

Arundel County", sub-title "Licenses", said new sections to be known as Sections 377AD and 377AE, and to follow immediately after Section 377AC of said Article, as enacted by Chapter 321 of the Acts of 1943; relating to the licensing and regulation of walkethons, dance marathons, endurance contests and other contests, meets and events operated in Anne Arundel County, and clarifying and defining the powers granted to the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County under Sections 377A, 377AB and 377AC of Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, and repealing all Laws conflicting herewith, and repealing Sections 292 and 293 of Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), in so far as said sections shall apply to any licenses issued by the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County pursuant hereto and in so far as said sections shall conflict with any regulations adopted by the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County pursuant hereto, and providing that Sections 288 to 301 inclusive of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1939 Edition) shall not be construed to prohibit or make unlawful the operation of any amusement, contest, meet, or event, or the participation in any award or wager upon the result of any such amusement, contest, meet, or event operated pursuant to regulations adopted pursuant to the powers granted by Sections 377A, 377AB, 377AC, 377AD and 377AE of Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That two new sections be and they are hereby added to Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Anne Arundel County", sub-title "Licenses", said new sections to be known as Sections 377AD and 377AE, and to follow immediately after Section 377AC of said Article as enacted by Chapter 321 of the Acts of 1943, and to read as follows:

377AD. The powers granted to the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County by Sections 377A, 377AB, 377AC, and 377AE and all regulations adopted pursuant thereto, are granted and are to be exercised under, pursuant to and by virtue of the Police Powers of the State of Maryland, and all regulations adopted, licenses established, taxes levied and fees established thereunder shall be uniform as to each type or class of amusement or event, but may vary as between different classes of amusements events etc. All such regulations adopted or fees established shall be for the protection of the health, morals, and for the general welfare of the people.