Activity 29.2 Matching Acts and Agencies

Directions: Match the items in Column A with the lettered items in Column B by placing the correct letter on the blank provided.

Column A ___ 1. Act requiring that foods be safe, pure, and wholesome. 2. An act that requires product labels to contain accurate names, quantities, and weights. 3. Act that established national safety standards for automobiles and tires. 4. Law that requires that warning labels appear on all household products that are potentially dangerous to the consumer. 5. Effective since 1972, this act requires that clothing and fabrics be permanently labeled. ____ 6. An act protecting the privacy and use of student records. 7. An act requiring drug manufacturers to file notices of new drugs with the FDA. _ 8. A 1953 act that set flammability standards for clothing, children's sleepwear, carpets, rugs, and mattresses. 9. The agency of the Department of Agriculture that inspects food to ensure wholesomeness and truthful labeling. ____10. Through the Department of Commerce, this agency sets measurement, product, and safety standards. 11. The agency charged with enforcing laws preventing distribution of mislabeled foods, drugs, cosmetics, and medical devices. ____12. The agency that regulates radio and television broadcasting. 13. The agency concerned with protecting consumers from unfair methods of competition. 14. A government agency whose main purpose is to protect investors. ____15. A state and local, non-governmental agency that gathers information about local businesses. __16. An act that bans the sale of toys and children's articles containing hazardous substances. _17. An act protecting the privacy and use of medical records.

Column B

- a. Agricultural Marketing Service
- b. Permanent Care Labeling Rule of 1972
- c. Child Protection and Toy Safety Act of 1966
- d. Better Business Bureau
- e. Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act of 1938
- f. Federal Trade Commission
- g. Kefauver-Harris Drug Amendment of 1962
- h. Food and Drug Administration
- National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966
- j. National Institute of Standards and Technology
- k. FERPA
- 1. Fair Packaging and Labeling Act of 1966
- m. Hazardous Substances Labeling Act of 1960
- n. Flammable Fabrics Act of 1953
- o. Securities and Exchange Commission
- p. Federal Communications Commission
- q. HIPAA