

debtedness of said town shall at no time exceed ten per centum of the taxable basis of the town, and provided further that the Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars authorized to be borrowed under Section G of Chapter 458, of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1906, but for which no special tax may be levied, shall not be computed in summing up "the total bonded or floating indebtedness of the town."

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 24th, 1914.

CHAPTER 142.

AN ACT to repeal Section 68 of Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Talbot County," sub-title "Easton," as passed by the General Assembly of Maryland at the January Session of 1906, Chapter 458, as amended by Chapter 365 of the Acts of 1910, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 68 of Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Talbot County," sub-title "Easton," as passed by the General Assembly of Maryland at the January Session of 1906, Chapter 458, as amended by Chapter 365 of the Acts of 1910, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

68. The Mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the Council, shall annually on or before the first Monday in June, appoint a competent person to be Chief of Police, who shall hold his office until the first Monday in June following his appointment and until the qualification of his successor, unless sooner removed as authorized by law. The Chief of Police, together with such deputies or other policemen as may be appointed, shall see that all ordinances are enforced and they shall have power to arrest any person or persons for the violation of town ordinances wherein an arrest for violation is provided, and in addition thereto they shall perform such other duties as are now or may hereafter be prescribed by the laws relating to said town and by the ordinances thereof, and shall have all and the same powers and functions that constables of Talbot County now have or may hereafter possess as conservators