

fied as Sections 1 to 61 inclusive of Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, as enacted by Chapter 908 of the 1943 Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, title "Harford County", sub-title "Aberdeen", said new sections to be known as 15A and 57A, and to read as follows:

15A. The Commissioners shall have the authority to purchase such buildings and lands as are deemed advisable for the purpose of providing recreation facilities for young people and adults; to equip said buildings and to expend such sums as may be necessary, in the discretion of the Commissioners, in the operation of said building and facilities.

57A. The Commissioners of Aberdeen, as the Taxicab Bureau are hereby vested with the discretion of determining from time to time the number of taxicabs which shall operate within the limits of the Town of Aberdeen; to fix the place or places of their operation, and may refuse to issue licenses above the number prescribed by motion, duly adopted, from time to time by a majority vote of said Commissioners of Aberdeen, sitting as the Taxicab Bureau.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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CHAPTER 614

(House Bill 649)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 2 of Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Evidence", sub-title "Competency of Witnesses", relating to the disclosure of the source of news or information by persons engaged in radio or television work.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 2 of Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Evidence", sub-title "Competency of Witnesses", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows: