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PUBLIC WORKS—BOARD OF.

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1939, ch. 64, sec. 1.

1. The Board of Public Works, as constituted under Article XII of the Constitution, and Section 136 of Article 41 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, shall have and exercise such powers and duties as may be delegated to it from time to time in regard to the creation of State debt, the fixing of interest thereon, the terms and conditions thereof, the preparation of certificates of indebtedness and the advertising and sale thereof. All contracts for the expenditure of the proceeds of any loan authorized by any Act of the General Assembly shall be subject to the approval of said Board before the same are executed.

1939, ch. 64, sec. 2.

2. The Board of Public Works shall in like manner supervise the expenditure of all sums appropriated for the acquisition of land, buildings, equipment, new construction and other capital expenditures, except in connection with State roads, bridges and highways, whether made through the medium of a budget bill, a supplementary appropriation bill or a State bond issue bill, and all contracts for the expenditure thereof shall be subject to the approval of said Board before the same are executed, after review by the Director of Budget and Procurement.

As to Director of Budget and Procurement, see art. 15A.

1939, ch. 64, sec. 3.

3. The Board of Public Works shall have the power and duty to approve every lease and renewal thereof of land, buildings or office space before the same is executed by any department, board, commission, State officer or institution of the State, and shall have power to designate the location of any State agency, after review by the Director of Budget and Procurement.

1939, ch. 64, sec. 4.

4. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow upon the credit of the State, at any time between the biennial

See art. 41, sec. 136.