

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 17(e) of Article 95A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Unemployment Insurance Law," subtitle "Penalties," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

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(e) Repayment of funds illegally received.—When any person is found by the Executive Director to have made a false statement or representation knowing it to be false or to have knowingly failed to disclose a material fact to obtain or increase any benefit or other payment under this article, such person shall be required to repay to the Executive Director for the fund a sum equal to all of the benefits received by or paid to such individual for each week with respect to which such false statement or representation was made or with respect to which he failed to disclose a material fact and such person shall be disqualified from the receipt of benefits for the period of one year from the date on which the determination is made that an improper claim was filed involving such false statement or representation or failure to disclose a material fact and thereafter *except as provided herein* while any sum payable to the Executive Director for the fund under this subsection is still due and unpaid. *Provided that after the expiration of three FIVE years following the date of the offense, or one year after the expiration of the one-year disqualification imposed under this subsection, whichever occurs later, a claimant may qualify for benefits from which any part of the repayment due the Executive Director and unpaid may SHALL be FULLY recovered.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* that this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved May 14, 1969.

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CHAPTER 705

(House Bill 915)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 124, 125 and 126 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Charles County (1965 Edition, being Article 9 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Charles County," subtitle "Fire Companies," Section 125 as added by Chapter 257 of the Acts of 1968, and to enact new Sections 124 and 125 in lieu thereof, to stand in the place of the sections so repealed; to provide for a rescue tax to support the volunteer rescue squads in Charles County and to provide for the method of disbursements, inspections and compliance with equipment standards and to provide further for the exclusion of the Charles County Rescue Squad from the provisions of this section.

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