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No attachment of the wages or hire of any laborer or employee, in the hands of the employer, whether private individuals or bodies corporate, shall affect any salary or wages of the debtor which are not actually due at the date of the attachment; and the sum of one hundred dollars of such wages or hire due to any laborer or employee by any employer or corporation shall always be exempt from attachment by any process whatever. Every contract or agreement of any character whatsoever of such laborer or employee, the purpose of which is to waive this right of exemption, shall be absolutely void, provided, however, that the salary or wages of any laborer or employee shall not be exempt from attachment, levy or [lieu] *lien* at the instance of the State for income tax due the State by any such laborer or employee. *This section shall not be applicable in Caroline, Kent and , Queen Anne's AND WORCESTER Counties.*

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SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.*

Approved April 30, 1963.

CHAPTER 788

(House Bill 122)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 2-55 (b) of the Anne Arundel County Code, 1957 (1961 Supplement, being Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Anne Arundel County," subtitle "Chapter 2. Administration," subheading "Article VII. Classified Service," to provide for exclusion from the Anne Arundel County Classified Service of enginemen of volunteer fire companies in the county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 2-55 (b) of the Anne Arundel County Code, 1957 (1961 Supplement, being Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Anne Arundel County," subtitle "Chapter 2. Administration," subheading "Article VII. Classified Service,"*