

File No. 12286. Continued.

after considering all the facts and circumstances of each particular case brought up for consideration.

Truly yours,

(Signed) German H. H. Emory
Assistant City Solicitor.

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File No. 12254.

Baltimore, January 12, 1911.

O. F. Lackey, Esq.,
Harbor Engineer.

Dear Sir:

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Your inquiry of the 5th instant, as to "the limits of the Port of Baltimore, as defined by City Regulations", has been referred to me.

I do not see how I can, with safety, answer the inquiry. The meaning of the words in any Act or Ordinance may be influenced considerably by the circumstances in which the Act or Ordinance was passed, and the purpose or purposes intended to be accomplished. To answer your inquiry, it would be necessary to search all existing Laws and Ordinances for the words which you wish interpreted, and come to a conclusion as to the meaning of the words in each enactment.

If you will refer me to any provision of the City Charter, or of the City Ordinances, in reference to the meaning of which you are in doubt, I will gladly consider same, and let you have an opinion.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Joseph S. Goldsmith
Assistant City Solicitor.