

occupants of said building; and the said Fire Marshal shall give thirty days' notice to the owner or owners of such buildings to provide such fire escapes or other means of exit as in his judgment shall be deemed necessary; and upon failure or refusal of the said owner or owners of said buildings to comply with the said notice of the said Fire Marshal, the said Fire Marshal or his Deputy shall arrest or cause the said person or persons to be arrested, and upon conviction before any justice of the peace of the city or county of the State of Maryland wherein the owner or owners reside, or the respective building or buildings may be located, they shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall pay the fine of not more than one hundred (\$100) dollars or less than twenty-five (\$25) dollars for each offense, and an additional fine of five (\$5) dollars for each and every day thereafter such violations shall continue; and if the accused shall feel himself aggrieved by the judgment of the justice of the peace, he shall have the right of appeal to the Circuit Court of the county, and have a jury trial; this Act shall, however, not conflict with any existing laws now fully covering the same in any of the towns or cities of the State of Maryland.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 13, 1910.

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#### CHAPTER 734.

AN ACT to repeal Section 167 of Article 23 of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Corporations," sub-title "Insurance Companies," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 167 of Article 23 of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Corporations," sub-title "Insurance Companies," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

167. No person shall act as agent or solicitor in this State for any insurance company, including individuals, whether residents or non-residents, partnership or joint-stock association, except for such companies as may be chartered under the laws of this State, in any manner whatever relating to insurance risks, until all the provisions of this article relating thereto have been complied with and there has been granted by the insurance commissioner a certificate of authority or license, for which said company, individual, resident or non-resident, asso-