

the amputation of both arms or both legs, or by reason of amputation, ankylosis, progressive muscular dystrophies or paralysis of both lower extremities, such as to preclude locomotion without the aid of braces, crutches, canes or wheel chair, *or who has qualified under the requirements of the Veterans' Administration for specially adapted housing* AND RECEIVED A GRANT FOR SPECIALLY ADAPTED HOUSING UNDER THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION. The dwelling house and the lot or curtilage whereon the same is erected of any blind person shall also be exempt from taxation, up to an assessed valuation of \$6,000. in any instance; and for the purpose of this sub-section a person shall be considered blind if he has permanent impairment of both eyes of the following status: central visual acuity of 20/200 or less in the better eye, with corrective glasses, or central visual acuity of more than 20/200 if there is a field defect in which the peripheral field has contracted to such an extent that the widest diameter of visual field subtends an angular distance no greater than twenty degrees in the better eye. Such exemption shall be in addition to any other exemption of such person's real and personal property which now is or hereafter shall be prescribed or allowed by the Constitution or by law, but no taxpayer shall be allowed more than one exemption under this sub-section.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1957.

Approved April 10, 1957.

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## CHAPTER 536

(House Bill 175)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 134 to 140, inclusive, of Article 48 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Inspections", sub-title "Insecticides and Fungicides", and to enact new Sections 134 to 140D, inclusive, in lieu thereof, to stand in the place of the sections so repealed, relating to the distribution, sale or transportation of adulterated or misbranded insecticides, fungicides, rodenticides, herbicides, nematocides, ~~defoliant~~, ~~desiccant~~, and other pesticides; regulating traffic therein; providing for registration and examination of such materials, imposing penalties, and for other purposes, and relating generally to insecticides and fungicides in this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 134 to 140, inclusive, of Article 48 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Inspections", sub-title "Insecticides and Fungicides", be and they are hereby repealed, and that new Sections 134 to 140D, inclusive, be and they are hereby

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.