

*determine that such inspection is comparable to that provided under this subtitle. If the Board does not contract with the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, as aforesaid, and at the time the Board begins inspection under this subtitle in Baltimore City, or at the termination of any such contract, the Board shall employ all of the personnel then employed by the Bureau of Meat Inspection of the Baltimore City Health Department. All of such persons shall be employed under the merit system of this State without the necessity of an examination.*

(B) THE BOARD SHALL ON JULY 1, 1970 OR ON SUCH EARLIER DATE AFTER JULY 1, 1968 AS MAY BE AGREED TO BY THE BOARD AND THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE IN BALTIMORE CITY. UNTIL SUCH TIME THE BOARD IS AUTHORIZED TO CONTRACT WITH THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE FOR THE PERFORMANCE BY THE BALTIMORE CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF ALL OR ANY PART OF THE INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBTITLE WITHIN BALTIMORE CITY, PROVIDED THAT THE BOARD SHALL DETERMINE THAT SUCH INSPECTION IS EQUAL TO THAT PROVIDED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE. IF THE BOARD DOES NOT CONTRACT WITH THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL AS AFORESAID, OR AT THE TERMINATION OF SUCH CONTRACT, OR ON JULY 1, 1970, THE BOARD SHALL EMPLOY ALL PERSONS ENGAGED IN SUCH WORK WHO ARE THEN EMPLOYED BY THE BUREAU OF MEAT INSPECTION OF THE BALTIMORE CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND WHO WERE SO EMPLOYED AS OF MARCH 1, 1968. ALL SUCH PERSONS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AS OF MARCH 1, 1968 BY THE BUREAU OF MEAT INSPECTION OF THE BALTIMORE CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL BE EMPLOYED BY THE BOARD UNDER THE MERIT SYSTEM OF THIS STATE WITHOUT THE NECESSITY OF AN EXAMINATION.

#### COST OF INSPECTION

470X.

(A) *The cost of inspection rendered under this subtitle shall be borne by this State except as otherwise provided in Section 470W and except that the cost of overtime, ~~night~~, and holiday work performed in establishments subject to the provisions of this subtitle at such rates as the Board may determine shall be borne by such establishments. Sums received by the Board in reimbursement of sums paid out by ~~him~~ for such premium pay work shall be available without fiscal year limitations to carry out the purposes of this subtitle.*

(B) THERE IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO BE APPROPRIATED SUCH SUMS AS ARE NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE. IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN THE ENACTMENT OF THIS SUBTITLE THAT ALL EXPENSES PROVIDED FOR HEREIN SHALL BE MATCHED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ON AN EQUAL BASIS.

#### APPLICABILITY OF PROVISIONS

470Y.

*This subtitle shall not apply to any act or transaction subject to*