

CHAPTER 768.

(House Bill 503)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1939 Edition), title Crimes and Punishments, sub-title Sabbath Breaking, said new section to be known as Section 572A and to follow immediately after Section 572, of said Article, authorizing and permitting the operation of and employment of and working persons engaged in the occupation of operating, bathing beaches, bath houses, amusement parks, dancing saloons, the sale of certain merchandise at retail, picnic groves, amusements, games, amusement rides, amusement devices, entertainments, shows, the renting or hiring of boats, tables, chairs, beach umbrellas, on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, within Anne Arundel County, and repealing Section 560, 575 and 576 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1939 Edition) in so far as they prohibit the operation of and or the employment of and working of persons engaged in the occupation of operating bathing beaches, bath houses, amusement parks, dancing saloons, the sale at retail of certain merchandise, picnic groves, amusements, games, amusement rides, amusement devices, entertainments, shows, the renting and hiring of boats, tables, chairs, beach umbrellas, on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, within Anne Arundel County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new section be and hereby is added to Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1939 Edition), title Crimes and Punishments, sub-title Sabbath Breaking, said new section to be known as Section 572A, and to follow immediately after Section 572 of said Article, and to read as follows:

572A. It shall be lawful to operate, work at, or be employed in the occupations of operating any bathing beach, bath house, amusement park, dancing saloon, the sale or selling of any novelties, souvenirs, accessories, or other merchandise essential to, or customarily sold at, or incidental to, the operation of the aforesaid occupations and businesses, at retail, picnic groves, amusements, games, amusement rides, amusement devices, entertainments, shows and the hiring or renting of boats, tables, chairs, beach umbrellas, on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, within Anne Arundel County, and Sections 560, 575 and 576 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1939 Edi-