Act effective immediately.

Section 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED-The 14th day of July, A. D. 1961.

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No. 322

AN ACT

Amending the act of July 2, 1935 (P. L. 589), entitled, as amended, "An act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the issuance of permits to, and regulation of persons and entities selling milk and milk products; conferring powers, and imposing duties on the Secretary of Agriculture; and otherwise providing for the administration of the act; and imposing penalties," further providing for the tuberculosis and brucellosis ring tests to be given to cows.

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

Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 8, act of July 2, 1935 (P. L. 589), entitled, as amended, "An act to safeguard human health and life by providing for the issuance of permits to, and regulation of persons and entities selling milk and milk products; conferring powers, and imposing duties on the Secretary of Agriculture; and otherwise providing for the administration of the act; and imposing penalties," amended October 13, 1959 (P. L. 1301), is amended to read:

Section 8. "Raw Milk" shall be produced and handled in the following manner:

(a) "Raw Milk" shall be milk from a cow or cows, determined by physical examination and tuberculin tests conducted in accordance with the rules, regulations, and practices of the [State] Department of Agriculture pertaining to the individual accredited herd plan [or the modified accredited area plan], and brucellosis tests conducted in accordance with the rules, regulations and practices of the Department of Agriculture pertaining to the individual [accredited] certified herd plan to be free from communicable disease. In addition thereto, a brucellosis ring test shall be conducted at least once every year. Six months after the blood test at the expense of the owner and if the results of such test are suspicious, such cow or cows shall immediately be retested by blood testing.

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APPROVED—The 14th day of July, A. D. 1961.

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Regulating entities and persons selling milk and milk products.

Subsection (a), section 8, act of July 2, 1935, P. L. 589, amended October 13, 1959, P. L. 1301, further amended.