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(a) *The owner or user of a boiler required by this Act to be inspected by the Chief Boiler Inspector, or his Deputy Boiler Inspectors, shall pay directly to the Chief Boiler Inspector, upon completion of inspection, fees in accordance with the following schedule:*

(1) *Power boilers and high pressure, high temperature water boilers:*

Certificate inspections—

<i>Boilers of 50 sq. ft. of heating surface or less.....</i>	<i>\$ 7.00</i>
<i>Boilers over 50 sq. ft. of heating surface and less than 4,000 sq. ft. of heating surface.....</i>	<i>15.00</i>
<i>Boilers of 4,000 sq. ft. of heating surface or more and less than 10,000 sq. ft. of heating surface.....</i>	<i>\$20.00</i>
<i>Boilers of 10,000 sq. ft. of heating surface or more.....</i>	<i>25.00</i>

External inspections—

<i>Boilers of 50 sq. ft. of heating surface or less.....</i>	<i>5.00</i>
<i>Boilers over 50 sq. ft. of heating surface.....</i>	<i>7.00</i>

Not more than one fee shall be charged or collected for any and all inspections as above of any boiler in any one year.

(2) *Low pressure boilers:*

Certificate inspections—

<i>Heating boilers without a manhole.....</i>	<i>7.00</i>
<i>Heating boilers with a manhole.....</i>	<i>15.00</i>

Not more than one fee shall be charged or collected for any and all inspections as above of any low pressure boiler in any required inspection period.

(3) *Hydrostatic tests—When it is necessary to make a special trip to witness the application of a hydrostatic test, an additional fee based on the scale of fees applicable to a certificate inspection of the boiler shall be charged.*

(4) *All other inspections, including shop inspections and inspections of second hand or used boilers made by the Chief Boiler Inspector or a Deputy Boiler Inspector shall be charged for at the rate of not less than sixty dollars (\$60.00) for one-half day of four hours and one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for one full day of eight hours, plus all expenses, including traveling and hotel. "Second hand" shall mean an object which has changed ownership and location after primary use.*

(b) *All moneys received by the Chief Boiler Inspector from inspection fees shall be deposited in the general fund of the State treasury.*

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The Chief Boiler Inspector and the Deputy Boiler Inspectors will, upon entering the performance of their duties, be covered by surety bonds in accordance with the provisions of Sections 46 through 50 of Article 78A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, as amended from time to time.