

SEC. 14. *And be it further enacted,* That all sums collected by the Commission for benefits levied against property for water supply, sewerage and drainage construction shall be set aside as a separate fund to be known and designated the "CURRENT INTEREST AND SINKING FUND", from which fund interest shall be paid on all outstanding bonds, and the balance, if any, transferred to the "JOINT SINKING FUND ACCOUNT", as provided in Section 7. The Commission, in order to determine the amount which it may deem necessary to be levied under Section 7, shall deduct the amount to its credit in said "Current Interest and Sinking Fund", plus such amount as the Commission may estimate that it will be able to collect out of benefits theretofore levied by it but not yet paid, from the whole amount necessary to be raised in any one year for interest and sinking fund payments on outstanding bonds; and the balance then remaining to be raised, shall be the amount to be certified to the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County for collection by taxation as provided by Section 7.

SEC. 15. *And be it further enacted,* That for the purpose of providing funds for maintaining, repairing and operating its water supply, sewerage and drainage system, and for its operating and other expenses (including proper depreciation allowances), and for interest on and the retirement of bonds as specified in this Act, the Commission is hereby empowered and directed to make such service rates as it may deem necessary, chargeable against all properties having a connection with any water pipe or sewer pipe under its ownership. Said rates shall be uniform throughout each Sanitary District but subject to change from time to time, as may be necessary. The rates for service shall consist of a minimum or ready-to-serve charge, which shall be based upon the size of the meter on the water connection leading to the property, and of a charge for water used, which shall be based upon the amount of water passing through the meter during the period between the last two readings, said meter being required to be placed on each water connection by, and at the sole expense of, the Commission. If the Commission at any time shall not have meters available to install in all the properties in a given locality that are connected with the system, then a flat rate shall be charged all properties in which meters have not yet been installed, which rate shall be uniform in each district and based on the amount of water used. Bills for the amount of the charges as above specified shall be sent quarterly or semi-annually, as the Commission may determine, to each property served, and shall be thereon payable at the office of the Commission; and if any bill shall remain unpaid after thirty days from date of send-