- (h) Wicomico County.—In Wicomico County the clerk of the board shall receive an annual salary of \$800.00. There also shall be a position of assistant clerk to the board with an annual salary of \$500.00. The salaries of the clerks shall be paid in equal quarterly installments by the County Council of Wicomico County; provided, however, that in the event of special elections or special services rendered, the County Council shall, at the request and recommendation of the board, allow additional compensation as they may deem commensurate with the special services rendered. There shall also be the position of secretary to the board, at a salary and with such duties as established by the board from time to time.
- (i) Worcester County.—In Worcester County, the clerk of the board shall receive an annual salary of \$800.00.
- SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 29, 1971.

## CHAPTER 349

(House Bill 859)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 7 SECTIONS 5(A) AND 7 of Article 77A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1970 Supplement), title "Higher Education," subtitle "Community Colleges"; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF THE BUDGETS OF THE STATE'S COMMUNITY COLLEGES FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES TO THE STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES; to increase the State's percentage contribution and decrease the students' percentage contribution toward the current expenses of community colleges; TO DECREASE THE COUNTY'S OR BALTIMORE CITY'S PERCENTAGE CONTRIBUTION TOWARD THE CURRENT EXPENSES OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES; to revise the method by which "current expenses" shall be computed and paid; to revise the maximum amount per student for the State's contribution; to amend the provisions of the law concerning the subdivisions' contribution toward the current expenses; and relating generally to the payment of the current expenses of community colleges.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 7 SECTIONS 5(A) AND 7 of Article 77A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1970 Supplement), title "Higher Education," subtitle "Community Colleges," be and it is THEY ARE hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, ALL to read as follows: