

CHAPTER 27
WHOLESALE PRODUCE DEALERS

27.041 Bonds; licenses.

27.07 Grades established; inspection.

27.041 BONDS; LICENSES.

[For text of subd 1, see M.S.1986]

Subd. 2. **Licenses.** The license, or a certified copy of the license, must be kept posted in the office of the licensee at each place within the state where the licensee transacts business. Every license shall expire June 30 following its issuance and thereafter be renewed July 1 each year. Any license issued under this subdivision is automatically void upon the termination of the surety bond covering the licensed operation. The fee for each license shall be based on the following schedule:

License Fee	Penalty for Late Renewal	Dollar Volume of Business
\$30	\$10	\$10,000 or less per month
\$60	\$15	Over \$10,000 to \$50,000 per month
\$300	\$75	Over \$50,000 to \$100,000 per month
\$400	\$100	Over \$100,000 per month

A fee of \$20 shall be charged for each certified copy of a license, \$5 for each license identification card, and \$5 for each license identification truck decal. The commissioner shall make appropriate license fee adjustments for up to one year from July 1, 1975, for persons required to be licensed hereunder, who hold validly issued licenses as of the effective date of Laws 1975, chapter 227 under the provisions of law amended or repealed herein. A licensee who sells, disposes of, or discontinues the licensee's business during the lifetime of a license shall at the time the action is taken, notify the commissioner in writing, and upon demand produce before the commissioner a full statement of all assets and liabilities as of the date of transfer or discontinuance of the business.

Money collected from license fees shall be deposited in the state treasury.

History: 1987 c 358 s 83

27.07 GRADES ESTABLISHED; INSPECTION.

[For text of subds 1 to 5, see M.S.1986]

Subd. 6. **Cooperative agreements; fees; account.** The commissioner may collect fees as provided for in cooperative agreements between the commissioner and the United States Department of Agriculture for the inspection of fresh fruits, vegetables, and other products. The fees must be deposited in the state treasury and credited to a fruit and vegetables inspection account. The money in the account, including interest earned, is appropriated to the commissioner to carry out the cooperative agreements.

History: 1987 c 358 s 84