

advertise for one week in two papers published in said County for bids to furnish said supplies or equipment; and said bids shall be opened by the clerk to the Commissioners in the presence of the said County Commissioners, and the said County Commissioners shall accept the lowest responsible bid which shall be considered reasonable by said County Commissioners, or they may, in their discretion, reject all bids.

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

Approved April 16, 1947.

CHAPTER 344.

(House Bill 265)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 19 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Elections", sub-title "Registration", said Article having been revised by Chapter 934 of the Acts of 1945, relating to a new general registration of voters in Wicomico County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 19 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Elections", sub-title "Registration", said Article having been revised by Chapter 934 of the Acts of 1945, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

19. (a) The provisions of Sections 12, 13 and 15 to 18, inclusive, shall not apply to Baltimore City, Montgomery County and Washington County except as specifically provided, but a system of permanent registration as hereinafter provided in Sections 20 to 26, inclusive, of this Article shall be followed. Any other county in the State may elect to be governed by said Sections 20 to 26, inclusive, when such action is recommended by the Board of Election Supervisors and approved by the County Commissioners thereof, in which event the Board of Supervisors shall either cause the names of all persons then registered on the registration books to be transcribed on the forms or cards provided for the permanent registration of voters as hereinafter provided, or, in the discretion of said Board, the voters in such county shall