

CHAPTER 260

(Senate Bill 150)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 242A of Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County", as amended by Chapter 784 of the Laws of the General Assembly of 1953, sub-title "Explosives", making it unlawful to manufacture, compound, store or keep explosives in Harford County within one hundred seventy-five (175) feet of a public highway and providing for a penalty for the violation thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 242A of Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County", sub-title "Explosives", as enacted by Chapter 784 of the Laws of the General Assembly of 1953, be repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

EXPLOSIVES

242A. It shall be unlawful in Harford County for any person, partnership, corporation or association to manufacture, compound, store, or keep fireworks or other explosives in Harford County within one hundred seventy-five (175) feet of any public highway; provided that this prohibition shall not extend to office buildings or to any other buildings connected with the manufacturing process in which the fireworks or other explosive materials are not actually manufactured, compounded, stored or kept; and provided further, that any person, partnership, corporation or association storing dynamite for retail sale may secure a permit from the Sheriff of Harford County authorizing such storage under such safety rules as the Sheriff may prescribe. Any person, partnership, corporation or association violating the provisions hereof shall be deemed to be maintaining a public nuisance, and shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a fine not exceeding \$1,000.00; provided that one conviction under this Act shall not bar a subsequent prosecution if the offense is continued.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1955.

Approved April 11, 1955.

CHAPTER 261

(Senate Bill 159)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 8 to 25, inclusive, of Article 31 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Debt—Public",

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.