5-301.

- (A) Each title and [every] license under the provisions of this subtitle shall be evidence in any court of Queen Anne's County of the business for which the license is issued for [a] THE period [not to exceed one (1) year from the date hereof] THAT THE LICENSE IS IN EFFECT. [All licenses and renewals of same shall expire on the first day of May in each year.]
- (B) (1) UNTIL JULY 1, 1991 A LICENSE ISSUED OR RENEWED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE SHALL:
- (I) BE VALID FOR UP TO 1 YEAR FROM THE DATE OF ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL; AND
- (II) EXPIRE ON THE FIRST MAY 1 AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE LICENSE OR RENEWAL.
- (2) ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 1991 A LICENSE ISSUED OR RENEWED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE SHALL:
- (I) BE VALID FOR UP TO 2 YEARS FROM THE DATE OF ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL; AND
- (II) EXPIRE ON THE FIRST JULY 1 AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE LICENSE OR RENEWAL AND IN AN ODD-NUMBERED YEAR. 5-302.

[No] A person granted a license under the provisions of this subtitle [shall] MAY NOT install or repair electrical wires, conductors, apparatus for electric light, heat or power purposes after the expiration of the person's license, or after the person's license has been revoked [as herein provided], unless the person's license or renewal of same shall have been [renewed as herein provided; provided, that any] RENEWED. ANY person [so] granted a license under the provisions of this title (unless the[said] license shall have been revoked [as hereinafter provided]) shall be granted a renewal of [said] THE license without examination of the applicant, provided an application is made to the [said] Board by the holder of [such] THE license and [said] THE license fee [of \$35] is again paid on or before June 30 of [each year, and if] THE REQUIRED YEAR. IF this fee is not paid by June 30 of [each] THE REQUIRED year then the license fee shall be [\$50 and provided further that if] INCREASED BY \$15. IF the [said] license and [bond] INSURANCE shall be reciprocal between other counties in this State and written approval is given by the [said] Board of Examiners no fee will be required, [and renewal of said license shall be for a period of one (1) year] and any renewal of such license shall have the same weight as evidence in any court of this State as [hereinbefore provided for said] AN original license[; provided also, that one year renewals]. A RENEWAL shall be granted in like manner upon expiration of any renewal of license upon making [like] AN application and paying [like] THE fee.