

32-I. Additional judges for the seventh judicial circuit.

In addition to the seven judges for the seventh judicial circuit for which provision is made by Section 21 of Article 4 of the Constitution of Maryland, there shall be, *in addition to the 2 additional judges already provided for under this section, three additional judges* who shall be residents of Prince George's County. Said judges shall be selected in the manner provided by Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of Maryland and shall be subject to all the provisions of the Constitution and laws relating to the seventh judicial circuit and the several judges thereof.

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

Approved April 9, 1969.

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CHAPTER 84

(House Bill 353)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 178(3) of Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance Code," subtitle "11. Agents and Brokers," and to add new Section 178(4) to said Article, title and subtitle of said Code, to follow immediately after Section 178(3) thereof, establishing minimum educational requirements to qualify for the examination for life and/or health agent and requiring additional education for renewal of such licenses.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 178(3) of Article 48A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume), title "Insurance Code," subtitle "11. Agents and Brokers," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and that new Section 178(4) be and it is hereby added to said Article, title, and subtitle, to follow immediately after Section 178(3) thereof, and to read as follows:

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(3) The Commissioner shall establish reasonable rules and regulations with respect to the scope, type, conduct and grading of such written examinations and the times and places within this State where they shall be held; provided, that applicants shall be permitted to take such examinations at least once in each week at the principal office of the Commissioner, and provided further that such examinations shall be offered at least once in each month at a location on the Eastern Shore of Maryland and once each month at a location on the Western Shore of Maryland (other than Baltimore City), such locations to be selected by the Commissioner; and all examinations must be graded within thirty days following the date of the examination. *As a prerequisite to examination the Commissioner shall require not less than 60 hours of study and instruction in courses approved by him* AND A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION SHALL BE FORWARDED WITH THE APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION TO THE COMMISSIONER.