

conditions in every respect as it may prescribe by day labor, whenever the chief engineer, in writing, shall recommend that course.

Approved April 11, 1929.

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CHAPTER 550.

AN ACT authorizing the sum of one hundred dollars to be paid to S. Ralph Andrews, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cecil County, for counsel fees and expenses incurred in defense of suit instituted against him in his official capacity by the Elkton Taxi Company.

WHEREAS, suit was instituted against the said S. Ralph Andrews, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cecil County, in his official capacity, by the Elkton Taxi Company; and

WHEREAS, the said S. Ralph Andrews, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cecil County, has incurred expenses to the amount of two hundred dollars in the employment of counsel to defend said suit; therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the said S. Ralph Andrews, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cecil County, is hereby authorized to pay said sum of one hundred dollars out of the excess fees of his office.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1929.

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CHAPTER 551.

AN ACT to exempt for a period of four years all the property, real and personal, of the Maryland and Delaware Coast Railway Company from all county and municipal taxes.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That all the property, real and personal, of the