

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That R. Hugh Perre, Dr. H. M. Bowen, R. E. Baden, W. W. Early, J. W. Wilson, Thomas E. Bean and Robert Connick, be and they are hereby constituted a building committee for the purpose of purchasing a lot or lots in the Fourth, Eighth or Eleventh Election Districts of Prince George's County, State of Maryland; said lots to be situated within a radius of one-half mile of the St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, and erecting and furnishing on the lot or lots purchased a public school building, to be used for high school purposes for the pupils of Prince George's County free from any charge for instruction therein whatsoever.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That of the aforesaid building committee four members shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of four members of them shall be necessary for the decision of any or all questions which may arise in the discharge of their duties, and all vacancies occurring in said building committee, whether by death, resignation, refusal to act or otherwise, shall be filled by the School Commissioners of Prince George's County.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the said building committee be and they are hereby authorized to purchase a lot or lots in the Fourth, Eighth or Eleventh Election Districts of Prince George's County, State of Maryland, said lot or lots to be situated within one-half mile of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, and procure and adopt a plan and specification for the erection of said schoolhouse; and when adopted, said committee shall invite sealed proposals by advertisement for a reasonable time, for the erection of said school building, which proposal shall be sent in sealed envelopes in care of the School Superintendent of Prince George's County, addressed to said committee, and shall be publicly opened on a day and at the hour named in said advertisements; said proposals setting forth the amount of money for which the parties proposing will complete the building according to the specification and plans, and the time or times at which payment therefor shall be made, and the time when said building shall be completed; and the said building committee shall award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder upon such bidder giving bond to the Board of County School Commissioners in such penalty as said committee shall determine, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract entered into. The building committee is hereby required to employ one or more competent architects, under whose control and supervision, as to material and workmanship, such building shall be erected; the building committee shall also select proper furniture for the