

cinct of this State on the day in which an election is held therein and to amend the provision for disposition of fines and to repeal all other laws, whether Public General or Public Local Laws, prohibiting the sale of alcoholic beverages on any general, special or primary election day.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 121 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Elections," sub-title "Offenses" be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

121. It shall be unlawful for the keeper of any hotel, tavern, store, drinking establishment or any other place where liquors are sold, or for any person or persons, directly or indirectly, to sell, barter, give or dispose of any spirituous or fermented liquors, ale or beer, or intoxicating drinks of any kind within any election district or precinct of this State on the day of any election hereafter to be held in such district or precinct; any person violating the provisions of this section shall be liable for indictment, and shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than fifty (\$50.00) dollars, nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars for each offense.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all other laws whether Public General or Public Local Laws, and particularly all provisions of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1935 Supplement) prohibiting the sale of alcoholic beverages on general, special or primary election days, be and they are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and being passed upon a ye and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of 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 January 31, 1939.

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### CHAPTER 3.

(Senate Bill 23)

AN ACT empowering the County Commissioners of Allegany County to sell or lease for any term of years in their discretion to the State Roads Commission of Maryland,