

amendments shall become effective in all Districts, notwithstanding any such postponements, no later than January 1, 1975. Until January 1, 1975, or such earlier effective date or dates of these amendments, in the counties of any District for which the effective date of these amendments shall have been postponed, (1) the provisions of Sections 41B and 42 of this Article shall have the effect of laws of the General Assembly; (2) all laws relating to the subject matter of said Sections 41B and 42 heretofore or hereafter enacted and applicable to any one or more such counties shall remain in full force and effect; (3) nothing herein shall affect the tenure or jurisdiction of any courts, justices of the peace, magistrates or judges; and (4) wherever in this Section 41-I the phrase "the first Monday in July, 1970," is used, the same shall mean the later effective date of these amendments, established pursuant to this subsection.

(d) From and after the first Monday in July, 1970, no further jurisdiction or judicial power shall be vested in or exercised by any justice of the peace, People's Court, the Municipal Court of Baltimore City, or the Housing Court of Baltimore County.

(e) Any matter pending on the day before the first Monday in July, 1970, before a justice of the peace or any People's Court, the Municipal Court of Baltimore City or the Housing Court of Baltimore County shall be decided or otherwise disposed of in the District Court in the county (or in Baltimore City) in which the matter was pending on the day before the first Monday in July 1970, unless thereafter lawfully removed. Any matter pending on the day before the first Monday in July, 1970, in the Circuit Court for any County, or in any court of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, which matter would be within the jurisdiction of the District Court, as established by the General Assembly, shall be decided or otherwise disposed of in the court in which pending on said date, despite any statutory provisions to the contrary.

(f) All papers, dockets, files, books, records, monies, and other property belonging to or pertaining to or in any justice of the peace, (in his official capacity) People's Courts, the Municipal Court of Baltimore City or the Housing Court of Baltimore County on the day before the first Monday in July, 1970, on the first Monday in July, 1970, shall be transferred to the District Court in the appropriate County or Baltimore City.

(g) The provisions of Section 41D of this Article shall govern initial vacancies in the office of judge of the District Court. Each full-time judge of the People's Court of Baltimore City, the Municipal Court of Baltimore City, and of the People's Courts of Anne Arundel, Montgomery, Prince George's, and Wicomico Counties AND BALTIMORE COUNTY who is in office on the effective date of these amendments shall continue in office as a judge of the District Court in his district and county of residence (or in Baltimore City) for the remainder of the term for which he was elected or appointed, and if his term expires prior to January 1, 1971, such judge shall be re-appointed by the Governor, if the Senate consents, in accordance with the provisions of Section 41D of this Article, subject to the Provisions of the Constitution respecting age, removal and retirement; provided that the term of any such judge of a People's Court who would be ineligible for appointment as a judge of the District Court under this Article shall expire on the effective date of these amendments. Thereafter, re-