

existence in any judicial proceeding. All powers, privileges, restrictions, duties and discretions vested in or imposed upon the County Commissioners with respect to the adoption of any rules or regulations hereunder shall apply with equal force and effect to the change, repeal or amendment of any or all of said rules and regulations, in whole or in part.

The said County Commissioners, in addition to any remedies and penalties otherwise prescribed by law, shall have the right to enforce said rules and regulations and the Fire Prevention Code adopted under the authority of this Act and prevent infractions thereof by an application in the name of the Chief of the Fire Prevention Bureau to the Circuit Court for Baltimore County in Equity for an injunction and a breach or threatened breach or violation of any provision of the Fire Prevention Code of Baltimore County or of said rules and regulations shall constitute sufficient cause in itself for the issuance of such injunction when applied for and no further cause need be given.

Every person shall fully comply with all the terms and provisions of the Fire Prevention Code hereby authorized. Any act or actions which are contrary to any provisions or requirement of and any and all failures to comply with any provision or requirement of said Fire Prevention Code shall constitute a violation of said Fire Prevention Code. Every person who commits a violation of said Fire Prevention Code shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof in any court of competent jurisdiction shall be fined not less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or be imprisoned in jail for not less than ten (10) days nor more than three (3) months, or both, in the discretion of the court, but no conviction hereunder shall in any manner relieve any person of any other penalties hereunder nor from the necessity of compliance with all applicable rules, regulations and laws. Every such person shall be deemed to be guilty of a separate offense, for each and every day, or any part thereof, that any such violation continues.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Sections 248 and 249 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Baltimore County", sub-title "Fire Department", be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of this Act and the application of such provisions to other persons and circumstances shall not be affected thereby. If any provision, clause, sentence or section of this Act shall be declared to be invalid or in violation of the State or Federal constitution, the remainder of said Act shall stand and be effective notwithstanding.