17-2102. DOING BUSINESS WITHOUT LICENSE.

A PERSON MAY NOT DO ANY BUSINESS IN THE STATE FOR WHICH A LICENSE IS REQUIRED UNDER THIS TITLE UNLESS THE PERSON HAS AN APPROPRIATE LICENSE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the second sentence of former Art. 56, § 9, as it related to engaging in business without a license, and § 99, as it related to operating a business with a revoked license.

Defined terms: "License" § 17-2101 "Person" § 1-101

17-2103. FAILURE TO DISPLAY LICENSE.

A PERSON MAY NOT FAIL TO DISPLAY A LICENSE AS REQUIRED BY THIS TITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 11A(a)(4), as it related to failure to display a license.

Defined terms: "License" § 17-2101 "Person" § 1-101

17-2104. INITIATION OF PROSECUTION.

WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE COMPTROLLER, THE CHIEF LICENSE INSPECTOR OR AN ASSISTANT LICENSE INSPECTOR SHALL BEGIN PROCEEDINGS TO PROSECUTE EACH PERSON WHO:

- (1) IS REQUIRED TO GET A LICENSE FROM A CLERK UNDER THIS TITLE; BUT
- (2) FAILS TO GET THE LICENSE OR TO PAY AN ADEQUATE LICENSE FEE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the third clause of former Art. 56, § 11(b).

The first sentence of former Art. 56, § 9, which provided that it was the duty of the sheriffs of the counties and inspectors of the Comptroller to arrest those persons doing business without a license, is deleted as needless.

The fourth sentence of former Art. 56, § 9, which provided that former § 9 did not apply to restaurants or eating places in Montgomery County, is deleted as unnecessary in light of the general exclusion in Subtitle 16 of this title for restaurants in Montgomery County.