

ings for purposes of this Act as under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

(r) "Official mark" means the official inspection legend or any other symbol prescribed by regulation of the Board to identify the status of any article or poultry under this Act.

(s) "Official inspection legend" means any symbol prescribed by regulation of the Board showing that an article was inspected for wholesomeness in accordance with this Act.

(t) "Official certificate" means any certificate prescribed by regulation of the Board for issuance by an inspector or other person performing official functions under this Act.

(u) "Official device" means any device prescribed or authorized by the Board for use in applying any official mark.

(v) "Official establishment" means any establishment as determined by the Board at which inspection of the slaughter of poultry, or the processing of poultry products, is maintained under the authority of this Act.

(w) "Inspection service" means the official Government service within the State of Maryland designated by the Board as having the responsibility for carrying out the provisions of this Act.

(x) "Inspector" means an employee or official of the State of Maryland authorized by the Board to inspect poultry and poultry products under the authority of this Act, or any employee or official of the government of any county or other governmental subdivision of this State authorized by the Board to inspect poultry and poultry products under authority of this Act, under an agreement entered into between the Board and such governmental subdivision.

(y) "Container" or "package" includes any box, can, tin, cloth, plastic, or other receptacle, wrapper, or cover.

(z) "Shipping container" means any container used or intended for use in packaging the product packed in an immediate container.

(aa) "Immediate container" includes any consumer package; or any other container in which poultry products, not consumer packaged, are packed.

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(a) The State Board of Agriculture is the State agency which shall be responsible for cooperating with the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States under the provisions of Section 5 of the Federal Poultry Products Inspection Act and such agency is directed to cooperate with the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States in developing and administering the poultry products inspection program of this State under this Act to assure that not later than August 18, 1970, the State requirements will be at least equal to those imposed under Sections 1-4, 6-10, and 12-22 of the Federal Poultry Products Inspection Act and in developing and administering the program of this State under section ~~11~~ 197-12 of this Act in such a manner as will effectuate the purposes of this Act and said Federal Act.

(b) In such cooperative efforts, the Board is authorized to accept from the Secretary advisory assistance in planning and otherwise developing the State program, technical and laboratory assistance and training (including necessary curricular and instructional materials and equipment), and financial and other aid for administration of such a program. The Board is further authorized to spend public funds of this State appropriated for administration of this