

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That all acts or parts of acts heretofore passed, that may be repugnant to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby repealed. Acts inconsistent repealed.

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CHAPTER 59.

AN ACT to punish such persons as destroy Indexes and Pointers on Public Roads.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, Penalty.  
That all persons who shall wantonly and maliciously impair or destroy any index in wood or stone, or any pointer erected for the information and benefit of travellers on public roads in this state, shall be fined a sum not exceeding five dollars for every separate injury to such index or pointer, to be recovered and collected as other small fines, one-half to the informer, and the other half to the use of the county, where conviction for said offence shall take place.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That in any prosecution under this act, the informer shall be, and he or she is hereby made a competent witness to prove the fact. Informer a witness.

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CHAPTER 63.

AN ACT to relieve Executors and Administrators from the obligation of performing the duties of Guardians, as is required by an act passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty, chapter one hundred and seventy-four.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, Relieved.  
That no executor, executrix, administrator or administratrix, shall be bound in any manner to discharge and fulfil the duties of guardian after the close of their administration, or after the end of three years from the granting such letters of administration; any thing in the act of assembly, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty, chapter one hundred and seventy four, to the contrary notwithstanding.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to relieve executors and administrators from the duty of accounting with the orphans court or otherwise, for the manner in which they have performed the trust imposed on them so long as they shall have acted as guardian according to the directions of the above recited act. Accountability.

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CHAPTER 65.

AN ACT relating to actions of Replevin.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, Replevy apprentices.  
That in all cases where an apprentice hath been or hereafter shall be taken from or detained against the will or consent of his or her master or mistress, the master or mistress, as the