CHAPTER 143

(Senate Bill 454)

AN ACT concerning

Workmen's Compensation - Charles and St. Mary's Counties - Volunteer Firemen and Rescue Squad Members

FOR the purpose of authorizing the County Commissioners of Charles and St. Mary's Counties to provide for the inclusion of volunteer firemen and rescue squad personnel in each county's respective workmen's compensation program under certain conditions; making certain stylistic changes; and generally relating to workmen's compensation coverage for volunteer firemen and rescue squad members in Charles and St. Mary's Counties.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation Section 21(c)(5) and 34(e) Annotated Code of Maryland (1985 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation Section 34(f) Annotated Code of Maryland (1985 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 101 - Workmen's Compensation

21.

- (c) The following employees are exempt from the coverage of this act:
- (5) [Members] (I) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, MEMBERS of volunteer police departments, nonsalaried members of boards or commissions, volunteer workers for agencies or departments of any political subdivisions, volunteer civil defense members or trainees, members of volunteer fire departments and rescue squads in the following counties: