

CHAPTER 214

(Senate Bill 453)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 8 (a) of Article 83 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1971 Supplement), title "Sales and Notices", subtitle "Exemption from Execution", to provide that the exemptions of subsection (a) shall not be subject to waiver.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 8 (a) of Article 83 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1969 Replacement Volume and 1971 Supplement), title "Sales and Notices", subtitle "Exemption from Execution", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

8.

(a) Five hundred dollars in property, whether the same consists of money, land or goods, except that not more than one hundred dollars thereof shall be in money for each defendant, as well as all money payable in the nature of insurance, benefit or relief in the contingency or event of sickness, accident, hurt or death of any person, shall be exempt from execution or seizure in satisfaction of debt or claim upon any judgment in any civil proceedings, except on judgments of breach of promise to marry or for seduction. *The provisions of this subsection are not subject to waiver by any defendant or by any insured.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1972.

Approved May 5, 1972.

CHAPTER 215

(Senate Bill 485)

AN ACT to ~~add new~~ REPEAL AND RE-ENACT, WITH AMENDMENTS, Sections ~~132A (b-1)~~ 153C (D) (5) and ~~153C (d-1)~~ to 153D (C) (3) OF Article 83 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume), title "Sales and Notices," subtitles "~~Retail Installment Sales~~" and SUBTITLE "Retail Credit Accounts Law," respectively, to follow immediately after Sections ~~132A (b)~~ and ~~153C (d)~~ respectively, to provide for the disclosure on bills sent out under retail installment sales and retail credit accounts of the moneys owed less the finance or service charges. CONCERNING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION AND ASSESSMENT OF SERVICE CHARGES ON RETAIL CREDIT ACCOUNTS.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That ~~new~~ Sections ~~132A (b-1)~~ and ~~153C (d-1)~~ be and they are