

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public safety, and being passed upon by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 15, 1937.

CHAPTER 159.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 184B of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1935 Supplement), title "Licenses", sub-title "Motor Vehicles", sub-heading "Fees for Registration of Motor Vehicles", authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles to refuse any marker, certificate of registration or title for any motor vehicle owned in the town of Elkton, unless taxes in arrears thereon have been paid.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 184B of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1935 Supplement), title "Licenses", sub-title "Motor Vehicles", sub-heading "Fees for Registration of Motor Vehicles", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

184B. In addition to the provisions contained in Section 183, with reference to the requirement of the payment of State and County taxes on motor vehicles, the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles is hereby authorized and directed to refuse to issue or transfer any plate or marker, certificate of registration or title, for any motor vehicles owned by a resident of the City of Hagerstown, Betterton, Chestertown, Rock Hall, Oakland, Brunswick, City of Frederick, Emmitsburg, Cambridge, East New Market, Galena, Federalsburg, Elkton, Easton, Oxford or St. Michaels, unless he is satisfied that all municipal taxes due and in arrears on the motor vehicle described in the certificate of registration or title so to be issued or transferred, have been paid, provided each motor vehicle is separately assessed apart from the assessment on any other motor vehicle or class of assessable property, and provided the tax to be levied on such motor vehicle is permitted to be paid separate and apart from the payment of all other taxes, and provided this section shall apply only in case of taxes becoming due and in arrears under the levy of 1937 and thereafter.