

CHAPTER 338.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 70 of Article 20 of the Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Somerset County," sub-title "Crisfield," relating to the clerk, treasurer and collector of Crisfield.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 70 of Article 20 of the Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Somerset County," sub-title "Crisfield," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

70. The said clerk, treasurer and collector, or any of them, before entering upon the performance of the duties of his office, shall take and subscribe an oath before the Mayor or a justice of the peace residing in said city that he will well and faithfully perform the duties of his office according to law and the ordinance of said city, which oath is to be returned to the Council and recorded as the oaths of other officers, which oath, record of same or a copy thereof is hereby made evidence in any court of this State. The collector shall give bond to the State of Maryland in the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) with a fidelity or surety company qualified to act as surety or guaranty under the laws of the State of Maryland as surety, conditioned that he will well and faithfully perform the duties of collector of taxes in all things according to law and the ordinance of the city, and that he will well and truly collect the taxes levied for the use of said City of Crisfield and account for and pay over all moneys that may come into his hands as collected in the manner and as required by law, and said ordinance. Said bond shall be paid for by the Mayor and Council. The clerk and treasurer, if not also collector, shall give bond in the penalty of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) with a similar surety, and if the same person shall be appointed as clerk, treasurer and collector, then the said offices shall all be combined and named in said bond and included in its penalty, as above provided. The said bond or bonds shall be approved by the Council and spread upon its minutes, and then delivered, with the approval indorsed thereon, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Somerset County for record, a certified copy of the same from the record to be evidence, in any court of this State. If appointee shall fail or neglect to give satisfactory