

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived from the third sentence of Art. 66C, §437(a) of the Code.

SEC. 3-303. LIVESTOCK SALES LICENSES.

(A) REQUIRED LICENSES.

NO PERSON MAY BE A LIVESTOCK DEALER WITHOUT FIRST OBTAINING AN ANNUAL LIVESTOCK DEALER'S LICENSE FROM THE SECRETARY. NO PERSON MAY OPERATE A LIVESTOCK MARKET WITHOUT FIRST OBTAINING AN ANNUAL LIVESTOCK MARKET LICENSE FROM THE SECRETARY FOR EACH MARKET HE OPERATES.

(B) EXEMPTIONS.

(1) AN AGENT OF A PERSON WHO POSSESSES A LIVESTOCK DEALER'S LICENSE IS NOT REQUIRED TO OBTAIN A LIVESTOCK DEALER'S LICENSE.

(2) A DEALER WHO POSSESSES A LIVESTOCK MARKET LICENSE IS NOT REQUIRED TO OBTAIN A DEALER'S LICENSE IF HE SELLS LIVESTOCK ONLY AT THE LICENSED LIVESTOCK MARKET.

(C) FEES; DURATION OF LICENSE.

EACH LICENSE SHALL BE ISSUED UPON PAYMENT OF A \$25 FEE AND SHALL BE EFFECTIVE UNTIL JUNE 30, FOLLOWING, UNLESS REVOKED.

(D) IDENTIFICATION CARD; DISPLAY OF LICENSE.

THE SECRETARY SHALL ISSUE AN IDENTIFICATION CARD TO EACH LICENSEE AND HIS AGENT WHO SHALL CARRY IT ON HIS PERSON. THE LICENSEE OR AGENT SHALL DISPLAY THE LICENSE AT EACH PLACE OF BUSINESS.

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In subsection (a) the present provision requiring each "livestock auction market, each livestock sales agency, and itinerant dealer" to obtain a license is omitted. Only livestock dealers and persons owning livestock markets are required to be licensed for the reasons explained in the revisor's notes to §3-301(b) and (d). The present reference to the State Veterinarian