

STATE POTATO INDUSTRY COMMISSION (EXCERPT)
Act 29 of 1970

***** 290.421.amended THIS AMENDED SECTION IS EFFECTIVE MARCH 14, 2014 *****

290.421.amended Definitions.

Sec. 1. As used in this act:

- (a) "Commission" means the potato industry commission.
- (b) "Department" means the department of agriculture and rural development.
- (c) "Director" means the director of the department.
- (d) "Grower" means any business unit, including a family operation, sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation, company, association, trust, or other business organization engaged in the business of growing potatoes for market.
- (e) "Shipper" means a person engaged in the shipment of potatoes, whether as owner, agent, or otherwise; or engaged in the processing of potatoes for human or animal consumption in any form or for any other commercial use.
- (f) "Shipment of potatoes" means, and a shipment of potatoes shall be considered to take place, when potatoes are loaded within this state in a rail car, truck, or other conveyance in which the potatoes are to be transported for sale or otherwise put into the channel of trade and commerce.
- (g) "Hundredweight" means a 100-pound unit or a combination of packages making a 100-pound unit, or the equivalent in metric units, of any shipment of potatoes.
- (h) "Retailer" means a person who sells directly to the consumer in small quantities or broken lots.
- (i) "Rule" means a rule promulgated pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328.
- (j) "Processor" means a person engaged in canning, freezing, dehydrating, chipping, fermenting, distilling, extracting, preserving, or changing the form of potatoes for the purpose of consumption or for any other commercial use.
- (k) "Person" means an individual, partnership, corporation, association, cooperative, or any other business unit.

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