

the Acts of the First Extraordinary Session of the General Assembly of 1936, authorizing the Comptroller to pay out of the "State Fund for Aid to the Needy", certain sums for the insane hospitals of the State, for administration of the program of Public Assistance to the Needy Blind, for the State Board of Agriculture in the program for beetle control, to increase payments for Old Age Pensions and Dependent Children, and to transfer certain other sums to the Reemployment Service Account in the State Unemployment Compensation Fund.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 40A of Article 19 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1935 Supplement), title "Comptroller", as enacted by Chapter 10 of the Acts of the First Extraordinary Session of the General Assembly of 1936, be, and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

40A. The Comptroller shall pay into a special account in the general Treasury known as the "State Fund for Aid to the Needy", the entire balance on hand in the "State Emergency Relief Fund" and all sums authorized to be paid into said Fund under the provisions of Section 72P of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and shall pay into the "State Fund for Aid to the Needy" all taxes collected and received by him under the provisions of this Act, together with all sums directed to be paid into said Fund by any other provision of law, and in addition thereto the Treasurer of the State shall pay into said Fund any surplus in the revenue derived from the State Inheritance Tax Law which may remain after the creation of the Reserve Fund and the payment of interest and principal requirements of the Emergency Bond Issue of 1935, as enacted by Chapter 91 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1935 and after the payment into the Treasury of the \$550,000.00 of estimated receipts into the General Funds of the Treasury for each of the fiscal years ending September 30, 1936, and September 30, 1937. Disbursements from said Fund shall be made upon warrant of the Comptroller for the following purposes:

(a) To pay the salaries of such additional employees as the Comptroller shall find necessary to administer and collect said taxes, and all other expenses incidental thereto. The Comptroller is hereby authorized to employ such assistants as he deems necessary, at such compensation as he may determine, subject to the approval of the Board of Public Works. All such employees shall be subject to removal by the Comptroller at any time for any cause he may deem sufficient.

(b) After the payment of salaries and expenses, as herein-