

rehearing abrogating, changing or modifying the original order shall have the same force and effect as an original order.

Every order of the Commission shall be served upon every person or corporation to be affected thereby, either by personal delivery of a certified copy thereof, or by mailing a certified copy thereof, in a sealed package, with postage prepaid, to the person to be affected thereby; or, in the case of a corporation, to any officer or agent thereof upon whom summons may be served under the laws of this State. It shall be the duty of every person and corporation to notify the Commission forthwith in writing of the receipt of the certified copy of every order so served, and in the case of a corporation such notification must be signed and acknowledged by a person or officer duly authorized by the corporation to admit such service. Within a time specified in the order of the Commission every person and corporation upon whom it is served must, if so required in the order, notify the Commission in like manner whether the terms of the order are accepted and will be obeyed.

Every order of the Commission shall take effect at a time therein specified and shall continue in force for a period therein designated unless earlier modified or abrogated by the Commission, or unless such order be unauthorized by this Act, or be in violation of a provision of the Constitution of the State or of the United States.

Any company, corporation, association, person or partnership subject to any of the provisions of this Act, or other person or party in interest, shall have the right to proceed in the courts to vacate, set aside or have modified any order of said Commission on the grounds that such order is unreasonable or unlawful, as hereinafter more particularly set forth.

#### APPLICABILITY.

SEC. 12. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall apply to the transportation of passengers, freight or property from one point to another within the State of Maryland, and to any common carrier performing such service; and this Act shall be so applicable and be so construed as to be free from conflict with those provisions of the Constitution of the United States and the laws in pursuance thereof relating to interstate commerce.

#### SAFE AND ADEQUATE SERVICE: JUST AND REASONABLE CHARGES: EXCESSIVE CHARGES PROHIBITED.

SEC. 13. *And be it further enacted*, That every corporation, person or common carrier performing the services designated in the preceding sections shall furnish, with respect thereto,