

land (1951 Edition), title "Alcoholic Beverages," sub-title "Restrictions Upon Licensees," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

117.

(b) It shall not be lawful for any person, whether licensed to sell spirituous, fermented or intoxicating liquor or not, to sell, give directly or indirectly, dispose of, barter, furnish, hand over or deliver, within the corporate limits of the City of Annapolis, or within five miles thereof, any spirituous, fermented or intoxicating liquors, wines or cordials of any kind, or in any quantity whatever, to any youth or minor under the age of twenty-one years, either for his or her own use or for the use of any other person, either with or without the written order or consent of the parent or guardian of such minor; nor to any midshipman or student connected with or attached to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, or under orders to join or leave the said Academy, or preparing for admission to said Academy, either for his own use or for the use of any other person; and any person violating the provisions of this sub-section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined a sum not less than Twenty-five Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars, or be imprisoned in jail for not less than ten days, nor more than sixty days, or be both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the court; but if any minor shall wilfully represent that he is of full age and thereby shall obtain any spirituous liquors, and the person selling the same shall be able to prove at his or her trial such misrepresentation, and that he or she used due caution in ascertaining the age of such minor before disposing of the liquor as aforesaid to said minor *and that in the exercise of reasonable caution he was deceived by the use of documentary evidence and that for such reason he was unable to ascertain that the minor was in fact a minor*, then the person so selling to such minor, shall be acquitted of the said charge, the minor obtaining spirituous liquor by such misrepresentation of his or her age shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon trial and conviction before any justice of the peace shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than Ten Dollars, nor more than Twenty Dollars and the costs of his prosecution, or upon failure to pay such fine and costs of his prosecution shall be committed to jail for a period not less than five days nor more than twenty days.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1957.

Approved April 10, 1957.

CHAPTER 639

(House Bill 633)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 245 to 255, inclusive, of Article 18 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title

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.