

CHAPTER 73.

AN ACT to provide for the trial by the Police Justice of the Peace of election district number two in Frederick County, of persons charged with violating any of the ordinances of the mayor and aldermen of Frederick, and to repeal section 183 and to repeal and re-enact with amendments, sections 238, 253 and 255 of article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, entitled "Frederick County," sub-title "Frederick."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section 183 of article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, entitled "Frederick County," sub-title "Frederick," be and the same is hereby repealed, and sections 238, 253 and 255 of said article eleven are hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows :

SEC. 238. In cases in which any person shall be found guilty of violating any ordinance of the Corporation of Frederick, it shall and may be lawful for the Police Justice of the Peace of election district number two in Frederick County, trying said cause, or for the mayor in the absence, sickness or other disability of said police justice, trying said cause, upon the conviction of the offender, to impose the fine presented by the particular ordinance under which said person is tried, and upon failure or refusal of the party convicted thereof to pay such fine or costs, to commit the person convicted to the Jail of Frederick County for the time prescribed by said ordinance, unless the person convicted shall pay such fine and costs before the day limited in such commitment, in which case the police justice or mayor shall issue his order to the sheriff to release said person.

SEC. 253. In all appeals from the police justice or mayor to the Circuit Court for Frederick County, the party appealing shall give bond, with at least two sureties, who shall be approved by the police justice or mayor, in a penalty double the amount of the fine imposed and the costs which may accrue on such appeal, which penalty shall be adjudged by the police justice, and conditioned that if the party appealing shall not prosecute such appeal with effect at the next term of the Circuit Court, and also pay and satisfy the said mayor and aldermen, in case the judgment of the police justice shall be affirmed, as well as the fine and costs adjudged by the police justice, as also all costs that shall be awarded by the said court, then the said bond to be and remain in full force and effect, otherwise to be of non-effect,