

which racing may be conducted in Maryland. The Racing Commission shall award this one additional day to such one of the mile tracks as it may in its discretion determine and the decision of the Commission in this respect shall be final.

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.

Approved March 12, 1954.

CHAPTER 63

(Senate Bill 14)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 60 to 65, inclusive, of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Counterfeiting and Forgery," said sections relating to the registration of certain labels, trade-marks or forms of advertisement and being known generally as the trade-mark law, and to add 14 new sections to Article 41 of said Code, title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments," said new sections to be known as Sections 87A to 87N, inclusive, to be under the sub-title "Secretary of State," and under the new sub-heading "Trade-marks," enacting provisions for the registration and protection of trade-marks and relating generally to the use and registration of certain words, names, symbols, devices or any combination thereof, and known generally as "trade-marks."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That 14 new sections be and they are hereby added to Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments," said new sections to be known as

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.