THIS SUBTITLE TO AN EMPLOYER TO ENGAGE IN AN ACTIVITY WHICH HE MAY EMPLOY ONE OR MORE PERSONS, THE EMPLOYER SHALL FILE WITH THE ISSUING AUTHORITY, A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE STATE WORKHEN'S COMPENSATION LAWS, OF THE WORKHEN'S **IFPURSUANT** TO THE PROVISIONS COMPENSATION LAW, AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED THERBUNDER. ]] PROVISIONS AND REGULATIONS OF THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW. AN EMPLOYER-APPLICANT MAY PROVIDE, AS EVIDENCE OF INSURANCE, A WORKBER'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE POLICY NUMBER OR BINDER NUMBER, IN LIEU OF SUBNITTING A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE.

SECTION 16. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That new Section 156A be and it is hereby added to Article 83 — Sales and Notices, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 83 - Sales and Notices

156 A.

- (A) IN THIS SECTION, "EMPLOYER" HAS THE SAME MEANING AS UNDER THE STATE WORKHEN'S COMPENSATION LAWS.
- PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A LICENSE OR PERMIT UNDER THIS SUBTITLE TO AN EMPLOYER TO ENGAGE IN AN ACTIVITY IW WHICH HE MAY EMPLOY ONE OR MORE PERSONS, THE EMPLOYER SHALL FILE WITH THE ISSUING AUTHORITY, A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE STATE WORKHEN'S COMPENSATION LAWS, THE PROVISIONS [ PURSUANT TO OF THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW, AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED THEREUNDER. ]] PROVISIONS AND REGULATIONS OF THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW. AN EMPLOYER-APPLICANT MAY PROVIDE, AS EVIDENCE OF INSURANCE, A WORKHEN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE POLICY NUMBER OR BINDER NUMBER, IN LIEU OF SUBMITTING A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE.

SECTION 17. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That new Section 23A be and it is hereby added to Article 88A - Social Services Administration, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 88A - Social Services Administration

23A.

- (A) IN THIS SECTION, "EMPLOYER" HAS THE SAME MEANING AS UNDER THE STATE WORKHEN'S COMPENSATION LAWS.
  - (B) PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A LICENSE OR PERMIT UNDER