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FOOD ESTABLISHMENT GRADING SYSTEM POLICIES & PROCEDURES

- ✓ **FOOD ESTABLISHMENT GRADING SYSTEM EFFECTIVE DATE 1/01/2016**
- ✓ **IF FOOD ESTABLISHMENT DOES NOT RECEIVE AN “A” UPON INITIAL INSPECTION, THE ESTABLISHMENT WILL BE GRANTED A 4 WEEK EXTENSION TO EARN AN “A”. THE GRADE EARNED AT THE SECONDARY INSPECTION IS THE GRADE THAT WILL REMAIN POSTED UNTIL THE NEXT ROUTINE INSPECTION.**
- ✓ **INSPECTIONS ARE GRADED ON A 100 PT SCALE ACCORDING TO INSPECTION REPORT POINT SCALE.**
- ✓ **THE LETTER GRADE THAT THE FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS RECEIVES AT INSPECTION MUST BE POSTED ON THE ENTRY DOOR VISIBLE TO THE PUBLIC ENTERING THE FACILITY.**
- ✓ **IF THE FOOD ESTABLISHMENT REMOVES OR REFUSES TO POST THE GRADE THEY WILL RECEIVE A 250.00 FINE.**
- ✓ **THE FINE FOR NOT POSTING GRADE IS DUE WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE INFRACTION.**
- ✓ **IF FINE FOR NOT POSTING GRADE IS NOT RECEIVED IN 30 DAYS THE FOOD ESTABLISHMENT PERMIT WILL BE PULLED FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT AND THE ESTABLISHMENT WILL BE CLOSED.**
- ✓ **IF A FOOD ESTABLISHMENT’S PERMIT IS PULLED THEY MUST SCHEDULE A NEW INSPECTION AT AN ADDITIONAL INSPECTION FEE.**
- ✓ **THE FOOD ESTABLISHMENT GRADE WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC VIA E-PARIS EXTRA WEBSITE AND PARISLAMARHEALTH.COM**