

ment) (1969 REPLACEMENT VOLUME), title "Unemployment Insurance Law," subtitle "Benefits," to change the disqualification for unemployment insurance benefits in case of dismissal payments or wages in certain conditions where part or all of the employee's place of business is closed TO ELIMINATE THE DISQUALIFICATION IN THE CASE OF DISMISSAL PAYMENTS WHERE THE CLAIMANT'S JOB HAS BEEN ELIMINATED UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 6(i) of Article 95A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1966 Supplement) (1969 REPLACEMENT VOLUME), title "Unemployment Insurance Law," subtitle "Benefits," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(i) For any week with respect to which he is receiving, has received, or has filed, or is eligible to file a claim for remuneration in an amount equal to or in excess of his weekly benefit amount in the form of dismissal payment or wages in lieu of notice whether legally followed or not, such payments to be allocated to a number of weeks required separation from employment equal to the number of weeks' pay received.

Provided, that if such remuneration is less than his weekly benefit amount, an otherwise eligible individual shall not be deemed ineligible and shall be entitled to receive for such week benefits reduced by the amount of such payments. Any benefit payment reduced because of the provisions of this section shall constitute a full week's benefits for the purposes of computing duration during the benefit year. *There shall be no disqualification, notwithstanding this paragraph, where the employee was not able to work because of a cessation of his work and where the employer was responsible for the payment of benefits to the employee in the case of cessation of work at part or all of the employee's place of business* PROVIDED FURTHER, THERE SHALL BE NO DISQUALIFICATION UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE CLAIMANT'S UNEMPLOYMENT IS DUE TO THE ABOLITION OF HIS JOB EITHER FOR TECHNOLOGICAL REASONS OR BECAUSE THE EMPLOYER HAS PERMANENTLY DISCONTINUED THE OPERATION OF THE PLANT, DIVISION, DEPARTMENT OR SECTION THEREOF IN WHICH THE CLAIMANT WAS LAST EMPLOYED.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1970.

Approved April 28, 1970

CHAPTER 446
(House Bill 728)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 36(3) (a), 36(3) (b) and 36(4) of Article 101 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1969 Supplement), title