

(a), the present reference to "firms and corporations" is proposed for deletion in light of the definition of "person" set forth in §1-101(f). The reference to agricultural "products" is proposed for deletion and "commodity" is substituted because this subtitle is designed to refer to agricultural commodities as defined in §10-101(b), as indicated by the present reference to §83A. The only other changes made are in style.

SEC. 10-112. COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS FROM PRODUCERS OF TREE FRUITS.

AS AN ALTERNATE METHOD FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS PROVIDED FOR IN §10-110, THE CERTIFIED AGENCY REPRESENTING THE PRODUCERS OF PEACHES, APPLES, OR OTHER TREE FRUITS MAY ESTABLISH THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THE PERSONS QUALIFYING AS VOTERS, AND NUMBER OF TREES OR ACRES OF TREES AND CERTIFY THEM TO THE SECRETARY. THE SECRETARY SHALL NOTIFY THE PERSONS QUALIFYING AS VOTERS BY REGISTERED LETTER THAT BY THE DATE SPECIFIED BY THE CERTIFIED AGENCY, THE PERSONS QUALIFYING AS VOTERS SHALL PAY THE ASSESSMENTS TO THE SECRETARY. THE CERTIFIED DATE OF COLLECTION OF THE ASSESSMENTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED BY THE CERTIFIED AGENCY REPRESENTING THE PRODUCERS OF ANY AGRICULTURAL COMMODITY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 66C, §83Q of the Code. The present reference to "agricultural product" is proposed for deletion and "agricultural commodity" is substituted in light of §10-101(b). The only other changes made are in style.

SEC. 10-113. DEDUCTION OF ASSESSMENTS BY PURCHASERS OF LIVESTOCK FOR SLAUGHTER; REMITTANCE; FAILURE TO COLLECT PROHIBITED; ENFORCEMENT.

(A) DEDUCTION OF ASSESSMENTS BY PURCHASERS OF LIVESTOCK FOR SLAUGHTER.

AS AN ALTERNATIVE METHOD FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS PROVIDED FOR IN §10-110, UPON THE REQUEST OF THE CERTIFIED AGENCY, THE SECRETARY SHALL NOTIFY, BY REGISTERED LETTER, ALL LIVESTOCK DEALERS, OPERATORS OF ANY LIVESTOCK AUCTION MARKETS, SLAUGHTERHOUSES, [[ABATTOIRS,]] PACKINGHOUSES, AND ANY OTHER PERSON ENGAGED IN THE BUYING, SELLING, OR HANDLING OF