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#### INTRODUCTORY

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No attempt has heretofore been made to compile and analyze through them the Commission's own viewpoint of the meaning and application of the important statutory duties with which it is charged. The present study is intended to provide the manufacturer with a reference volume which will enable him to understand, through the Commission's acts, its own perception of its function.

This compilation and study is the work of Mr. H. L. B. Atkisson, of the Association's Legal Department, and represents the condensation of an extensive and painstaking investigation.

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