

first elections of Directors shall be held as herein provided, the said E. R. Brydon, Anthony Kean and Peter Devecmon, or a majority, shall have full power and authority to exercise all corporate powers of said company.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That a general meeting of the stockholders shall be held as soon as the company is organized thereafter and at such place as the said President and Directors of said company may determine. General meetings.

Sec. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the said company shall have power to negotiate a loan on its bonds secured by a mortgage of its property, but nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorize the said company or corporation to issue any note, token or device to be used as currency. May borrow money.

Sec. 8. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage, and the Legislature reserves the right to alter or repeal this Act at pleasure. In force and reservation.

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CHAPTER 310.

AN ACT entitled an Act to incorporate the Home Fire Insurance Company of Baltimore. Passed Mar 1, 1867.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Hiram Woods, Jr., Hamilton Easter, A. Fenton, George P. Thomas, R. R. Kirkland, John Cregle, James Boyce, O. Dufferfer, G. H. Williams, and the subscribers to the stock of the company be, and they are hereby declared to be a body politic and corporate, by the name and style of the Home Fire Insurance Company of Baltimore, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and be capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended in all courts of law and equity or elsewhere, to make and use a common seal, and the same to alter or renew at Incorporated.