

## CHAPTER 602.

## (House Bill 769)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Sections 70 and 71 of Article 10 of Flack's Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Dorchester County", sub-title "Police Commissioners", as enacted by Sections 60C and 60D of Chapter 694 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, 1912, and as amended, relative to vacancies in the police force of the City of Cambridge, examinations therefor, appointments thereto, and salaries and wages therefor.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 70 and 71 of Article 10 of Flack's Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Dorchester County", sub-title "Police Commissioners", as enacted by Sections 60C and 60D of Chapter 694 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, 1912, and as amended, wherein, in Section 70, it is provided that an applicant, before being appointed to the police force of the City of Cambridge, be required to pass a physical and mental examination, and wherein, in Section 71, is provided the length of time of appointment, salaries therefor, and number of policemen to be appointed, be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

70. On the fifteenth day of August, 1912, and as often thereafter as there may be a vacancy to be filled in the police force, hereinafter provided for, the said board shall hold a preliminary examination at the City Hall of applicants for policeman. Notice of any and all preliminary examinations for policeman shall be given in at least two newspapers published in the City of Cambridge, at least ten days before such examination; said notice shall state the time of said examination and the requirements for policeman. Every applicant for policeman must be of good moral character, not addicted to the use of alcoholic liquors or drinks in any form, must be at least five feet eight inches in height, must weigh not less than one hundred and fifty pounds, and not more than two hundred and fifty pounds, must be between the ages of twenty-five and forty years, and must be able to read and write a legible hand, and show a good knowledge of the rules of the said Board of Police Commissioners and of the ordinances of Cambridge. All examinations for policemen must be in writing and the examination papers shall be preserved by said board, subject to inspection by any voter of the City of Cam-