

CHAPTER 382.

AN ACT to add additional sections to article four of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Coal," providing for the protection of purchasers of coal in the city of Baltimore.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the following sections be added as additional sections to article four of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Coal," to be known as sections 292 A, 293 B, 294 C, 295 D, 296 E and 297 F.

Additional sections.

SEC. 292 A. Every person or persons dealing in or selling mineral coal within the city of Baltimore, shall have scales of suitable capacity attached to the premises occupied by him, her or them; any neglect upon the part of the dealer, seller or owner of coal yards or wharves, that are used for the sale of coal, to have the said scale or scales placed within the aforesaid yards or wharves, shall be subject to a penalty of ten dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered by indictment and paid to the Comptroller of Baltimore city.

Must have scales.

SEC. 293 B. If any owner of cart or other vehicle used for hauling coal in the city of Baltimore shall neglect to have such coal weighed upon the scales named in the aforesaid section, or any dealer or seller selling the aforesaid coal to any cart, wagon or other vehicle, without being so weighed as the aforesaid section prescribes, he, she or they shall be subject to a penalty of ten dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered by indictment and to be paid to the Comptroller of the city of Baltimore.

Must be weighed.

SEC. 294 C. It shall be the duty of any policeman of Baltimore city, when called for by the purchasers or any interested party, or when such officer has reason to believe any cart, wagon or other vehicle on the street or road containing coal has not the proper weight, to take such cart, wagon or other

Duty of policemen.