

Court of Calvert County who shall receive for each such license issued the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per annum. Any person violating the provisions of this subtitle shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00) to be recovered as other fines are recovered.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1968.

Approved April 10, 1968.

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CHAPTER 270  
(House Bill 618)

AN ACT to add new Section 134C to Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Licenses," subtitle "Gypsies, Fortunetellers, etc.," to follow immediately after Section 134B thereof to require fortunetellers, etc. in Calvert County to be licensed and providing a penalty for violating the provisions of this Act.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That new Section 134C be and it is hereby added to Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Licenses," subtitle "Gypsies, Fortunetellers, etc.," to follow immediately after Section 134B thereof, and to read as follows:

134C

(a) *Notwithstanding any other sections of this Article, in Calvert County any palm reader, fortuneteller, or soothsayer or similar person shall apply to the clerk of the circuit court for a license to carry on such business. The license shall be issued to cover only three month periods and the fee shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00). Prior to the issuance of such license the applicant must be fingerprinted and photographed by the Maryland State Police and have a certificate from the State Police that their records indicate that the person has never been convicted of a crime, other than motor vehicle violations.*

(b) *Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and may, in the discretion of the court, in addition, be imprisoned for not more than six months.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1968.

Approved April 10, 1968.