

to such group, company, association or body corporate for the promotion of and to be used for one or more of the objects hereinbefore set forth, and not for the private gain of any member of such group or organization; and at any such benefit performance, conducted under the conditions herein prescribed, it shall be lawful to award prizes in merchandise, conduct games of skill, to dispose of merchandise and other things of value by auction or voting or by such mechanical devices as are commonly designated as paddle wheels, wheels of fortune, bingo, or other similar methods, and with or without an entrance or participation charge or fee; nothing herein contained, however, to be construed as to permit or authorize the awarding of prizes in money, or to reward the winner or winners or other participants in any such game or auction in money or tokens redeemable in money or any merchandise the value of which exceeds twenty dollars (\$20.00). Provided, that before operating any such benefit performance, any such group or organization shall first obtain from the **County Commissioners of Prince George's County** *Department of Inspections and Permits for Prince George's County* a written permit therefor, and, provided further, that such benefit performance is managed and operated only by members of such group or organization personally. Any person, company, association or corporation operating, or attempting to operate any such benefit performance in violation hereof, shall, upon conviction of such violation, be subject to a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or imprisonment in jail for a period of not more than one year, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the Court.

50-5. Games and races.

No person, organization, association, corporation, partnership or group of individuals shall conduct a baseball game, football game, motorcycle race or automobile race, to which the public is invited or admitted with or without charge for such admission, operated for private gain, without first obtaining from the **County Commissioners of Prince George's County** *Department of Inspections and Permits for Prince George's County* a written permit therefor, the fee to be one dollar (\$1.00) payable to the Treasurer for Prince George's County for each permit issued for any one time, which fee shall be used for the purpose of defraying the cost incurred, any excess to go into general county fund. It shall not be lawful for the **County Commissioners of Prince George's County** *Department of Inspections and Permits for Prince George's County* to issue such license or written permit for any place nearer than five hundred (500) yards from any church located in Prince George's County, Maryland. Any person, company, association or corporation operating or attempting to operate any such performance in violation hereof shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or imprisonment in jail for a period of not more than one (1) year, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

50-6. Public dances.

(a) License. On and after July 1, 1929, it shall be unlawful to maintain or operate a road house, restaurant, lunch-room, cafe, inn, hotel or club for profit where public dancing is permitted more than once a week in Prince George's County without first having obtained a license from the **Board of County Commissioners of said county**,