

order to maintain consistency with the underlying philosophy of this article which vests in the Secretary the duties of any unit of the Department.

The only other changes made are in style.

SEC. 7-409. SIZE OF HOGSHEADS; OWNER TO REPACK IF IN HOGSHEADS EXCEEDING PRESCRIBED SIZE.

(A) SIZE OF HOGSHEADS.

NO MARYLAND-GROWN TOBACCO MAY BE PASSED OR ACCOUNTED FOR SALE OR STORAGE IN THE WAREHOUSE UNLESS IT IS PACKED IN HOGSHEADS NOT EXCEEDING 54 INCHES IN THE LENGTH OF THE STAVES, NOR EXCEEDING 48 INCHES ACROSS THE HEAD.

(B) OWNER TO REPACK IF IN HOGSHEADS EXCEEDING PRESCRIBED SIZE.

IF AN OWNER OR HIS AGENT PACKS TOBACCO IN ANY HOGSHEAD OF GREATER DIMENSIONS, HE SHALL REPACK IT IN HOGSHEAD OF THE PRESCRIBED SIZE AT HIS OWN EXPENSE BEFORE IT IS PASSED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 48, §34 of the Code. The reference to the hogsheads market in Maryland is proposed for deletion and a reference to the Warehouse is added because under §7-321 a person may sell tobacco in a hogshead of any size outside the Warehouse. The only changes made are in style.

SEC. 7-410. TIME OF RECEIPT OF TOBACCO AT LOOSE LEAF WAREHOUSE.

TOBACCO MAY BE RECEIVED AT ANY LOOSE LEAF AUCTION WAREHOUSE AT ANY TIME THE WAREHOUSE OPERATOR DETERMINES IS REASONABLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 48, §61(j) of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

SEC. 7-411. SALE AND PURCHASE OF TOBACCO.

(A) TIME OF ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF BID AT AUCTION.