

## 188D.

(a) *Whenever the Secretary finds after investigation that the distribution in the State of Maryland of any class of food may, by reason of contamination with microorganisms during manufacture, processing, or packing thereof in any locality, be injurious to health, and that the injurious nature cannot be adequately determined after the class of food has entered commerce, he shall promulgate regulations providing for the issuance, to manufacturers, processors, and packers of a class of food in such locality, of permits to which shall be attached the conditions governing the manufacture, processing, packaging, or packing of the class of food, for a temporary period of time may be necessary to protect the public health; and after the effective date of the regulations, and during the temporary period, no person shall introduce or deliver for introduction into commerce any food manufactured, processed, or packed by any such manufacturer, processor, or packer unless the manufacturer, processor, or packer holds a permit therefor issued by the Secretary as provided by the regulations.*

(b) *The Secretary may suspend immediately upon notice any permit issued under authority of this section if it is found that any of the conditions of the permit have been violated. The holder of a permit so suspended shall be privileged at any time to apply for the reinstatement of the permit, and the Secretary shall, immediately after prompt hearing and inspection of the establishment, reinstate the permit if it is found that adequate measures have been taken to comply with and maintain the conditions of the permit, as originally issued, or as amended.*

(c) *Any officer or employee duly designated by the Secretary shall have access to any factory or establishment, the operator of which holds a permit from the Secretary, for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the conditions of the permit are being complied with, and denial of access for the inspection shall be ground for suspension of the permit until access is freely given by the operator.*

## 188E.

*The Secretary shall promulgate regulations exempting from any labeling requirement of this subheading, food which is, in accordance with the practice of the trade, to be processed, labeled or repacked in substantial quantities at establishments other than those where originally processed or packed, upon the condition that the food is not adulterated or misbranded under the provisions of this subheading upon removal from the processing, labeling or repacking establishment.*

*Regulations adopted under authority of the Federal Act relating to exemptions shall be automatically effective in this State. However, the Secretary may promulgate additional regulations or amendments to existing STATE regulations concerning the exemptions.*

## 188F.

(a) *Any added poisonous or deleterious substance, any food additive, and any color additive, shall with respect to any particular use or intended use, be deemed unsafe for the purpose of the application of clause (ii) of Section 188B (1) with respect to any food, Section*