

PRESENT INCUMBENTS.

1918, Home Rule Charter.

203-O. All persons holding positions in the City Service when such positions are placed under the provisions of this subdivision of this Charter shall be entitled to retain their position until discharged, reduced, promoted or transferred in accordance with the provisions of this subdivision of this Charter.

Stevens v. Crosble, 137 Md. 655.

POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS AND ASSESSMENTS.

1918, Home Rule Charter.

203P. No person in the Classified City Service shall for any reason be under any obligation to contribute to any political fund, and no person shall knowingly, directly or indirectly, in person or by letter, request or solicit the payment of any political assessment, subscription or contribution from any person in the Classified City Service.

PENALTIES.

1918, Home Rule Charter.

203Q. Any violation of any of the provisions of this sub-division of this Charter relating to the City Service Commission, or any wilful use of any corrupt means in connection with any examination, appointment, promotion, reduction, transfer or reinstatement shall be deemed a misdemeanor and, upon conviction in a Court of competent jurisdiction, shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for a time not exceeding twelve months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LAMPS AND LIGHTING.*

1898, ch. 123.

204. There shall be a Superintendent of Lamps and Lighting, who shall be appointed by the Mayor in the manner prescribed in Section 25 of this Charter, and hold his office as therein provided. He shall have under his charge and supervision the lighting of the City of Baltimore, and shall perform the duties now performed by the General Superintendent of Lamps and Inspector and Sealer of Gas Meters, and such other duties as may be prescribed by ordinances, not inconsistent with this Charter. He shall have power to appoint an assistant, who shall perform all the duties now performed by the Inspector of Illuminating Gas and Oils. The Superintendent of Lamps and Lighting shall have the power to appoint such number of district superintendents of lamplighters as the

*The office has been abolished and the duties transferred to the Bureau of Mechanical-Electrical Service. See sec. 85A, subsec. 5 of this Charter.