

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new sub-title be added to Article 8 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Cecil County", said sub-title to be known as "Harbor Master", and to add a new section to said Article to be known as Section 218A and to follow Section 218 of said Article, as follows:

Section 218A. The County Commissioners of Cecil County shall have the power to appoint one or more harbor masters for the several rivers and yacht basins of Cecil County. They shall serve without salary for a period of one year. In addition to regulating the speed of craft entering or leaving harbor, the Harbor Masters shall also perform such other and closely related duties as may be assigned to them by the County Commissioners of Cecil County.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1937.

Approved May 18, 1937.

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### CHAPTER 343.

AN ACT to authorize the expenditure of a part of the appropriation of the Acts of 1935 for damage to oyster beds to be expended for acquisition of land in connection with dredging of Pocomoke Sound by the Federal Government.

WHEREAS, by Chapter 92 of the Acts of 1935, Item 22 thereof, of Sub-section IV—Contingent Appropriations From General Funds, there was appropriated the sum not to exceed \$12,500.00 for each of the years 1936 and 1937 "For damage to oyster beds in Pocomoke Sound, caused by operations of Federal Government and contingent upon the dredging of a channel in Pocomoke Sound by the Federal Government. This expenditure or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be subject to the approval of the Board of Public Works", and

WHEREAS, it has been found necessary in the progress of this work that in addition to payment for damage to oyster beds, it is necessary to acquire a certain portion of land for right of way for the re-location of said channel, and

WHEREAS, said fund was specifically designated for payment of damages to oyster beds, it is desired that a portion of said fund, not to exceed \$5,000.00 may be expended, subject to the approval of the Board of Public Works for the acquisition of