

## CHAPTER 353.

AN ACT to provide for a State subscription to Perkins' Annotated Maryland Reports, providing for the distribution thereof, and an appropriation therefor.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of 1914, by Senate Bill 103, Senate Journal 186, and passed the House, House Journal page 3434, approved too late to be printed in the Laws of 1914, enacted in the precise language hereinafter set forth in Sections 1 and 2, that the State Librarian shall subscribe, in the name of the State, for fifty sets of Perkins' Annotated Maryland Reports, bound in buckram, at four dollars per volume, and

WHEREAS, Some of the Courts and Public Offices of this State are not provided with sets of said Reports; and no sets are in the State Library available for distribution; and

WHEREAS, Said edition has been recommended by a majority of the Judges of the Court of Appeals, by a majority of the Associate Judges of the Circuit Courts, and the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, and

WHEREAS, Said fifty sets have been delivered to the State Library in the year 1914, but not yet paid for, therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the State Librarian be, and she is hereby authorized and directed to subscribe, in the name of the State, for fifty sets of Perkins' Annotated Maryland Reports of 81 volumes each, bound in buckram, at four dollars per volume, and upon the delivery of fifty copies of each volume to the State Library, the Librarian shall issue a certificate of the receipt thereof, and upon the presentation of such certificate, the Comptroller of the Treasury is hereby directed to issue his warrant for the sum of two hundred dollars to the order of the publisher, and the sum necessary for the payment of the said fifty sets is hereby appropriated.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the State Librarian shall distribute one set of said Reports to each of the Several Courts of the City of Baltimore, and of the State, not at present supplied with such Reports, one set to the General Land Office, two sets for the office of the Attorney General, and one set to each of the State's Attorneys Offices of the respective counties of the State and Baltimore City, and said sets to remain the property of the State of Maryland.