

or user has complied with the record-keeping requirements hereafter prescribed, shall be inspected at least once every two years internally and externally while not under pressure by the chief inspector or by one of the deputy inspectors or special inspectors provided for herein as to its construction, installation, condition and operation. If at any time a hydrostatic test shall be deemed necessary to determine the safety of a boiler, the same shall be made, at the direction of the inspector, by the owner or user thereof. Not more than twenty-six months shall elapse between internal inspections, and external inspections while under pressure shall also be made at no greater intervals.

The owner or user of such boiler shall keep available for examination by the chief inspector or by any of the deputy inspectors or special inspectors accurate records showing (i) the date and actual time such boiler is out of service and the reason or reasons therefor, and (ii) such chemical and physical analyses of samples of the boiler water taken at regular intervals of not more than forty-eight hours of operation as will adequately show the condition of such water and any elements or characteristics thereof which are capable of producing corrosion or other deterioration of the boiler or its parts.

[b] (c) If a boiler shall upon inspection be found to be suitable, and to conform to the rules and regulations of the Board of Boiler Rules, the owner or user thereof, shall pay to the chief inspector and to be collected by him the sum of two dollars (\$2.00) if such boiler is required to be inspected annually and five dollars (\$5.00) if such boiler is required to be inspected once every two years, and the chief inspector shall issue to such owner or user an inspection certificate specifying the maximum pressure which the boiler may be allowed to carry. Such inspection certificate shall be valid for not more than fourteen months from its date in the case of boilers required to be inspected as provided in subsection (a) of this Section, and not more than twenty-six months in the case of boilers required to be inspected as provided in subsection (b) of this Section and **[it]** such certificate shall be posted under glass in the room containing such boiler or in the case of a portable boiler, in a metal case to be kept in the tool box accompanying the boiler. No inspection certificate issued for a boiler inspected by a special inspector shall be valid after the boiler for which it was issued shall cease to be insured by a duly authorized insurance company. The chief inspector or any deputy inspector may at any time suspend an inspection certificate when, in his opinion, the boiler for which it was issued may not continue to be operated without menace to the public safety or when the boiler is found not to comply with the rules herein provided for, and a special inspector shall have corresponding powers with respect to inspection certificates for boilers insured by the company employing him. Such suspension of an inspection certificate shall continue in effect until such boiler shall have been made to conform to the rules and regulations of the Board of Boiler Rules and until said inspection certificate shall have been reinstated.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1959.*

Approved April 28, 1959.