

MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation

21.

(b) The following shall constitute employees subject to the provisions of this act, except as exempted under subsection (c) of this section:

(4) Every person in the service of any political subdivision or agency thereof, under any contract of hire, express or implied, and every official or officer thereof, whether elected or appointed, while performing his official duties. Except as provided in [subsection 21(c) (6)] SUBSECTION 21(C) (5) of this act, every person who is a member of a volunteer fire or rescue squad or police department shall be deemed for the purpose of this act, to be in the employment of the political subdivision of the State where the department is organized. Except as provided in [subsection 21(c) (6)] SUBSECTION 21(C) (5) of this act, every person who is a regularly enrolled volunteer member or trainee of the civil defense corps of this State as established under the Maryland Civil Defense Act shall be deemed, for the purposes of this act, to be in the employment of the State.

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(b) Compensation for injury or death of such persons shall be based upon the salary or wages received by such persons while so hired or engaged and if there be no such salary or wages, or such salary or wages be less than in their private employment, then the base shall be the salary or wages received in their private employment; and if such person [have] HAS no private employment but has income from a source other than salary or wages, and if such person has no employment or has no source of income, compensation shall be the minimum compensation set out in this article.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1978.

Approved April 11, 1978.

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CHAPTER 82

(Senate Bill 775)

AN ACT concerning

Corrective Bill -  
Article 95A "Unemployment Insurance Law"