

CHAPTER 443.

AN ACT to regulate and limit the sum to be paid for the county printing and publishing for Calvert county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the County Commissioners of Calvert county shall, before making their annual levy in each and every year, contract for the printing and publishing for Calvert county in not less than two newspapers in said county, the annual statement, notice of registration and election; and they shall have printed in not more than one paper in said county, such other printing as is or may be required to be done and paid for by the county aforesaid for the period of one year from the day of making such contract; provided, said contract shall not allow, as compensation for the entire printing and publishing of every kind whatsoever of said county, a sum not exceeding seven hundred dollars.

Contract for printing.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That if the County Commissioners of Calvert county fail to effect such contract for printing and publishing as aforesaid, at a sum not exceeding seven hundred dollars as aforesaid, then they are authorized and empowered to adopt any mode of printing or publishing for said county, by hand-bills or otherwise, as in their judgment may seem best for the interest of said county; provided, the entire costs of same shall not exceed the sum of seven hundred dollars in any one year.

Upon failure.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall be construed to relate to, and to include the cost of printing and publishing the Public Local Laws passed at each session of the General Assembly, so long as the same are required by law to be published in said county.

Publish laws.