

Pratt Free Library of Baltimore city," shall be exempt from all State and municipal taxes forever.

Exempt from taxation.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That before the ordinance which the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore are hereby authorized and empowered to pass for the purpose of accepting said donation and entering into said contract and agreement for the payment of said sum of fifty thousand dollars annually for the maintenance of said library shall take effect, the said ordinance shall be approved by a majority of the votes of the legal voters of said city cast at the time and places to be appointed by said ordinance for submitting the same to the legal voters of said city as required by section seven of article eleven of the Constitution of Maryland.

Approved by a majority.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Effective.

Approved March 30, 1882.

Chapter 182.

AN ACT to empower and direct the Commissioners of Baltimore county to increase the number of Election Precincts in Baltimore county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That when there shall be presented to the Commissioners of Baltimore county a petition or petitions signed by not less than twenty-five qualified voters of any election district in Baltimore county, stating that for purposes of greater convenience of voting in their respective district or districts, they desire said district or districts shall be subdivided anew into new election precincts, the said commissioners shall be and they are hereby directed and empowered to increase the number of precincts in said district or districts to a number not exceeding ten, or to redistribute such precincts as already exist in said district or districts, having regard to as much as is practicable the convenience of the voters in said district or districts, holding in view as well the equal distribution of the number of qualified

Increase the number of precincts.