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CHAPTER 207

COMMUNITY OR COMMISSION AUCTIONS

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**§ 1451. Purpose**

Whereas community or commission auctions are increasing throughout the country, and if properly controlled are a benefit to the livestock industry, it is desirable to set up legislation to prohibit the spread of disease and protect the public.

1959, c. 239, § 1.

**§ 1452. Definitions**

Any place where cattle are offered for private or public auction, the health status of which has not been previously checked and approved by the commissioner, would be deemed to be a community or commission auction.

1959, c. 239, § 1.

**§ 1453. Rules and regulations**

The commissioner shall make rules and regulations necessary to protect the health of animals going through such sales rings, which shall have the power of law as outlined under section 1752.

1959, c. 239, § 1.

**§ 1454. Permit**

No person, partnership, association or corporation shall hold or conduct community and commission livestock auctions or sales rings without obtaining a permit from the commissioner or his duly authorized agent previous to such community and commission livestock auctions or sales rings.

1959, c. 239, § 1.

**§ 1455. Records**

The operator shall keep complete records of all sales transactions, which shall be available for inspection by the commissioner or his agent.

1959, c. 239, § 1.

**§ 1456. Cancellation of permit**

The permit to operate such sales rings can be canceled by the commissioner or his agent upon due cause after notice and hearing.

1959, c. 239, § 1.