

*one copy shall be retained in the files of the Department for a period of four years from date of issue. All certificates issued in any of the Counties of Maryland shall be made out in duplicate and one copy shall be delivered by the person issuing the certificate to the Department of Labor and Industry and shall be preserved in the files of the Department for the period of four years from the date of issue; and the person issuing the certificates in any of the counties shall also make a record of each application for any employment certificate upon blanks furnished by the Department and shall preserve same for a period of four years from the date of application. All employment certificates shall also contain the name and address of the prospective employer and the nature of the occupation in which the child is to be engaged. No certificate shall be valid except in the hands of the employer so named and for the occupation so described.*

*(i) The officer authorized under this article to issue employment certificates shall upon application by any minor over 18 years of age or by any employer for the minor, issue to such minor or employer a certificate of age card, certifying the age of such minor, upon receiving, examining and approving proofs and evidence of age of the same type and in the same order as required under Section 21 24 of this sub-title for the issuance of employment certificates.*

*Such certificates of age cards shall be issued on forms prepared and supplied by the Department of Labor and Industry and shall contain the name, date of birth and place of residence of the minor for whom issued and such other information as the Department shall deem pertinent.*

*(j) Upon the termination of the employment of any minor to whom such a certificate of age card has been issued, the employer shall immediately, and in no case longer than 24 hours thereafter, return to such minor any certificate of age card which may have been turned over to the employer of such minor.*

*(k) Any minor who with intent to deceive, uses as if it were issued to him a certificate of age card issued to another minor and any minor, or parent, guardian or custodian of any minor, or any other person, who with intent to deceive, changes or alters, or aids in changing or altering any birth or other record submitted as proof of age to obtain a certificate of age card or an employment certificate shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished for each offense by a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars.*