

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore be and it is hereby authorized to issue its stock to an amount not exceeding one million dollars, said stock to be issued from time to time as the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall by ordinance provide; and to be issued for such amounts and to be payable at such time, and to bear such rate of interest as the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall by ordinance provide; and the proceeds thereof to be used for the purpose of acquiring, by purchase, condemnation or otherwise, land for public school buildings, and of constructing and reconstructing public school buildings; but said stock shall not be issued in whole or in part unless the ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, providing for the issuance thereof shall be submitted to the legal voters of the City of Baltimore, at such time and place as may be fixed by said ordinance, and be approved by a majority of the votes cast at such time and place as required by Section 7 of Article 11 of the Constitution of Maryland.

Approved April 18th, 1916.

CHAPTER 585.

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to issue its stock to an amount not exceeding two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) for the purpose of defraying the costs and expenses of condemning, laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, closing, grading, paving and curbing any street, avenue, lane or alley or part thereof, in the annex portion of said city, and for establishing the building lines and the width of the sidewalks on any street, avenue, lane or alley or part thereof in said annex portion of the city; to authorize the submission of an ordinance to that end to the legal voters of the City of Baltimore; to constitute the Commissioners for Opening Streets a commission to carry out said work and defining the powers and duties and the procedure of such commission, and providing also for the improvement of the sidewalks in said annex portion of the city at the expense of the property owners; and to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, by ordinance, to delegate to the Paving Commission of Baltimore City any or all of the duties and functions of the Commission in this Act provided for.