

or other employee or attendant in connection with such exhibition shall not be unlawful because performed on Sunday.

Any such exhibition on Sunday except as hereby authorized shall be subject to the provisions and penalties of Sections 483 and 485 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws.

Any person, firm or corporation exhibiting motion pictures under the provisions of this section and failing to donate and pay said ten per cent (10%) of gross receipts as aforesaid shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days, or both, in the discretion of the Court.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all laws or parts of laws, whether Public General or Public Local Laws, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, and especially Sections 483 and 485 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Sabbath Breaking," are hereby repealed with respect to the exhibitions authorized by this Act to the extent of such inconsistency.

SEC. 2A. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall remain effective until January 1, 1939, but no longer unless it shall receive a majority of the votes cast thereon at the General Election to be held in November, 1938. There shall be printed on the ballot to be used at said General Election in November, 1938, in the Fifth Election District of Anne Arundel County the title of this Act and underneath said title on separate lines, a square or box to the right of and opposite the words "For Motion Pictures on Sunday", and a corresponding square or box to the right of and opposite the words "Against Motion Pictures on Sunday", so that the voters shall be able to designate by a cross mark in the proper square or box his or her decision for or against said question. If a majority of the votes cast on said question shall be "For Motion Pictures on Sunday", then this Act shall continue and remain in force, but if a majority of the votes cast thereon shall be "Against Motion Pictures on Sunday", then this Act shall be null and void and of no effect whatsoever on and after January 1, 1939..

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall be declared an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and being passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 26, 1937.