

least once in every six months; a correct record shall be kept of all coal so weighed, which record shall be open at all reasonable hours to the inspection of miners employed at such mine. Such operator shall keep at the mine weighhouse such standard United States test weights as may be prescribed by the Bureau, for the use in testing such scales, provided, however, that this section shall not apply to any operator who does not employ more than 3 men at any one time. The word "miners" as used in this section shall not be construed to include those persons who mine coal mechanically and who are paid a day rate for their services, in accordance with the terms and provisions of any collective bargaining agreement, between said operator and such employees.

151. The operator of every such mine shall not, before weighing the coal, pass the same over any screen or other device which shall take any part from the value thereof, or otherwise remove any of the coal; and shall duly credit the just and merchantable weight thereof to the employee sending the same to the surface.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Section 157 of Article 89 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition, title "Statistics and Information", sub-title "Title VIII—Weights and Measures", be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on June 1, 1941.

Approved May 6, 1941.

CHAPTER 921.

(House Bill 654)

AN ACT relating to The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission; to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, certain duplicate sections relative thereto in the Articles of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland applicable to Montgomery and Prince George's Counties, being Sections 645, 649, 651 and 652 of Article 16 of said Code, title "Montgomery County", sub-title: "Maryland-Washington Metropolitan District", as revised by the Code of Public Local Laws of Montgomery County (1939 Edition), and Sections 721, 725, 727 and 728, as amended, of Article 17 of said Code (1930 Edition), title: "Prince George's County", sub-title: "Maryland-Washington Metropolitan District".