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LIST OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES OFFICES OF THE STATES
AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Alabama

Supervisor, State Division of Weights and Measures,
Department of Agriculture and Industries, Montgomery.

Arizona

State Inspector of Weights and Measures, Phoenix.

Arkansas

No State official is designated to enforce weights and
measures laws, but the Secretary of State, Little Rock,
has the custody of the State Standards.

California

Chief, State Bureau of Weights and Measures, Department
of Agriculture, Sacramento.

Colorado

The State Inspector of Oils, Denver, exercises supervision
over liquid-measuring devices.

The State Treasurer, Denver, has the custody of the State
Standards.

Connecticut

State Inspector of Weights and Measures, Hartford.

Delaware

No State official is designated to enforce weights and
measures laws, but the State Chemist, Dover, has the
custody of the State Standards.

(County Regulators of Weights and Measures are appointed
by the Governor for each of the three counties in the State.)

District of Columbia

Superintendent, District Department of Weights, Measures, and Markets, Washington.

Florida

The Commissioner, State Department of Agriculture, Tallahassee, enforces requirements for marking the net weight or measure on packages containing food, and carries on tests of gasoline-measuring devices.

Georgia

Commissioner, State Department of Agriculture, Atlanta. (Tests commercial devices except devices for the measurement of petroleum products.)

State Oil Chemist, Department of Revenue, Atlanta. (Tests commercial devices for the measurement of petroleum products.)

Idaho

Director, State Bureau of Weights and Measures, Department of Agriculture, Boise.

Illinois

Superintendent, State Division of Standards, Department of Agriculture, Springfield.

Indiana

Chief, State Bureau of Weights and Measures, Department of Commerce and Industries, Indianapolis.

Iowa

Assistant Secretary, State Department of Agriculture, Des Moines. (In charge of enforcement.)

State Sealer of Weights and Measures, Department of Agriculture, Des Moines. (In charge of State Standards.)

Kansas

Deputy State Sealer of Weights and Measures, University of Kansas, Lawrence. (In charge of State Standards, and promulgates regulations.)

Assistant Chief, State Division of Food and Drugs Inspection, Board of Health, Topeka. (Tests commercial devices except as noted below.)

Kansas (Continued)

State Grain Weighing and Inspection Department, offices at Kansas City, Mo. (Tests scales over which grain is officially weighed.)

State Inspector of Oils, Topeka. (Tests commercial devices for the measurement of petroleum products.)

State Board of Agriculture, Topeka. (Exercises certain control over weighing and measuring devices used in testing milk and cream.)

Secretary, State Horticultural Society, Topeka. (Tests and prescribes tolerances for certain standard containers.)

Kentucky

The Commissioner, State Department of Agriculture, Labor, and Industries, Frankfort, inspects scales used in certain stockyards and in tobacco warehouses.

The Secretary of State, Frankfort, has the custody of the State Standards.

Louisiana

The Chief, Petroleum Products Division, State Department of Revenue, Baton Rouge, exercises supervision over gasoline-measuring devices.

The Secretary of State, Baton Rouge, has the custody of the State Standards. (It is reported that a law giving certain general weights and measures authority to the Commissioner, State Department of Agriculture and Immigration, Baton Rouge, is not being enforced by reason of lack of appropriation.)

Maine

Deputy State Sealer of Weights and Measures, Department of Agriculture, Augusta.

Maryland

Chief, State Department of Markets, Board of Agriculture, College Park. (Exercises jurisdiction over weighing and measuring devices used "in the vending or purchasing of agricultural products and farm supplies - - -")

Massachusetts

Director, State Division of Standards and Necessaries of Life, Department of Labor and Industries, Boston.

Michigan

Director, State Bureau of Foods and Standards, Department of Agriculture, Lansing.

Minnesota

Supervisor, State Department of Weights and Measures, Railroad and Warehouse Commission, Minneapolis. (Except for grain-hopper scales at terminal markets, and railway track scales.)

Supervisor, Track and Hopper Scale Department, State Railroad and Warehouse Commission, Minneapolis. (Only for grain-hopper scales at terminal markets, and railway track scales.)

Mississippi

The State Motor Vehicle Commissioner, Jackson, exercises supervision over gasoline-measuring devices.

The Secretary of State, Jackson, has the custody of the State Standards.

Missouri

No State official designated.

Montana

Commissioner, State Department of Agriculture, Labor, and Industry, Helena.

Nebraska

Chief, State Bureau of Weights and Measures, Department of Agriculture and Inspection, Lincoln.

Nevada

State Sealer of Weights and Measures, University of Nevada, Reno.

New Hampshire

Commissioner, State Department of Weights and Measures, Concord.

New Jersey

Superintendent, State Department of Weights and Measures,
Trenton.

New Mexico

The Gasoline Tax Division, State Bureau of Revenue, Santa Fe,
exercises supervision over equipment used in dispensing
refined petroleum products.

The Secretary of State, Santa Fe, has the custody of the
State Standards.

New York

Director, State Bureau of Weights and Measures, Department
of Agriculture and Markets, Albany.

North Carolina

State Superintendent of Weights and Measures, Department
of Agriculture, Raleigh. (Except testing of devices used
in measuring motor fuels and petroleum products.)

Chief, Gasoline and Oil Inspection Division, State Depart-
ment of Revenue, Raleigh. (Only for testing of devices
used in measuring motor fuels and petroleum products.)

North Dakota

Chief, Scale Inspection Department, State Public Service
Commission, Bismarck.

Ohio

Deputy State Sealer, Division of Foods and Dairies, State
Department of Agriculture, Columbus.

Oklahoma

Director, State Bureau of Standards, University of Oklahoma,
Norman.

Oregon

Deputy State Sealer of Weights and Measures, Department of
Agriculture, Salem.

Pennsylvania

Director, State Bureau of Standard Weights and Measures,
Department of Internal Affairs, Harrisburg.

Rhode Island

State Sealer of Weights and Measures, Mercantile Bureau,
Department of Business Regulation, Providence.

South Carolina

Chief Inspector, State Department of Agriculture, Columbia.

South Dakota

Director of Inspections, State Department of Agriculture,
Pierre. (Tests scales up to and including 500-pound
capacity.)

Secretary, State Public Utilities Commission, Pierre.
(Tests scales over 500-pound capacity)

State Chemist, Vermillion. (In charge of State Standards
and promulgates specifications and tolerances.)

Tennessee

Superintendent, State Division of Foods, Fertilizers, and
Dairies, Department of Agriculture, Nashville. (In charge
of enforcement.)

State Sealer of Weights and Measures, University of
Tennessee, Knoxville. (In charge of State Standards.)

Texas

Chief, State Division of Weights and Measures, Department
of Agriculture, Austin.

Utah

Chief Inspector, State Division of Weights and Measures,
Department of Agriculture, Salt Lake City.

Vermont

Supervisor, State Division of Weights and Measures, Depart-
ment of Agriculture, Montpelier.

Virginia

Supervisor of Weights and Measures, State Division of Markets,
Department of Agriculture and Immigration, Richmond.

Washington

Supervisor, State Division of Weights and Measures,
Department of Agriculture, Olympia.

West Virginia

State Commissioner of Weights and Measures, Charleston.
(In charge of enforcement.)

Assistant State Commissioner of Weights and Measures,
University of West Virginia, Morgantown. (In charge of
State Standards.)

Wisconsin

Chief Inspector of Weights and Measures, Trade Practice
Division, State Department of Agriculture, Madison.

Wyoming

Commissioner, State Department of Agriculture, Cheyenne.

