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CHAPTER 159

AN ACT to amend paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 20.60; subsection 2 of section 1494—10e; and subsection 2 of section 1494—10g of the statutes, relating to nursery inspection by the department of agriculture.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 20.60; subsection 2 of section 1494—10e; and subsection 2 of section 1494—10g of the statutes are amended to read: (20.60) (1) (b) To the agents, deputies, engineers, veterinarians, entomologists, plant pathologists, accountants, inspectors, clerks, stenographers, and other employes appointed by the commissioner of agriculture such compensation as shall be fixed by him with the approval of the governor.

(1494—10e) 2. Nurserymen, dealers or other persons residing or doing business outside the state, desiring to solicit orders for nursery stock in the state, shall * * file a certified copy of their original state certificate with the inspector of this state and shall then, upon complying with all other provisions of sections 1494—1 to 1494—10i, inclusive, and all rules and regulations promulgated thereunder be entitled to a certificate permitting such persons to solicit orders for nursery stock in this state.

(1494—10g) 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to accept for shipment any nursery stock without a valid certificate plainly affixed on the outside of the package, bale, box or car containing the same, showing that the contents have been duly inspected by an official state or federal inspector. In case any nursery stock is shipped in this state, or into this state from another state, country or province, without the aforesaid valid certificate plainly affixed, the fact must be promptly reported to the state nursery inspector by the person carrying the same, stating the consignor and the consignee and the nature of the shipment. Any common carrier when directed by the inspector shall notify him of any or all shipments of nursery stock, giving the name of the consignor, the consignee, and the nature of the shipment and shall hold such shipment subject to the order of the inspector.

Section 2. This act shall take effect on July 1, 1917. Approved May 3, 1917.