

than five thousand dollars, or, in the discretion of the court, shall be sentenced to be imprisoned in the penitentiary of this State for not less than two nor more than twelve years, or both fined and imprisoned, and shall also be forever disfranchised and disqualified from holding any office of trust or profit in this State; and any person so bribing or attempting to bribe or so demanding or receiving a bribe shall be a competent witness, and compellable to testify against any person or persons who may have committed any of the aforesaid offenses; provided, that any person so compelled to testify in any such case shall be exempt from trial and punishment for the crime of which such person so testifying may have been a participant.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1933.

Approved April 21, 1933.

CHAPTER 203.

AN ACT to repeal Chapter 423 of the Acts of 1922 of the Laws of Maryland.

WHEREAS, On the 13th day of April, 1922, An Act was approved whereby "The Commissioners of Vienna," Dorchester County, Maryland, were authorized and empowered to construct, own, and operate a water supply system for the said Town of Vienna, and to issue bonds to the extent of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) on the faith and credit of the said Town of Vienna, Maryland, and

WHEREAS, The said "The Commissioners of Vienna" have not as of this date issued said bonds or installed said water supply system for the said Town of Vienna, Maryland, and

WHEREAS, "The Commissioners of Vienna" are informed and find that they can construct and equip a water supply system and sewerage system for the said Town of Vienna, Maryland, for the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00), and

WHEREAS, In the year 1922 it was only possible to construct and build the water supply system, and