den, Samuel M. Jackson, Junior Warden, James W. Cannon, Secretary, Joshua Johnson, Treasurer, and the other officers and members of Wicomico Lodge, number ninety-one, of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, located in the town of Salisbury, Somerset county, and their successors be and they are hereby declared to be a community. corporation and body politic forever, by the name, style and title of "Wicomico Lodge, number ninety-one, of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons," and by that name they and their successors shall have perpetual succession, and shall and may at all times hereafter be capable in law to have, purchase, receive and retain to them and their successors property, real and personal, and the same at their pleasure to transfer and dispose of in such manner as they may judge most conducive to the benevolent, charitable or other purposes of said fraternity, and that the said corporation and their successors, by the name, style and title aforesaid, shall have power to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, answer and be defended in any court of law or equity and before any Justices or officers whatsoever, in all and singular actions, matters or demands whatsoever.

Common seal,

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That the said corporation and their successors, under the name, style and title aforesaid, shall have and use a common seal, and the same to break, alter or renew at pleasure, and be empowered to make and establish such by-laws, rules and regulations as may be necessary for the government of said corporation and to compel due observance thereof by suitable penalties, shall have and exercise all such rights and privileges as are necessary or incident to corporations, to enable it to duly and fully execute all things touching and concerning the designs and intents thereof.

Reservation.

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That the General Assembly of Maryland reserves to itself the right to change, alter, amend or repeal this Act at pleasure.

In force,

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.