

the penalty the Court shall take into consideration, among other factors, the amount of money fraudulently received.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Section 10 of Article 70A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Old Age Assistance", be and it is hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 25, 1947.

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CHAPTER 701.

(House Bill 58)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 1 of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1943 Supplement), title "Licenses", sub-title "Mode of Issuing—General Provisions", relating to the mode of issuing trader's licenses.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 1 of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1943 Supplement), title "Licenses", sub-title "Mode of Issuing—General Provisions", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

1. All licenses for selling goods and chattels shall be granted by the Clerks of the Circuit Courts for the counties and the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in the City of Baltimore, except where a different mode is especially provided, but they are hereby expressly forbidden to date any such license other than the first day of May in each and every year, except when the trader engages in business in any other month subsequent to May first, when such license shall be issued from such month and a ratable sum shall be charged therefor. No such license shall be issued by the Clerks of the Circuit Courts for the counties and the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in the City of Baltimore, except to domestic corporations the shares of which are subject to taxation under the laws of this State, unless there shall be presented to the respective Clerk issuing the same at the time said license is applied for, a receipt or certificate from the office of the Supervisor of Assessments in the county in which the license is issued or the Bureau of Assessments in the City of Baltimore showing the values of the merchandise,