

The commission also may from time to time require certain reports to be filed by milk haulers pursuant to rules, regulations or orders of the commission.

Persons, associations, or corporations engaged in transporting milk in cans from farms where it is produced to a dealer's plant may be exempt from the provisions of this act.

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No. 423

AN ACT

HB 2017

Amending the act of April 28, 1937 (P. L. 417), entitled "An act relating to milk and the products thereof; creating a Milk Control Commission; establishing its jurisdiction, powers and duties; regulating the production, transportation, manufacturing, processing, storage, distribution, delivery and sale of milk and certain products thereof; providing for the licensing of milk dealers and the payment of fees therefor; requiring milk dealers to file bonds to secure payment for milk to producers and certain milk dealers; authorizing the holding of hearings and the issuance of subpoenas by the commission; conferring jurisdiction upon courts to punish contempts and to prohibit violations of this act and of rules, regulations, and orders of the commission; authorizing the commission to adopt rules, regulations and orders, and to enter into interstate and Federal compacts; requiring persons who weigh, measure, sample or test milk to procure permits or certificates, to take examinations, to pay fees therefor, to furnish certain notices, records and statements, and to use certain methods of weighing, measuring, sampling and testing; authorizing the commission to examine the business, papers and premises of milk dealers and producers, requiring the keeping of records and the filing of reports by milk dealers, and permitting, with limitations, the use of information obtained thereby; authorizing the commission to fix prices for milk and certain milk products subject to the approval of the Governor, and conferring certain powers upon the Governor with respect thereto; providing for appeals to the courts from decisions of the commission, and for the burden of proof upon such appeals; prescribing penalties, fines and imprisonment for violations of this act and rules, regulations and orders of the commission; defining perjury; defining remedies; repealing legislation supplied and superseded by this act, and saving rights, duties and proceedings thereunder; and making appropriations," providing that certain evidence, statements or other testimony offered during official hearings before the commission shall be subject to examination and cross-examination.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 310, act of April 28, 1937 (P. L. 417), known as the "Milk Control Law," amended July 24, 1941 (P. L. 443), is amended to read:

Section 310. Entry and Inspection.—Pursuant to the purposes of

this act, any member of the commission, or any employe designated for the purpose, shall have access to, and may enter and inspect, at all reasonable hours, all places and equipment where milk or any product thereof is being produced, stored, bottled, processed, manufactured, sold, weighed, tested, consigned or otherwise handled. Any member of the commission or any designated employe thereof also shall have power, at all reasonable hours, to inspect, photograph, photostat, mark or stamp for identification, audit and copy all books, papers, records or documents in any place within the Commonwealth, for the purpose of ascertaining facts to enable the commission to administer this act. The information obtained regarding any person by any such inspection, auditing or copying, or by reports or statements required or authorized by this act, shall be for the confidential use of the commission and the various administrative departments, boards and commissions of the State government, and shall not be disclosed by any person except as may be required in the enforcement of law or by order of court; and any member or employe of the commission, or other person, disclosing such information, except as herein required, shall be subject to the penalties herein provided for a violation of this act. Nothing contained in this act shall prevent the use of any information by the commission in the compiling and dissemination of general statistical data.

However, any evidence, statements or other testimony offered by parties, other than commission employes or agents, during official hearings before the commission shall be subject to full examination and cross-examination. Consumers attending official hearings may submit questions to the chairman who shall request an answer from the commission if the questions are relevant to the official hearing.

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No. 424

AN ACT

HB 2020

Amending the act of April 28, 1937 (P. L. 417), entitled "An act relating to milk and the products thereof; creating a Milk Control Commission; establishing its jurisdiction, powers and duties; regulating the production, transportation, manufacturing, processing, storage, distribution, delivery and sale of milk and certain products