

Chapter 146.

AN ACT to repeal section three of chapter one hundred and fourteen of the acts of the general assembly of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled "An act to incorporate the Board of Foreign Missions of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States of America," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section three of chapter one hundred and fourteen of the acts of the general assembly of eighteen hundred and eighty two, entitled "An act to incorporate the Board of Foreign Missions of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States of America," be and the same hereby is repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Repealed and re-enacted.

Number corporation is to consist of.

Term of office.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the corporation hereby created shall consist of not less than five nor more than nine persons, who shall, from time to time, be chosen or appointed by the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States of America, in such manner as it may deem best; and the persons so chosen or appointed shall hold office as members of the corporation hereby created until the choice or appointment of their successors by the said general synod; provided, however, that in the event of any vacancy occurring by death, resignation or otherwise, in the membership of the corporation hereby created, the majority of the remaining members of the corporation may forthwith elect a new member to fill such vacancy until the next meeting of the general synod.

Effective.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 27, 1884.