

Capital Stock," to follow immediately after Section 106, to be known as Section 106A, and to read as follows:

SEC. 106A. Payment by any corporation of the bonus tax to the Secretary of State, heretofore or hereafter made while the Act of 1914, Chapter 789, was, or shall continue to be in force, and the payment by any corporation of the bonus tax heretofore made to the State Tax Commissioner of Maryland, or heretofore or hereafter made to the State Tax Commission of Maryland, shall, as far as the exercise of its corporate powers by any corporation, is concerned, be deemed and taken as payment of said bonus tax to the State Treasurer.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on the first day of June, nineteen hundred and sixteen.

Approved April 18th, 1916.

CHAPTER 649.

AN ACT to empower civil engineers and surveyors to enter and work upon private lands for the purpose of making surveys and examinations for the purpose of gathering data for proposed public or municipal works or improvements thereto.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That civil engineers and surveyors, when they are in the employ of the State, or any County, or any city, town or village of the State, shall have the right to enter upon any private lands, or property for the purpose of making surveys, running lines of levels, or obtaining any needful information or data for the preparation of plans, reports or new legislation necessary for any proposed public sewerage system, water works, establishment of corporate boundaries or any extension of the same, highways or improvements thereto, or any public undertaking of like nature.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That civil engineers and surveyors, when acting under the authority of this Act, shall not damage or destroy any property or lands entered by them in the performance of their work, but they shall have the right to set stakes, markers or monuments or other suitable landmarks or reference points where necessary.