

[4-712.

(a) A license expires on the last day of February after its effective date, unless the license is renewed for a 1-year term as provided in this section.

(b) At least 1 month before the license expires, the Secretary shall send to the licensee, by first class mail to the last known address of the licensee, a renewal notice that states:

(1) The date on which the current license expires;

(2) The date by which the renewal application must be received by the Secretary for the renewal to be issued and mailed before the license expires; and

(3) The amount of the renewal fee.

(c) Before the license expires, the licensee periodically may renew it for an additional 1-year term, if the licensee:

(1) Otherwise is entitled to be licensed;

(2) Pays to the Secretary a renewal fee of \$10; and

(3) Submits to the Secretary a renewal application on the form that the Secretary requires.

(d) The Secretary shall renew the license of each licensee who meets the requirements of this section.

(e) A license is not transferable.]

[4-713.

If the Secretary finds that a crab meat plant is in violation of this subtitle or any rule or regulation adopted under this subtitle, the Secretary shall notify the licensee in writing:

(1) Of the nature of the violation;

(2) Of a date by which the licensee shall correct the deficiencies specified in the notice; and

(3) That if the licensee fails to correct the conditions by the date specified, the license may be revoked.]

[4-714.

Subject to the hearing requirements of § 4-715 of this subtitle, if the licensee fails, within the time specified in the notice given by the Secretary under § 4-713 of this subtitle, to