

seeds, service growing crops and harvest crops, including (1) portable elevators and conveyors used to load harvested crops into storage facilities on the farm, and (2) also including but not limited to power spraying equipment, irrigation equipment and portable grain and hay dryers, and (3) also but not limited to milking machines:

(1) On each sale where the price is from fifty-one cents (51¢) to one dollar (\$1.00), two cents (2¢);

(2) On each fifty cents (50¢) of price or fraction thereof in excess of one dollar (\$1.00), one cent (1¢).

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or any other application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, all the provisions of this Act are hereby declared to be severable.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That the Governor of Maryland, as soon as reasonably possible after the enactment of this Act, shall employ a competent and impartial firm of management consultants to conduct a thorough and complete study of the structure, efficiency, personnel, operational procedures, administration, and financing procedures of the State Roads Commission; and the Governor shall direct this firm of management consultants to submit to him and to the General Assembly a complete report on these studies not later than January 1, 1965. The cost of this study shall not exceed seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00).

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1964.

Approved April 7, 1964.

CHAPTER 38

(Senate Bill 39)

AN ACT to add a new Section 266-I (d) to Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1963 Supplement), title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments", sub-title "Department of Economic Development", sub-heading "Industrial Buildings for Counties and Municipalities", to follow immediately after Section 266-I (c) thereof to authorize municipal corporations subject to Article 11-E of the Constitution to finance industrial buildings by the issuance of revenue bonds under charter amendments adopted pursuant to ~~Section~~ SECTIONS 31 THROUGH 39 of Article 23A of said Annotated Code of Maryland as an alternative to the finance procedures prescribed under said sub-heading.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That new Section 266-I (d) be and it is hereby added to Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1963 Supplement), title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments", sub-title "Department of Economic Development", sub-heading "Industrial Buildings for Counties and Municipalities", to