

term promissory notes and certificates of indebtedness, to be general obligations of the County, at the best rate of interest obtainable, for the purchase of road building machines and equipment for use on roads in the County's road system, and providing for the payment of the said loans.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Board of County Commissioners of Prince George's County be, and they are hereby, authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to borrow during the balance of the year of 1947 and the year of 1948 not to exceed One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00), upon the best rates of interest obtainable, upon short term promissory notes or certificates of indebtedness, for road building machines and equipment to be used in the construction and maintenance of roads in the County's road system, said promissory notes and certificates of indebtedness shall be the general obligations of Prince George's County, exempt from the State, County and Municipal Taxation within the State of Maryland, and the said Board of County Commissioners may borrow such money and issue such promissory notes or certificates of indebtedness, in whole or in part, at such time or times during the period specified as the said Board of County Commissioners, in their discretion, shall determine. The loan authorized under this Act shall be paid out of such funds in the hands of said Board of County Commissioners as are available for the purposes under the laws of the State of Maryland.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved November 10, 1947.

CHAPTER 31.

(Senate Bill 35)

AN ACT to authorize and direct the Board of Public Works of the State of Maryland to convey, by deed, to Annapolis Emergency Hospital Association (sometimes called Emergency Hospital Association of Annapolis), a body corporate of the State of Maryland, a lot of ground in the City of