

CHAPTER 341.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments, section six, eighteen and twenty-five, of article seventy-seven of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Public Education."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That sections six, eighteen and twenty-five, of article seventy-seven, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Public Education," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows :

Amend-
ment

SEC. 6. Immediately after the passage of this act, the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint a board of county school commissioners for each county, to be composed in the counties of Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick and Washington, of six persons and in each of the other counties of three persons of whom one-third in each county shall serve for a term of two years, one-third shall serve for a term of four years, and one-third shall serve for a term of six years; from the first day of August next succeeding their appointment, and until their successors shall qualify, provided, that the present Board of School Commissioners for Garrett County, shall remain in office for the term for which they were appointed by the Governor, and until their successors are selected and qualified. The member or members of each board who shall serve for two, four and six years, respectively, to be designated by the Governor at the time of making the appointments, and hereafter, the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint, at every regular session of the General Assembly in each of the counties of Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick and Washington, two county school commissioners and in each of the other counties, one county school commissioner, to serve for a term of six years from the first day of August next succeeding their appointment so that one-third of each board of county school commissioners shall be appointed every two years.

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sioners.

18. The board of county school commissioners shall meet for organization on the first Tuesday in August next succeeding their appointment, or as soon thereafter as may be, and elect a person, not a member of the board, who shall serve as secretary, treasurer and examiner, and notice of such election signed by the president of the board, shall be transmitted to the comptroller; provided, that in counties having more than eighty-five schools, the board may, at

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meet.