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year or by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars, or both.

Approved July 1, 1982.

Chap. 215. AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF CLINICAL LABORATORY LAWS AND REGULATIONS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 8 of chapter 111D of the General Laws, as appearing in section 1 of chapter 881 of the acts of 1975, is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:-

(14) knowingly and willfully make fraudulent representations regarding the results of any laboratory test or service. Any laboratory employee, clinical laboratory director, or owner of a clinical laboratory as defined in this chapter who knowingly and willfully makes fraudulent representation regarding the results of any laboratory test or service or who should have known of the fraudulent representation of laboratory test results shall be subject to the penalties set forth in this chapter.

SECTION 2. Section 13 of said chapter 111D, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- Whoever maintains a clinical laboratory in the commonwealth without a license in violation of section four or whoever, being licensed under section five maintains a clinical laboratory in violation of the terms of such license, or whoever engages in, aids, abets, causes or permits any act prohibited under section eight shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than five years in state prison, or by imprisonment in a jail or house of correction for not more than two and one-half years or by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Approved July 1, 1982.

Chap. 216. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE MANUFACTURE OF SAUSAGE CONTAINED IN COLORED CASINGS AND THE SALE THEREOF.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Sections one hundred and forty-three B and one hundred and