

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language added to indicate that the Superintendent may administer this title. All other references to the Superintendent and inspector in this title are proposed for deletion to reflect the departmental reorganization which includes the Superintendent or a unit within the Department, §2-106. Language is added to indicate that the Secretary has the ultimate responsibility for administering this Title.

SEC. 11-202. LOCAL INSPECTORS AND DEPUTY LOCAL INSPECTORS; OFFICES; EXPENSES; SUPPLIES.

(A) LOCAL INSPECTORS AND DEPUTY LOCAL INSPECTORS.

ANY GOVERNING BODY IN EITHER A COUNTY OR CITY WITH AN OFFICIAL POPULATION OF AT LEAST 200,000 PERSONS, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST OFFICIAL STATE OR UNITED STATES CENSUS, MAY APPOINT A LOCAL INSPECTOR AND DEPUTY LOCAL [[INSPECTOR]] INSPECTORS IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL LAW.

(B) OFFICES; EXPENSES; SUPPLIES.

THE CITY OR COUNTY SHALL PROVIDE A SUITABLE OFFICE FOR THE LOCAL INSPECTOR AND SHALL PROVIDE FOR THE NECESSARY CLERICAL SERVICES, SUPPLIES, AND TRANSPORTATION. THE CITY OR COUNTY SHALL DEFRAY THE CONTINGENT EXPENSES INCIDENT TO THE OFFICIAL ACTIVITIES OF THE LOCAL INSPECTOR IN CARRYING OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) is new language derived from Art. 97, §13 of the Code. Baltimore City is the only city with a population of over 200,000 persons. According to the Department, the proper term for local weights and measures officials is "local inspector". The Model Weights and Measures Code has abandoned use of the term "sealer" and refers to an "inspector". The present reference to "town" is omitted because any municipality with a population of 200,000 persons usually is considered a city.

Subsection (b) is new language derived from the first sentence of Art. 97, §16 and set forth here for organizational purposes.

SEC. 11-203. JOINT CITY AND COUNTY JURISDICTION.