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(50) *Academy of the Arts, Easton, Maryland, Inc.*, AS TO PROPERTY USED PRIMARILY FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE ORGANIZATION, BUT NOT AS TO PROPERTY USED PRIMARILY FOR REVENUE OR INCOME-PRODUCING PURPOSES.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1961.

Approved April 24, 1961.

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CHAPTER 367

(Senate Bill 173)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 624 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Venue, Procedure and Sentence", sub-heading "Process Against Corporations, etc., in Criminal Cases", to authorize summons to issue and to be served against a corporation in criminal cases brought by any State's Attorney in the State for any violations of law, and correcting an erroneous reference in this Section.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 624 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Venue, Procedure and Sentence", sub-heading "Process Against Corporations, etc., in Criminal Cases", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

624.

When any indictment shall be found or information filed by the Attorney-General in this State for violation of its laws against any corporation, joint stock company or association incorporated under its laws, or laws against any corporation not incorporated under its laws, but deemed to hold and exercise franchises herein, or any joint stock company or association doing business in this State, *or indictment found or information filed by any State's Attorney in the State for violation of any State-wide or local laws*, it shall and may be lawful for the Attorney-General or prosecuting attorney for the State, *or any State's Attorney* to cause a summons or notice to be directed to the said corporation, joint stock company or association, in its corporate name, to appear at the said court to answer to such indictment or information, and such process may be served in the same manner as provided for service of process in civil suits mentioned in [Sections 411 and 412 of Article 23 of Poe's Code of Public General Laws of 1904, entitled "Corporations", sub-title "Process"] *Section 96 of Article 23 of this Code, as amended from time to time.*

**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.