

tration and service of said hospital as they may deem necessary, all of whom shall hold their appointments at the pleasure of the Board of Managers.

SEC. 13. *Be it enacted*, That the Hospital for the Insane, which was heretofore located and built on its present site, at or near Catonsville, in Baltimore county, in this State, by and under the authority of the laws of this State, and which is now under the general direction and control of the Managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane, is hereby declared to have been built and established on its said site by the authority and direction of this State; the Board of Managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane are a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Board of Managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane, and shall by that name have perpetual succession; may sue and be sued in any court of this State, and may have and use a common seal, and may, at their pleasure, alter and change the same; the said corporation shall have and exercise all the rights and powers heretofore vested in the Board of Managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane; the said Board of Managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane, as such corporation, is hereby declared to be a public agency of this State for the administration of one of the charities thereof; and the hospital aforesaid, located as aforesaid, is hereby declared to be one of the means adopted by this State for the administration of one of its public charities.

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

Approved April 1, 1878.