

**§ 592.240**

comply with any other Federal or any State or municipal applicable laws or regulations.

**§ 592.240 Report of violations.**

Each inspection program employee shall report, in the manner prescribed by the Administrator, all violations and noncompliance under the Act and this part of which such inspection program employee has knowledge.

**§ 592.260 Reuse of containers bearing official identification prohibited.**

The reuse, by any person, of containers bearing official identification is prohibited unless such identification is applicable in all respects to product being packed therein. In such instances, the container and label may be used provided the packaging is accomplished under the supervision of inspection program personnel or program employee, and the container is in clean, sound condition and lined with a suitable inner liner.

IDENTIFYING AND MARKING PRODUCTS

**§ 592.300 Approval of official identification.**

Labeling procedures, required information on labels, and method of label approval, shall be in accordance with and conform to the applicable provisions of part 590 of this chapter.

**§ 592.310 Form of official identification symbol and inspection mark.**

(a) The shield set forth in Figure 1, containing the letters "USDA," shall be the official identification symbol for the purposes of this part and when used, imitated, or simulated in any manner in connection with a product shall be deemed to constitute a representation that the product has been officially inspected for the purpose of § 592.5.

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FIGURE 1.

(b) The inspection marks that are permitted to be used on products shall be contained within the outline of a shield and with the wording and design set forth in Figure 2 of this section, except the plant number may be followed by the letter "G" in lieu of the word "plant." Alternatively, it may be omitted from the official shield if applied on the container's principal display panel or other prominent location and preceded by the word "Plant" or followed by the letter "G."



FIGURE 2.

**§ 592.320 Products that may bear the inspection mark.**

Products that are permitted to bear the inspection mark shall be processed in an official plant from edible shell eggs or other edible egg products eligible to bear the inspection mark and may contain other edible ingredients. The official mark, when used, shall be printed or lithographed and applied as a part of the principal display panel of