of Maryland (1930 Edition and Offutt's Edition of 1928), title "Baltimore County," sub-title "Health and Sanitation," sub-heading "Metropolitan District," said new section to be known as Section 347A, to follow immediately after Section 347 and to read as follows:

- 347A. Whenever plans and specifications for water supply, sewerage and storm water drainage systems for any area in the Baltimore County Metropolitan District shall have been completed and the County Commissioners shall have decided to proceed with the construction thereof, the County Commissioners may proceed to construct, or cause to be constructed, said system, or parts thereof, by contract, after public advertisement, and receiving bids therefor, or they may do all or any part of the work by their own forces, upon written estimates submitted by the Chief Engineer of the Metropolitan District, without advertising or receiving bids; provided, however, that at no time shall the amount expended for such work exceed twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).
- Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1931.

Approved April 17, 1931.

CHAPTER 502.

AN ACT to add three new sections to Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Talbot County," sub-title "County Commissioners," to be under sub-heading "Fire Companies," said new sections to be known as Sections 74A, 74B and 74C and to follow after Section 74 of said Article, authorizing the County Commissioners of Talbot County to levy taxes for certain volunteer fire companies in said county.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That three new sections be and they are hereby added to Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Talbot County," sub-title "County Commissioners," to be under sub-heading "Fire Companies," said new sections to be known as Sections 74A, 74B and 74C, to follow after Section 74 of said Article and to read as follows: