SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1967.

Approved April 14, 1967.

## CHAPTER 316

(House Bill 883)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 258(b) of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Licenses," subtitle "Home-Improvement Law," subheading "Refusal or revocation of license for untrustworthiness, fraud, bad faith, etc.," to provide that the Maryland Home-Improvement Commission shall not grant a license to any person, nor shall it continue a license already issued, where the Commission finds that the home improvement transactions of the management personnel of the person have been marked by a practice of failure to perform contracts, or by the manipulation of assets or accounts, or by fraud or bad faith.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 258(b) of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Licenses," subtitle "Home-Improvement Law," subheading "Refusal or revocation of license for untrustworthiness, fraud, bad faith, etc.," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and to read as follows:

258.

For the protection of the people of this State, the Commission shall not grant a license to any person, nor shall it continue a license already issued where the Commission finds that:

(b) the home-improvement transactions of the person, or the management personnel of the person, have been marked by a practice of failure to perform contracts, or by the manipulation of assets or accounts [:], or by fraud or bad faith.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1967.

Approved April 14, 1967.

## CHAPTER 317

(House Bill 884)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 261(a) (5) of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Licenses," subtitle "Home Improvement Law," subheading "Prohibited acts; penalties," to add to