

CHAPTER 13.

AN ACT to amend the Corporation of the Roman Catholic Clergymen, a Corporation duly incorporated by the General Assembly of Maryland, by the Act of seventeen hundred and ninety-two, Chapter 55, and its supplements, the Act of eighteen hundred and five, Chapter 118, and the Act of eighteen hundred and eight, Chapter 37, and to amend and enlarge the powers of said corporation, and to provide for the government of said corporation, and to authorize said corporation to take, receive and hold by purchase, gift, lease, devise, bequest, legacy or in any other manner, any real or personal property, and the same to alien, sell, transfer, mortgage, grant or convey, and to explicitly authorize the said corporation to alien, sell, transfer, grant or convey any property, real or personal, acquired by it under the said Act of seventeen and ninety-two, Chapter 55, said Act of eighteen hundred and five, Chapter 118, and said Act of eighteen hundred and eight, Chapter 37, or acquired by it in any other manner since the passage of said Acts, and to ratify and confirm any sale, gifts, transfers, mortgages and deeds executed to it or by it, or the trustees thereof, since the original incorporation thereof, and to remove any doubts arising out of the language of said Acts.

Board of
directors.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the affairs of the said corporation of the Roman Catholic Clergymen, shall be managed by a Board of Directors, who shall be elected annually on the first Thursday in April in each year, and the said board shall be composed of five members, who shall be citizens of the United States, and in their election each member of said corporation shall be entitled to one vote, and seven members of said corporation shall constitute a quorum for the election of directors and the transaction of any business, and that said board of directors shall manage the affairs of the said corporation for one year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and three members thereof shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business, and any vacancy in said board shall be filled by the remaining directors of the corporation. The directors shall, at their first meeting after their election,

Vacancies.