workmen's compensation or similar laws of such other state, so as to cover such employee's employment while in this State; provided the extraterritorial provisions of this article are recognized in such other state and provided employers and employees who are covered in this State are likewise exempted from the application of the workmen's compensation or similar laws of such other state. The benefits under the workmen's compensation act or similar laws of such other state shall be the exclusive remedy against such employer for any injury, whether resulting in death or not, received by such employee while working for such employer in this State.

A certificate from the duly authorized officer of the industrial accident commission or similar department of another state certifying that the employer of such other state is insured therein and has provided extraterritorial coverage insuring his employees while working within this State shall be prima facie evidence that such employer carries such compensation insurance.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved April 12, 1977.

CHAPTER 123

(House Bill 672)

AN ACT concerning

Workmen's Compensation - Funeral Expenses

FOR the purpose of increasing the maximum amount allowable in compensation as reasonable funeral expenses in certain Workmen's Compensation cases in which death ensues from the injury within a certain period of time.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation Section 37(d) Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 37(d) of Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows: