

subsequent generations from such crosses shall not be regarded as hybrids. Hybrid designations shall be treated as variety names.

(t) The terms "pure seed," "germination" and other seed labeling and testing terms in common usage shall be defined as in the rules for seed testing published in the Federal Seed Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(u) The term "treated" means that the seed has received an application of a substance or process which substance or process is designated to reduce, control, or repel certain disease organisms, insects, or other pests attacking such seeds or seedlings growing therefrom.

(v) The terms "certified," "registered," "foundation" or any other terms conveying similar meaning when referring to seeds means seed which has been produced or collected, processed and labeled in accordance with the procedures and in compliance with the rules and regulations of an officially recognized certification agency or agencies. Officially recognized means recognized and designated by the laws or regulations of any state, the United States, and any province of Canada, or the government of any foreign country whose certification standards are recognized by the International Crop Improvement Association.

(w) A "private hearing" may consist of a discussion of facts between the person charged and the enforcement officers.

150. (Label Requirements.) Each container of treated agricultural, vegetable, flower, and tree or shrub seeds which is sold, offered for sale, or exposed for sale, or transported within this State for sowing purposes shall bear thereon or have attached thereto in a conspicuous place a plainly written or printed label or tag in the English language, giving the following information, which statement shall not be modified or denied in the labeling or on another label attached to the container. For all seeds named and treated as defined in this sub-title (for which a separate label may be used):

(1) A word or statement indicating that the seed has been treated.

(2) The commonly accepted, coined, chemical or abbreviated chemical (generic) name of the applied substance.

(3) If the substance in the amount present with the seed is harmful to human or other vertebrate animals a caution statement such as "Do not use for food or feed or oil purposes." The caution for mercurials and similarly toxic substances shall be a poison statement or symbol.

150A. Each container of agricultural seeds which is sold, offered or exposed for sale, or transported within this State for planting purposes shall bear thereon or have attached thereto in a conspicuous place a plainly written or printed label or tag in the English language, except when the scientific name is the commonly accepted name, giving the following information:

(a) Commonly accepted name of (1) kinds, or (2) kind and variety, of each agricultural seed component in excess of five per cent of the whole, and the percentage by weight of each in the order of its predominance. Where more than one component is required to be named, the word "mixture" or the word "mixed" shall be shown conspicuously on the label.