

the time when the facts and circumstances amounting to an estoppel cease to operate, and not afterwards.

When death results from injury, the parties entitled to compensation under this Article, or someone in their behalf, shall make application for same to the Commission, within ~~[one year]~~ *three years* from the date of death, which application must be accompanied with proof of death and proof of relationship under this Article, certificates of attending physician, if attended by a physician, and such other proof as may be required by the rules of the Commission. **IN THOSE CASES IN WHICH AN EMPLOYER HAD ACTUAL NOTICE OF THE CAUSE FOR COMPENSATION OR IN WHICH THE EMPLOYEE HAS BEEN TREATED FOR THE CAUSE OF COMPENSATION BY A PHYSICIAN SELECTED BY THE EMPLOYER OR ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE EMPLOYER, THE FAILURE OF AN EMPLOYEE TO FILE A CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION WITHIN THREE YEARS AFTER THE BEGINNING OF HIS DISABILITY SHALL CONSTITUTE A COMPLETE BAR TO ANY CLAIM UNDER THIS ARTICLE, AND IN SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES EVERY OTHER REFERENCE IN THIS SECTION TO THE PERIOD OF ONE YEAR SHALL BE TAKEN TO BE THE PERIOD OF THREE YEARS.**

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That nothing in this Act shall be construed or applied to affect or change the law as to any injury for which compensation is payable under this Article which occurred prior to the effective date of this Act.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1956.

Approved March 26, 1956.

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## CHAPTER 95

(Senate Bill 91)

**AN ACT** to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section (1) of Section 19 of Article 95A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition) and to add Paragraph 9 to Sub-section (n) of Section 19 of Article 95A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1955 Supplement), title "Unemployment Compensation", subtitle "Definitions", said new Paragraph 9 to follow immediately after Paragraph 8 of Sub-section (n) of Section 19 thereof, providing that "unemployment" within the meaning of the Maryland Unemployment Compensation Law shall include any period following layoff or discharge, even though vacation pay is paid or payable, where there is no request for vacation.

**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.