

for bids in two or more newspapers published in Caroline County, publication of such advertisement to appear at least two weeks prior to the date on which the bids are to be filed. The contract for any such materials, supplies, repairs, roads or capital improvements shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder conforming to specifications, with consideration being given to quantities involved, time required for delivery, purpose for which required, competency and responsibility of bidder, and his ability to render satisfactory service; provided, however, that the County Commissioners shall have the right to reject any and all bids and to re-advertise for other bids. Upon the opening of bids and the awarding of contracts to the lowest responsible bidder, the County Commissioners shall publicly announce the amounts of all bids submitted together with the names of all bidders. Any contract entered into or purchase made in violation of the provisions of this section shall be null and void.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

Approved April 13, 1982.

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#### CHAPTER 60

(House Bill 776)

AN ACT concerning

#### Fee-Charging Employment Agency - License Renewal Requirements

FOR the purpose of providing that, unless the form and contract is changed, an applicant who applies for renewal of an existing employment agency license is not required to file a new copy of a form or contract used in the business.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 56 - Licenses  
Section 164  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1979 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland read(s) as follows: