

said new section to follow immediately after Section 325 thereof, and to be under the sub-title "Gaming", relating to the conduct of carnivals, bazaars, raffles, games of bingo or other games of entertainment by certain organizations or corporations in Cecil County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 325A be and it is hereby added to Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments". said new section to follow immediately after Section 325 thereof, and to be under the sub-title "Gaming", and to read as follows:

325A. *Nothing in this sub-title shall be construed to make it unlawful for any volunteer fire company or bona fide fraternal, civic, war veterans, religious or charitable organizations or corporation in Cecil County to conduct or hold a carnival, bazaar, raffle or game of bingo, or other games of entertainment for the exclusive benefit of any such volunteer fire company or fraternal, civic, war veterans, religious or charitable organization or corporation, provided that no individual or group of individuals shall benefit financially from the holding of any such bazaar, carnival, raffle, or game of bingo, or shall receive or be paid any of the proceeds from any such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game of bingo, for personal use or benefit. At such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game of bingo it shall be lawful to award prizes in cash or in merchandise by such devices as are commonly designated as paddle wheels, wheels of fortune, chance books, OR bingo; ~~or any other gaming device,~~ provided, however, that such carnivals, bazaars, raffles or games of bingo shall be managed by the members of such group, organization or corporation personally through its members.*

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

Approved April 25, 1955.

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CHAPTER 560

(Senate Bill 118)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 35(1) (a) AND SECTION 35 (4) (A) of Article 101 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition and 1954 Supplement), title "Workmen's Compensation", sub-title "Claims and Compensation: Benefits", providing for certain extended payments to be made from the so-called "Second Injury Fund" in the event of permanent total disability, and ~~removing~~ INCREASING the maximum total compensation payable in the case of permanent total disability and relating to ~~the payments of compensation in the event~~

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.