

CHAPTER 478.

AN ACT to add six new sections to Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County," to be under sub-title "Wells," said new sections to be known as Sections 494A, 494B, 494C, 494D, 494E and 494F and to follow immediately after Section 494 of said Article, providing for the licensing of all the businesses of Well Driving, Well Sinking, Well Boring and Well Digging in Harford County and providing penalties for the violations thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That six new sections be and they are hereby added to Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County," to be under sub-title "Wells," said new sections to be known as Sections 494A, 494B, 494C, 494D, 494E and 494F, to follow immediately after Section 494 of said Article, and to read as follows:

494A. It shall be unlawful for any person, partnership, association or corporation to conduct or operate the business of driving, sinking, boring or digging wells of any kind for any purpose in Harford County, as in this subsection defined, without first having obtained a license so to do. Written application therefor shall be made to the Board of County Commissioners on forms prepared by said Board of County Commissioners. Such application shall be under oath and shall contain the name and address including residence of the applicant, and if the applicant is a partnership the name and address of each member, and if a corporation or association the place of incorporation and the names and addresses of its officers and their respective residences. The application shall contain all such further information as may be required by the said Board of County Commissioners in order to fully inform said Board of County Commissioners fully as to the nature of the business, the kind of equipment and facilities to be used.

494B. The license fee for each and every person, partnership, association or corporation residing in and having his or its principal place of business in Harford County in the State of Maryland by whatsoever means the working outfit for driving, sinking, boring or digging wells may be operated or propelled along or upon streets or thoroughfares of Harford County shall be ten dollars (\$10.00) per annum or for any portion thereof for each separate well-driving, sinking, boring or digging unit working or operating in said County.