

(1969 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement)

Preamble

It is the intent of the Legislature that for a law-enforcement officer to qualify for administrative leave under the provisions of this section, he must have incurred an injury in the line of duty and while in the active enforcement of the laws or prevention of a crime. It is not intended to apply to a law-enforcement officer engaged in administrative duties and injured while performing those duties.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Section 23A be and it is hereby added to Article 88B - State Police, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 88B - State Police

23A.

~~THE SUPERINTENDENT, OR CHIEF, OF A STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OR DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE MAY GRANT ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER~~ LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS IN HIS ~~AGENCY OR DEPARTMENT~~ INJURED OR WOUNDED IN THE LINE OF DUTY WHILE IN THE ACTIVE PREVENTION OF CRIME. THE ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE REMAINS IN EFFECT UNTIL THE LAW ENFORCEMENT STATE POLICE OFFICER IS RETURNED TO DUTY OR IS RETIRED BY REASON OF THOSE INJURIES.

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

Approved May 26, 1977.

CHAPTER 891

(Senate Bill 419)

AN ACT concerning

State Fair Board - Funds

FOR the purpose of increasing the amount paid to the Maryland State Fair Board from fees collected by the Racing Commission for certain fairs and exhibits.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,