

## Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

139A.

(a) It is unlawful for any person to manufacture, assemble, use or possess in this State, any device commonly known as a firebomb or a Molotov cocktail. Such a device is defined as any container which is filled with an incendiary mixture or flammable material or liquid, and is designed and intended to be used as a destructive device and whose ignition is caused by flame, friction, concussion, detonation or other method which will produce destructive effects primarily through combustion rather than explosion. This provision [shall] DOES not extend to those containers that contain and that are primarily designed and approved for the transportation or storage of a particular mixture, material or liquid.

(b) Violation of this section is a [misdemeanor] ~~FELONY~~ misdemeanor and is punishable upon conviction by imprisonment in the penitentiary for not to exceed [three] ~~to~~ 5 years, or by fine not to exceed [one thousand dollars (\$1,000.)] ~~\$5,000~~ \$2,500 or both.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved May 6, 1980.

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## CHAPTER 371

(House Bill 165)

AN ACT concerning

Consumer Protection - Work-at-Home Solicitations

FOR the purpose of prohibiting certain practices and requiring the payment of compensation by certain persons who place certain advertisements or solicitations for certain work-at-home employment or services under certain circumstances.

BY adding to

Article - Commercial Law  
Section 13-314  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1975 Volume and 1979 Supplement)

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