

CHAPTER 9.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 71 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Allegany County," sub-title "Cumberland," as enacted by the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1914, Chapter 617, providing for the registration of the voters in the City of Cumberland, and to add an additional section to be known as 71A.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 71 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, entitled "Allegany County," sub-title "Cumberland," as enacted by the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1914, Chapter 617, providing for the registration of voters in the City of Cumberland, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted to read as follows, and that said Article 1 of said Code of Public Local Laws be, and the same is hereby further amended by adding thereto a new section to follow immediately after Section 71 and to be known as 71A.

71. The Mayor and City Council of Cumberland shall, from and after the general registration to be made in 1922, cause to be maintained a registration of the legal voters in the city wards and precincts of said city, and the general registration to be made in 1922, shall, together with such additions, changes and alterations, as may be or become necessary, constitute such registration; said registration shall be made and corrected in the manner provided in the general registration law of the State, and shall specify the residence of the voter on each street, lane or alley and such registration shall be essential to the right of voting at any election held under this charter, but shall not be conclusive evidence of such right to vote; all applicants for registration must be citizens of the State of Maryland, and resident in the City of Cumberland for one year, and registered or entitled to registration as a voter in Allegany County; said Mayor and City Council shall annually on or before the first Monday of February in each year after the year 1922, elect two persons of opposite political faith to act