

cate of registration or examination has been revoked shall not be permitted to practice optometry in this State. An appeal may be taken from the action of the Board refusing to grant or revoking a certificate for such causes to three disinterested optometrists, one of whom shall be appointed by said Board, another of whom shall be appointed by the applicant, and the two so appointed to select the third, and the decision of any two thereof shall be final and binding. **[Thirty]** *One Hundred* dollars shall be deposited with said Board by said applicant prior to the selection of the three persons aforesaid for the purpose of defraying the expenses of said appeal. If the decision of the Board be not affirmed the said **[thirty]** *one hundred* dollars is to be returned to said applicant and the expenses of the appeal are to be borne by the Board.

## 382.

Any person who shall violate any of the preceding provisions of this subtitle shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not **[less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, or imprisoned not more than thirty days, or both fined and imprisoned, and his license may be revoked]** *more than five hundred dollars or imprisoned not more than six months, or both fined and imprisoned,* in the discretion of the court.

## 383.

Any person holding a license under this subtitle who shall attach to his name or use the title M. D., surgeon, doctor, physician, eye specialist, eyesight specialist, oculist, ophthalmologist, doctor of ophthalmology, doctor of optometry, doctor of optics, or any title containing the word doctor or the abbreviation Dr., or any word or abbreviation that will or can convey the impression that he is engaged in the treatment of diseases or injuries of the human eye, or make use of drugs, medicine or surgery, in the practice of optometry, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not more than **[two hundred dollars, or imprisoned not more than three months, or both fined and imprisoned, and his license may be revoked,]** *five hundred dollars, or imprisoned not more than six months, or both fined and imprisoned,* in the discretion of the court; provided, however, that any person who holds a standard examination certificate issued by the Maryland State Board of Examiners in Optometry to practice optometry in the State of Maryland and who has received a degree from a legally chartered college having the authority to give the degree of "doctor of optics" or "doctor of optometry" may use the title doctor of optics or doctor of optometry in connection with his name.

**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 318

(House Bill 847)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 3(s) (2) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1966 Re-