

whatsoever, such invalidity shall not be construed as affecting the validity of the remainder of this Act or any part thereof, it being the legislative intent that said remainder of the act shall stand in full force and effect notwithstanding any partial invalidity.

SEC. 4. *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 having been passed upon a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 17, 1935.

CHAPTER 208.

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Montgomery County," sub-title "County Commissioners and Treasurer," said new section to be known as Section 195A and to follow immediately after Section 195 of said Article, making it unlawful for any member of the Board of County Commissioners, County Board of Education or employee of Montgomery County to be interested for profit in any contract of sale or purchase to which the said Board of County Commissioners is a party and prohibiting the making of any contract of sale or purchase except land by said Board of County Commissioners involving more than \$500 without advertising for bids, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 16 of The Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Montgomery County," sub-title "County Commissioners and Treasurer," said new section to be known as Section 195A, to follow immediately after Section 195 of said Article and to read as follows:

195A. It shall be unlawful for any member of the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County or of the Board of County Education of said county, or for any other public official or employee of said county, to be directly or