any municipality and any Federal agency, no municipality shall borrow any money or issue any bonds pursuant to the provisions of this sub-title after June 1, 1939. It is the purpose of this sub-title to enable municipalities to secure the benefits of any agency of the Federal Government engaged in a works program, to encourage public works, to reduce unemployment and thereby to assist in the national recovery and promote the public welfare, and to these ends municipalities shall have power to do all things necessary or convenient to carry out said purpose in addition to the express powers conferred in this sub-title; this sub-title is remedial in nature and the powers hereby granted shall be liberally construed.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That it is hereby declared to be the legislative intent and purpose by this Act to extend and continue in full force and vigor until June 1, 1939, each and all of the provisions of Sections 9 to 24 inclusive of Article 31 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1935 Supplement), so as to empower all municipalities of this State, as defined in said Section 9, to meet the current emergency by continuing the financing and construction of public works in the manner and subject to the limitations prescribed by said sections of said Article above referred to, up to and including June 1, 1939.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1937.

Approved May 18, 1937.

CHAPTER 368.

AN ACT to authorize the creation of a State debt in the aggregate amount of not exceeding One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000), the proceeds thereof to be used for the purpose of erecting and equipping a new State Office Building in Annapolis, the Capital of the State, and to provide generally for the issue and sale of Certificates of Indebtedness evidencing such loan.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to issue a State Loan, in the aggregate sum of not exceeding One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000), to be known as the "State Office Building Loan of 1937". One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) of said loan shall be dated June 15th, 1937 and Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars