

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

Approved April 10, 1968.

CHAPTER 282
(House Bill 709)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 48(b) of Article 78 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Public Service Commission Law," subtitle "Public Service Companies," subheading "Carrier Companies," to exempt taxicabs in Hagerstown from the requirement that they be equipped with taximeters.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 48(b) of Article 78 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Public Service Commission Law," subtitle "Public Service Companies," subheading "Carrier Companies," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(b) Each taxicab for which a permit is required, *except those operating in the City of Hagerstown*, shall be equipped, while in service, with an accurate taximeter properly installed and connected, which shall be the exclusive means of measuring the charges for service. Such meters shall be subject to inspection and test by the Commission.

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

Approved April 10, 1968.

CHAPTER 283
(House Bill 716)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 89(3) of Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance Code," subtitle "Investments of Life Insurers," to correct a technical error.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 89(3) of Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance Code," subtitle "Investments of Life Insurers," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows: