

promptly upon obtaining knowledge or notice thereof, to at once report such disability to the Commission, and also to any local representative of the Commission. Such report shall state (a) the time, cause and nature of the disability, and the probable duration; (b) whether the disability from an occupational disease arose out of and in the course of the injured person's employment; (c) any other matters the rules and regulations of the Commission may prescribe.

(c) This Article shall not apply to cases of occupational disease in which the last injurious exposure to the hazard of such diseases occurred before June 1, 1939.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1951.

Approved April 13, 1951.

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## CHAPTER 293

(Senate Bill 137)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 1 of Article 96 $\frac{1}{2}$  of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supp.), title "Veterans", re-defining the term "Second World War Veterans" so as to make applicable the provisions of Article 96 $\frac{1}{2}$  to persons entering the armed forces between June 1, 1950 and June 1, 1953.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 1 of Article 96 $\frac{1}{2}$  of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supp.), title "Veterans", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

**[(1)]** 1. The term "Second World War Veteran," as and when used in this Article, unless a contrary intention shall be manifest by the context, shall mean, be deemed to mean, and shall apply to any person who, at the time he seeks to invoke any of the provisions of this Article or at

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.