

or the passage or voyage to which it entitles or purports to entitle its owner, purchaser or holder or line over which, or the vessel for which such passage is sold or offered or as to his agency for such line or vessel. Such reference shall be no less prominently displayed than the balance of the material appearing on the printed paper or notice.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1964.

Approved April 7, 1964.

CHAPTER 166

(House Bill 350)

AN ACT to add new Section 100 (h) of TO Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (~~1957 Edition as amended~~) (1963 SUPPLEMENT), title "Evidence," subtitle "Chemical Tests for Intoxication," TO FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY AFTER SECTION 100(G) THEREOF, providing that for the purpose of establishing that chemical tests for intoxication have been administered with approved equipment, a statement signed by the toxicologist of the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner of the Department of Post-Mortem Examiners certifying that the equipment used in the test has been approved by him shall be prima facie evidence of such approval and shall be admissible in evidence in Court.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That new Section 100 (h) of Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (~~1957 Edition as amended~~) (1963 SUPPLEMENT), title "Evidence," subtitle "Chemical Tests for Intoxication," be and it is hereby added to follow immediately after Section 100 (g) of Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (~~1957 Edition as amended~~) (1963 SUPPLEMENT), to read as follows:

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(h) Proof of approved equipment.—For the purpose of establishing that the test was administered with equipment approved by the toxicologist of the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner of the Department of Post-Mortem Examiners, as required by subsection (a) of this section, a statement signed by such toxicologist certifying that the equipment used in the test has been approved by him shall be prima facie evidence of such approval, and such statement shall be admissible in evidence without the necessity of such toxicologist personally appearing in Court. THIS SECTION SHALL NOT PRECLUDE THE RIGHT TO INTRODUCE ANY OTHER COMPETENT EVIDENCE BEARING UPON THE DATE OF THE CERTIFICATE OR CHANGE IN SAID EQUIPMENT SINCE THE DATE OF THE SAID CERTIFICATE.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1964.

Approved April 7, 1964.