarithmic average or weighted levi average; and "Average Direct Microscopic Count", "Average Reduction Time" and "Average Cooling Temperature" shall mean the respective arithmetical averages of the respective results obtained of the last four consecutive samples taken upon separate days.

X. "And/or" shall denote both the conjunctive and disjunctive.

498. Every producer (excepting only those who produce exclusively for interstate sale and who, for that purpose, hold a valid permit issued by the State or District in which the milk so produced is sold, and those who do not sell for human consumption), is hereby required to hold a permit for each dairy farm operated by such producer. Every processor is hereby required to hold a permit for each milk plant operated by such processor. Every distributor is hereby required to hold a permit for each place where milk or milk products are stored or offered for sale, or from which distribution for sale is made by such distributor. Every bottailer is hereby required to hold a permit. All permits referred to in this Section shall be obtained at the time and in the manner set forth in this sub-title.

499. No person shall engage in any of the businesses for which a permit is required under the provisions of Section 498 of this sub-title without first complying with the provisions of this Section. Those who, as of the effective date of this Act, are engaged in business which subjects them to any of the provisions of said Section 498, and who hold all the required permits therefor, shall not be required to renew such permits until the expiration thereof. Those who, as of the effective date of this Act, are engaged in business which subjects them to any of the provisions of said Section 498, and who do not hold all the required permits therefor, shall make application for such permits on the effective date of this Act, and upon so doing shall be permitted to so continue in such business unless and until such application is rejected by the Health Authority. All applications for permits shall be made on appropriate forms to be provided by the Health Authority, and all applications for renewal of such permits shall be made at such time as may be required by such authority. With every such application, whether it be for an original permit or for a renewal thereof (excepting only applications for permits for dairy farms, for which no inspection fee is required), every applicant shall pay the inspection fees required hereby as follows: Every processor, for each and every milk plant operated by him, shall pay a fee of Ten Dollars (\$10.00). Every distributor, for each place where milk or