

dogs, the owners or ones in possession of which, do not comply with such regulations and for killing or impounding of all dogs found running at large, in violation of such regulations; and for the proper execution of all of the aforesaid regulations, the Cottage City Commission may provide by ordinance such penalties as now allowed to them by the Town Charter. The style of such ordinances shall be "Be it ordained by the Cottage City Commission" and two affirmative votes shall be necessary for the passage of any such ordinance.

5B. That Paragraphs A and B of Section 9 of Chapter 390 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1924 entitled "An Act to incorporate the Town of Cottage City, Prince George's County, Maryland," shall not apply to the provisions of this Act and the power conferred upon the Cottage City Commission hereunder.

5C. That upon a petition of the majority of the registered voters of said town filed with the Cottage City Commission on or before the 15th day of March in any year, the Cottage City Commission shall at the annual election occurring thereafter submit for approval or rejection any ordinance passed under Section 5A of this Act. The said question shall be submitted to the registered voters on the regular ballot with such information as is necessary to describe the ordinance. If a majority of the votes cast for and against the ordinance shall be in favor of its approval, then said ordinance shall continue to be in full force and effect, but in case the majority of the votes cast for and against the ordinance shall be in favor of its repeal, then said ordinance shall become null, void and of no effect, and the Cottage City Commission at its first meeting subsequent to said election shall repeal said ordinance.

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

Approved April 11, 1929.