

and the powers and duties of the Public Service Commission thereunder, as hereinafter more particularly set forth.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the company hereby incorporated shall have the power to acquire any real estate adjacent to such line of railway or any lateral or branch thereof, and to develop and sell said property, and the said corporation shall have the power to acquire electrical properties, manufacture, furnish, sell and use electricity, electric power and light in the different towns, and villages along the route of the said railway and to contract for and furnish electric lights for lighting the streets, roads, public or private buildings in the different towns along the route of the said railway, and for motive power and other purposes, and the said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to lay, erect, construct, build or purchase and operate lines of wire, tubes, posts, conductors, and conduits along, under and upon the streets, squares, lanes, alleys, roads or ways whatsoever in Wicomico County or in any city or town therein; provided, permission be first obtained from the Board of County Commissioners, or if any town, then the permission of the Town Commissioners, when such exist, but the consent of the owner or owners of such property shall be first had and obtained, unless the same shall be condemned according to law, and shall have the power to connect the same with any manufactory, public or private building, or other structure or object, car or conveyance, and in general to manufacture, sell, furnish, and supply electric light and power or stored electricity for any and all purposes.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That nothing in this Act contained shall be taken or construed to exempt or release the corporation hereby incorporated from the terms and provisions of the Public Service Commission Law of Maryland, being Chapter 180 of the Acts of 1910, or from the powers and duties of the Public Service Commission under and by virtue of said law with respect to railroad companies exercising their franchises within the State of Maryland, and the company hereby incorporated shall be fully subject to said law and to the powers and duties of the Commission thereunder.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the capital stock of the said corporation shall consist of one thousand (1000) shares of the par value of one hundred dollars (\$100) each, which said stock shall be personal property with the privilege to the said corporation to increase the same from time to time to five thousand (5000) shares, at the par value of one hundred dollars (\$100)