

title acquired by condemnation, or otherwise, by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, under this Act, for the purposes thereof, shall, as to land, or other property, or things required for said main reservoir or lake, or for subsidiary reservoirs, lakes, ponds or basins, or for said water sheds or reserves, or for surface buildings, erections, structures, works or things of a permanent character, involving the idea of exclusive use and occupation by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, be in fee simple, but may, as to land, or other property, or things, required for other purposes under this Act, be in fee simple, or limited to some lesser quantum of interest, in point of estate, or duration, according as the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore may determine.

1908, ch. 214, sec. 2.

**826C.** That the County Commissioners of Baltimore County or of any other county, whose interests in any respect may become involved in the execution of this Act, or any part or parts thereof, or any body politic, quasi-public corporation, turnpike company, or private corporation, whose interest in any respect may become involved in the execution of this Act, or any part, or parts, thereof, shall be, and is, or are hereby authorized and empowered, anything in the terms of their or its chartered existence or powers, to the contrary notwithstanding, to enter into all such contracts, agreements, stipulations or arrangements, deeds, conveyances or transfers with the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore as may be necessary or proper for the purposes of this Act, or any of them.

1908, ch. 214, sec. 3.

**826D.** That, when and so often, as resort shall be had to condemnation proceedings under this Act, the procedure, so far as the acquisition by condemnation of any land or property or thing situated within the City of Baltimore, or any interest, franchise, easement, right or privilege therein is concerned, may, in any case, or cases, at the option of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, be such as may now, or at any time hereafter, be provided for by any lawful general ordinance, or ordinances of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, adopted pursuant to the powers conferred upon it by Section 6 of Article 4, entitled "City of Baltimore," of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "General Powers," sub-title "Condemnation of Property," for the condemnation of land or property or interest therein for the municipal needs of the City of Baltimore, or such as may be provided for the very purpose by any lawful special ordinance or ordinances of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore; which said lawful special ordinance or ordinances, the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is hereby duly authorized to adopt; provided, that, in every such special ordinance, provision is made for reasonable notice to the owner or owners, and for appeals to the Baltimore City Court, including the right of appeal to the Court of Appeals by any person interested, including the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, from the decision of the commissioners or other persons appointed to value any