

(a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.

(b) "Authority" means the Tobacco Authority.

(c) "Commission selling agency" means a person who sells tobacco on behalf of an owner of leaf tobacco or a person in charge of a leaf account.

[(d) "Inspector" means the Tobacco Inspector.]

[(e)] (D) "Leaf tobacco market" means any establishment where loose leaf tobacco is sold by auction sale or stored or sold in hogsheads.

[(f)] (E) "Member" means a member of the Tobacco Authority.

[(g)] (F) "Sales floor buyer" means a person who purchases leaf tobacco on the sales floor of any private tobacco warehouse.

[(h)] (G) "Sales floor buyer's agent" means a person who is an agent for a person holding a sales floor buyer's license.

[(i)] (H) "Sales floor seller" means a person who sells leaf tobacco on the sales floor of any private warehouse.

[(j) "Special markings" means the initials or other trademarks of the owner of a hogshead.]

[(k)] (I) "Transfer buyer" means a person engaged in the business of purchasing leaf tobacco from an owner of leaf tobacco.

[(l) "Warehouse" means the State Tobacco Warehouse.]

[Subtitle 3. State Tobacco Warehouse]

[7-301.

(a) With the approval of the Governor, the Secretary shall appoint one Inspector of Tobacco, who shall be a tobacco grower or qualified leaf tobacco dealer and a resident of one of the tobacco growing counties of the State. With the approval of the Governor, the Secretary may remove the Inspector at his pleasure.

(b) The Inspector shall administer the provisions of this subtitle subject to the supervision of the Secretary. The Inspector shall receive the salary provided in the State budget.]

[7-302.

(a) The warehouse shall be located in one of the following counties: