

## CHAPTER 281.

AN ACT to repeal Section 184-A 10 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Allegany County," sub-title "Midland," as enacted by Chapter 629 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, 1908, and to re-enact the same with amendments giving the Mayor and Council of Midland power to license, tax and regulate sales, stores, shops, trades, business and professions and broadening the power of the Mayor and Council of Midland as to streets and public places and as to the protection of the peace, lives, health and property of persons within the corporate limits.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 184-A 10 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Allegany County," sub-title "Midland," as the same was enacted by Chapter 629 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1908, be, and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

SEC. 184-A 10. The Mayor and Council of Midland shall have power to pass all ordinances necessary for the welfare and good government of the town; to prevent, remove and abate all nuisances or obstructions in or on the streets, highways, lanes, or other public places in said town and to prevent, remove and abate all nuisances of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated within the corporate limits of said town; to make reasonable regulations in regard to buildings erected in said town and to require and grant building permits for the same; to establish quarantine regulations and to authorize the removal or confinement of persons having infections or contagious diseases; to regulate or prohibit the ringing of bells, sounding of whistles, or any other loud or unseemly noises; to regulate or prevent the storage of gunpowder, dynamite, gasoline, or any other explosive or combustible material; to pass all ordinances which may be necessary to maintain peace and order within the town; to make and establish and re-establish grades upon the highways and streets of the town, to cause sidewalks, curbings and gutters, streets and alleys to be made, graded, paved, repaired or improved at the cost and expense of the abutting property owners, or to grade, pave, lay, repair and improve streets, sidewalks, curbs