

(b) The committing magistrates shall devote their full time to the duties of the office and shall each receive an annual salary of *not less than* ~~five~~ *six* thousand dollars ~~[(\$5,000.00)]~~ *\$6,000.00*. The deputy committing magistrates shall each receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That said sections be and they are hereby transferred and codified in Section 98B-9 (a) and (b), respectively of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1967 Cumulative Supplement), provided that Chapter _____ of the Acts of 1968 (House Bill 465) is enacted.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1968.

Approved May 7, 1968.

CHAPTER 533

(Senate Bill 286)

AN ACT to add new Sections 355A to 355G, inclusive, to Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Crimes and Punishments," to follow immediately after Section 355 thereof and to be under the new subtitle "Liquefied Petroleum Gas," imposing certain restrictions upon the filling or refilling of containers with liquefied petroleum gas or certain other gases or other compounds, relating to the marking of containers used for liquefied petroleum gas and the removal of marks thereon, relating to the filling or use of such containers, and relating generally to the containers for liquefied petroleum gas or any other gas or compound in this state.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That new Sections 355A to 355G, inclusive, be and they are hereby added to Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Crimes and Punishments," to follow immediately after Section 355 thereof and to be under the new subtitle "Liquefied Petroleum Gas," and to read as follows:

355A.

(a) *The term "person" as used in this subtitle means any person, firm, or corporation.*

(b) *The term "owner" as used in this subtitle means any person who holds a written bill of sale under which title OR OWNERSHIP to a container was transferred to such person, or any manufacturer of a container who has not sold or transferred ownership thereof by written bill of sale.*

(c) *The term "liquefied petroleum gas" as used in this subtitle means any material which is composed predominately of any of the following hydrocarbons or mixtures of the same: propane, propylene, butanes (normal butane and iso-butane) and butylenes.*