

June 29, 1933

Mr. J. M. Foote,  
Supervisor of Inspection,  
Ariz. Fruit and Vegetable Standardization Service,  
601 Security Building,  
Phoenix, Arizona.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of June 28th in which you have requested the Attorney General for an opinion relative to the provisions of House Bill No. 32, Eleventh Legislature, First Special Session. You have requested an opinion as to what effect the provisions of House Bill No. 32, supra, will have upon the bonds furnished by, and licenses issued to produce shippers prior to the effective date of said House Bill No. 32.

At this writing I have been unable to obtain a copy of House Bill No. 32 as it was passed and signed, for my own use. I have, however, examined the provisions of the bill relating to the licensing of produce shippers and the furnishing of bonds by said persons, and I am of the opinion that the provisions of House Bill No. 32 are not retroactive. That is, those persons who are licensed pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 95, Session Laws of 1929, are entitled to continue in the business of produce shippers under that license and bond. The provisions of House Bill No. 32 can only apply to persons applying for a license and furnishing a bond on and after the effective date of the bill.

Very truly yours,

Attorney General,

By

Assistant Attorney General.

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