

284.

Prior to implementation of the program[,] the board shall hold a hearing. The hearing shall present the proposed program. The board shall give reasonable notice of its intention to hold this hearing.

(Note: Chapter 925, Acts of 1977, designated the sections in the subtitle as §§ 273 through 283, but since § 273 had previously been added by Chapter 885, Acts of 1977, the sections added by Chapter 925 have been designated as §§ 274 to 284.)

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 56 - Licenses

21.

(A) A hawker or peddler may not buy for sale out of the State, or buy to trade, barter or sell, or offer to trade, barter or sell within the State any goods, wares or merchandise until he takes out a license for that purpose, but nothing in this section shall apply to hawkers and peddlers of oysters and fish in their unpreserved and natural condition, or of fruits and vegetables perishable in their nature that are sold in their natural condition in this State, or to licensed merchants or traders in Allegany County who have maintained regular places of business for not less than five years and who deliver goods, wares or merchandise to regular customers or others with or without prior orders.

(B) This section does not apply to Prince George's, Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Cecil, [Calvert,] Howard or Montgomery counties, as to which special local law exists.

29.

(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY TO CALVERT COUNTY.

(B) A HUCKSTER, HAWKER OR PEDDLER MAY NOT SELL OR OFFER FOR SALE ANY VEGETABLES, EGGS, POULTRY, MEATS OR OTHER FARM PRODUCTS, AT WHOLESALE OR RETAIL, OR ANY DRY GOODS OR CLOTHING AT RETAIL UNTIL HE FIRST HAS TAKEN OUT A LICENSE FOR THAT PURPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. HOWEVER, THIS SUBTITLE SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO FARMERS OR GROWERS SELLING THEIR OWN VEGETABLES OR OTHER PERISHABLE FARM PRODUCTS.

(C) FOR EVERY LICENSE, THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SHALL BE PAID \$75 PER YEAR FOR A WHOLESALER'S LICENSE AND \$150 A YEAR FOR A RETAILER'S LICENSE. THE RECEIPTS FROM THE