Whereas, it seems desirable that Section 42 of Article 87 be amended in order to secure uniformity as to the payment of fines; therefore

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 42 of Article 87 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1943 Supplement), title "Sheriffs," sub-title "Fines and Forfeitures," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments to read as follows:

- 42. All fines, forfeitures, penalties and costs imposed as aforesaid are to be paid to the sheriff, who shall pay the same, except the costs, to the county or city where the offense occurred or cause of action originated unless directed to be paid otherwise by the law imposing them; and the costs shall be paid to the person entitled to receive them.
- Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1947.

Approved March 29, 1947.

CHAPTER 188.

(House Bill 19)

AN ACT to repeal Section 197 of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Public Education," sub-title "Chapter 19. Source and Distribution of Income," said section relating to the levy of a tax for school purposes by the State.

WHEREAS, the only direct tax levied by the State is for debt service; and

Whereas, the appropriations for school purposes are included in the State Budget each year and are paid out of the general funds of the State, thereby making it unnecessary to have a specific law requiring the levy of a general State tax for school purposes; therefore

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 197 of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Public Education," subtitle "Chapter 19. Source and Distribution of Income," be and it is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1947.

Approved March 29, 1947.