

be given progressive implementation by the Governor of Maryland in making future appointments to the Board of Education of Baltimore County, to the end that without affecting the tenure of any member of the Board in office on the effective date of this Act, the full provisions of this Act shall become effective through future appointments and at the earliest possible time.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1967.

Passed over the Governor's Veto, June 22, 1967.

CHAPTER 4*

(Senate Bill 637)

AN ACT to repeal Section 228 of Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance", subtitle "Unfair Trade Practices", and to re-enact a new Section 228 to stand in the place of the section so repealed and to be under the new subheading "Coerced and Tie-in Sales Prohibited", to provide that it shall be unlawful to require any person as a condition to the receipt of a loan or any other consideration to buy insurance from any given agent, broker or insurer; to prohibit any insurance transaction or plan which is tied in with some other consideration; to prohibit the public solicitation of combination plans, and providing generally for the free choice of insurance.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 228 of Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance", subtitle "Unfair Trade Practices", be and it is hereby repealed and that new Section 228 of Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance", subtitle "Unfair Trade Practices", be and it is hereby re-enacted to stand in the place of the section so repealed and to be under the new subheading "Coerced and Tie-in Sales Prohibited", and to read as follows:

228.

(a) *It shall be unlawful for any person to require that as a condition, agreement or understanding to selling or furnishing any other person any loan, credit, sale, goods, property, contract, lease or service that such other person shall purchase insurance of any kind through any given agent, broker or insurer; and no agent, broker or insurer shall participate in any such combination plan or transaction; and no person shall fix a price charged for such thing or service, or discount from, or rebate upon price, on the condition, agreement or understanding that any insurance is to be obtained through the favored agent, broker or insurer.*

(b) *No person shall solicit, and no agent, broker or insurer shall participate in any plan of public solicitation of the combinations of*

* This Bill was passed by both Houses of the General Assembly during the Regular Session of 1967. It was vetoed by the Governor, and the veto was overridden at the Special Session of June 22, 1967.