by the act of eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, chapter seventyfour, were adopted by the General Assembly in such a way as tomake the said Code the sole Code of Public General and Public Local Laws of this State; and

Preamble.

WHEREAS, it is most important that no doubt should exist as to the legality of the adoption of said code and reprint thereof; therefore,

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Code of Public General and Public Local Laws adopted and legalized by the General Assembly by the act of eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, chapter seventy-four, and the reprintthereof incorporating therein the acts of the session of eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and which reprint was deposited by said John Prentiss Poe with the clerk of the court of appeals as To adopt directed by said act of eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, chap-and legal-ter seventy-four, and of which deposit due notice was given by said clerk of the court of appeals by public advertisement as required by said act, be and the same are hereby adopted and legalized and the said reprint of said code be and the same is hereby declared to be the sole Code of Public General and Public Local Laws of this State, as provided in said act of eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, chapter seventy-four, as of the date of January thirty-first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, when the same went into effect; and the said act of eighteen hundred and eightyeight, chapter seventy-four, be and the same is hereby ratified

Rffective.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

and confirmed to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

Approved April 3, 1890.

CHAPTER 244.

AN ACT to add five new sections to article eighty-one, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "Payment of Taxes by Corporations," to come in after section eighty-eight, and to be severally designated as "Sections eighty-eight A, eighty-eight B, eighty-eight C, eighty-eight D and eighty-eight E."

To add

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That five new sections be added to article eighty-one, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Revenue and Taxes," sub-title "Payment of Taxes by Corporations," to come in after section eighty-eight, and to be severally designated as "Sections eighty-