

11. That the County Commissioners of Montgomery County shall have full authority and supervision of any and all members of said police force, and shall pass such orders and regulations governing their actions as members of said force, as they shall in their discretion from time to time deem necessary.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1929.

Approved April 11, 1929.

CHAPTER 308.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendment Section 488 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Telegraphs—Injury to," so as to make it a misdemeanor to injure or destroy any lines, posts or abutments of any telephone lines, and to prescribe penalties therefor.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 488 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Telegraphs—Injury to," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted to read as follows:

488. Any person who shall unlawfully and intentionally injure, molest or destroy any of the lines, posts, piers or abutments, or the materials or property connected with the working of any telegraph or telephone lines, shall on conviction thereof be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county or city jail not exceeding one year, or both, at the discretion of the court before which the conviction shall be had.

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

Approved April 11, 1929.