

CHAPTER 196.

AN ACT to legalize the Revised Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, prepared by Lewis Mayer, Lewis C. Fisher, and E. J. D. Cross, and to subscribe for copies of the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the revised code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, containing the articles and sections of the present code and subsequent acts now in force, prepared by Lewis Mayer, Revised code. Lewis Fisher, and E. J. D. Cross, be and the same is hereby legalized and shall be deemed and taken in the courts of this State as evidence of the articles and sections of the present code and the subsequent acts therein codified; provided, that before the same be published the Public General Laws of this session be incorporated therein.

LIBRARIAN TO SUBSCRIBE. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the librarian be and he is hereby authorized and directed to subscribe in the name of the State for six hundred copies of said revised code, prepared, printed and bound in as good style as the present code; provided the price shall not exceed ten dollars per copy; and provided, also, that a majority of the judges of the Court of Appeals shall certify under their hands and seals that they have carefully examined the said code and that it is a faithful codification of the laws in force and deserves the patronage of the State; and the Treasurer to pay. treasurer to pay. the treasurer is hereby authorized and required on the warrant of the comptroller, which he shall issue on receipt of a certificate from the State librarian that the said copies have been delivered as aforesaid, to pay to the said Lewis Mayer, Lewis Fisher, and E. J. D. Cross, the sum of six thousand dollars.

State Librarian shall distribute copies SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the State Librarian shall distribute the copies aforesaid, when delivered to him, in the same manner and to the same persons that he is now required to distribute the laws of the General Assembly, and the remainder of said copies shall be deposited in the State library for the use of the State.