

provided, however, that Sections 21, 22 and 24, hereof, except to enforce the Motor Vehicle Laws of this State shall not apply to Charles and Howard Counties.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1939.

Approved May 11, 1939.

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CHAPTER 751.

(Senate Bill 178)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 46 of Article 26 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Courts", sub-title "Pensions of Judges", granting pensions to judges reaching the age of sixty after having served the preceding twenty consecutive years, and to each person heretofore or hereafter elected judge and who shall be serving as such judge when attaining the age of seventy years.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 46 of Article 26 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Courts", sub-title "Pensions of Judges", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

46. Every elected judge of the circuit court for any of the counties, and of the supreme bench of Baltimore City, and of the court of appeals, who shall attain the age of seventy years while in office, or who shall attain the age of sixty years while in office, after having served the twenty preceding consecutive years, and every judge of any of said courts who shall have served upon the bench fifteen consecutive years, whether such service be before or after April 7, 1904, or partly before or partly after said date, and who shall have reached the age of seventy, and every person who has heretofore been elected and has served as judge of any of said courts, and is now no longer in office and has attained the age of seventy years, or if not now seventy years of age, when he shall attain said age, shall be entitled to a salary of twenty-four hundred dollars per annum, payable in quarterly instalments, as other judges' salaries are now paid.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1st, 1939.

Approved May 31, 1939.