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benefits, or seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) or its equivalent annually upon any contract of annuity or during sickness or disability.

SEC. 5. And be it enacted as aforesaid, That said corporation shall at all times maintain the legal reserves provided in said General Laws and in said Chapter 492 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1922.

Approved April 9, 1924.

## CHAPTER 228.

An Act to add a new section to Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "City of Baltimore," to follow Section 36A of said Article 4 and to be designated 36AA (Section 36A of said Article 4 being included in the Charter of Baltimore City as adopted by the voters of said city at the election in November, 1918), said new section authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to increase the salaries of the members of the Board of Estimates.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new section be, and is hereby added to Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "City of Baltimore," to follow Section 36A of said Article 4 and to be designated 36AA (Section 36A of said Article 4 being included in the charter of said city as adopted by the voters of said city at the election in November, 1918).

36AA. The Mayor and City Council may, by ordinance, increase or decrease the salaries of the members of the Board of Estimates, but when the salary of any member shall be so increased or decreased it shall not again be increased or decreased during his term of office. The Board of Estimates shall include in the Ordinance of Estimates each year the salaries of its members as fixed by ordinance.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1924.

Approved April 9, 1924.