

Senate Calendar No. 138-a
Introduced by Mr. Roe.

House Calendar No. _____

SENATE BILL NO. 160

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

This Act in the order of its approval is

CHAPTER NO. 381

Number 113

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 1, of Article II, title "Executive Department", of the State Constitution, to provide that a Governor shall not be eligible to succeed himself for the term directly following that for which he was elected and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

By the SENATE, February 16, 1939.

Introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

By order, C. ANDREW SHAAB, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Favorable.

EMANUEL GORFINE, Chairman.

By the SENATE, March 27, 1939.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, read second time and ordered printed for third reading.

By order, C. ANDREW SHAAB, Secretary.

*3/30 Amend Order
8 10 P.M.*

Passed

FILED APR 26 1939
JAMES A. YOUNG,
CLERK, COURT OF APPEALS

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A BILL ENTITLED

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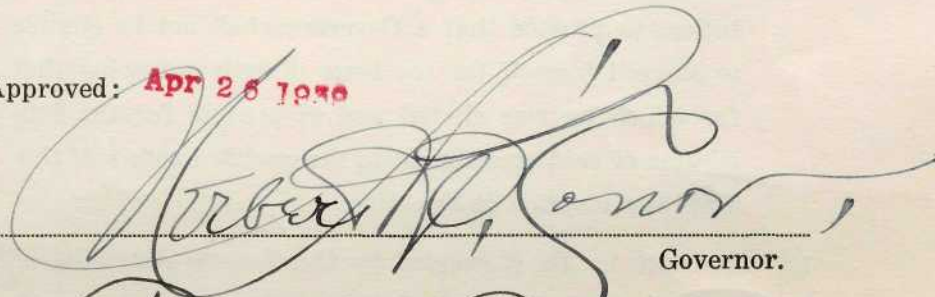
1 SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of*
2 *Maryland* (three-fifths of all the members elected to each
3 of the two Houses concurring), That Section 1 of Article
4 II, title "Executive Department," of the State Constitu-
5 tion, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted
6 with amendments to read as follows:

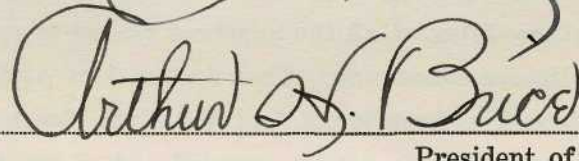
1 Section 1. The executive power of the State shall be
2 vested in a Governor, whose term of office shall commence
3 on the Second Wednesday of January next ensuing his
4 election, and continue for four years, and until his succes-
5 sor shall have qualified; and he shall be ineligible to suc-
6 ceed himself as Governor for the term directly following
7 that for which he was elected.

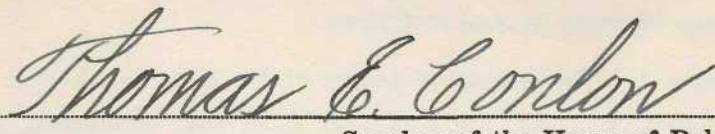
1 SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the foregoing
2 section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Consti-
3 tution of this State shall be, at the next general election

4 to be held in this State in the year 1940, submitted to the
5 legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or
6 rejection in pursuance of directions contained in Article
7 14 of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general
8 election, the vote on the said proposed amendment shall
9 be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed
10 the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and
11 "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now pre-
12 scribed by law, and immediately after said election, due
13 returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and
14 against said proposed amendment as directed by said
15 Article 14 of the Constitution.

Approved: **APR 26 1930**


Governor.


President of the Senate.


Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for

his approval this 26th day of April 1939

at _____ o'clock, _____ M.

Andrew Shash
Secretary.



BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

March 31 1939.

Reported favorably from the
and read the second time.

May Means

By order,

Joseph M. Mankowski

Chief Clerk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

..... 1939.

Reported favorably from the.....with amend-
ment; amendment adopted, read the second time.

By order,

Chief Clerk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

April 3 1939.

Read third time and passed by.....Yeas and.....Nays.

By order,

Joseph M. Mankowski

Chief Clerk.

BY THE SENATE

..... 1939.

House of Delegates amendment Concurred in and bill passed by
Yeas and Nays as amended.

By order,

Secretary.

*By the Senate March 30 1939
made special order
Thursday Mch 30, 8:10 PM
By order
Andrew Shaag
Secretary*

Examined by Committee on Printed Bills:

*J. J. Ward
R. B. Smith
John G. Ballou*

BY THE SENATE

March 30 1939.

Read third time and passed by yeas and nays.

By order,

Andrew Shaag
Secretary.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

March 30 1939.

Read the first time and referred to *Yeap & Means*

By order,

John J. Narokombi
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Respectable
John J. Narokombi
Chairman.