32.

- (f) Upon application to the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles by the owner of any registered passenger motor vehicle, accompanied with due proof that said owner is a bona fide member of the Department of Maryland, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, and also upon certification to the Department of Motor Vehicles by the department commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, State of Maryland, in office at the time of said application that clearance has been made through his office and Isaid request is not in excess of the total allowable number of tags in the amount of 2100, said request is not in excess of the number of tags which the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles may determine can be manufactured in conformity with the combinations permissible under this Article, and upon payment of a fee of \$.50 in addition to any other fees required by this article, the Department shall issue for said passenger motor vehicle special registration plates upon which shall be inscribed in letters and numerals not less than three inches high and in strokes of not less than one-quarter inch in width the letters VFW followed by appropriate letter and numerals in lieu of the numerals required to be displayed on such registration plates under other provisions of this article.
- SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 13, 1964.

CHAPTER 8

(Senate Bill 38)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 31 of Article 21 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Conveyancing", subtitle "Mortgages", granting authority to an agent to act for a mortgagee, or party secured by a deed of trust, in making the eath or affirmation required on a mortgage that the consideration recited therein is true and bona fide. RELATING TO THE OATH OR AFFIRMATION REQUIRED ON A MORTGAGE OR DEED OF TRUST THAT THE CONSIDERATION RECITED THEREIN IS TRUE AND BONA FIDE.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 31 of Article 21 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Conveyancing", subtitle "Mortgages", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

31.

The affidavit required by Section 30 of this article may be made by one of the several mortgagees or parties secured by the deed of