

Commissioners of Centreville, be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow, upon the faith and credit of the said municipal corporation, the sum of nineteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of paying for a turbine engine, dynamo, switch board and exciter, and installing the same in the Electric Plant of said Municipal Corporation and making other necessary repairs and improvements; and to execute the promissory notes of the said municipal corporation, the Town Commissioners of Centreville for the amount so borrowed. Said notes shall be drawn in such amounts as the said Municipal Corporation shall in its descretion determine, but the total amount of said promissory notes shall not exceed the aforesaid sum of nineteen thousand dollars and the said municipal corporation the Town Commissioners of Centreville, is hereby authorized and empowered, for and during a period not exceeding four years from and after the first day of January 1924, to renew the said promissory notes as they mature from time to time, in whole or in part, until all of said promissory notes and interest to accrue thereon have been fully paid, but no renewal note shall be drawn so as to fall due after the first day of January 1928 and no renewal note shall be given by said municipal corporation after the first day of January 1928.

Sec. 1A. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this Act contained is intended or shall be taken or construed as relieving the Town Commissioners of Centreville from any and all provisions of Chapter 180 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910; known as the Public Service Commission Law, or any amendments thereto.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law necessary for the immediate preservation of the public safety and health, and being passed upon the yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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