

promissory note or notes therefor. The said notes shall be signed by the President of said County Commissioners of Kent County and the Treasurer of said County and shall bear interest at such rate or rates and be payable at such time or times as said Commissioners shall by resolution provide. The said County Commissioners are hereby authorized and directed to levy a tax on the assessable property in said County to provide sufficient funds to pay the interest on said note or notes as it becomes due and to redeem the said note or notes when they become due.

SEC. 2. *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 by 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 April 26, 1939.

CHAPTER 197.

(Senate Bill 322)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 90 of Article 23 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Wicomico County", sub-title "Fire Companies", as said section was amended by Chapter 56 of the Acts of the Special Session of 1936, authorizing the County Commissioners of Wicomico County to appropriate in their annual levy certain sums of money for Volunteer Fire Companies in said County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 90 of Article 23 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Wicomico County", sub-title "Fire Companies", as said section was amended by Chapter 56 of the Acts of the Special Session of 1936, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

90. The County Commissioners of Wicomico County are hereby authorized to appropriate and levy annually the sum of Eleven Thousand Dollars (\$11,000.00), to be paid to the several Volunteer Fire Companies in said County, in such amount or amounts as the said County Commissioners,