

mission is needed by the State for highway purposes, the General Assembly may provide that such property may be taken immediately upon payment therefor to the owner or owners thereof by said State Roads Commission, or into Court, such amount as said State Roads Commission shall estimate to be of the fair value of said property, provided such legislation also requires the payment of any further sum that may subsequently be awarded by a jury.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland shall, at the election to be held in November, 1942, be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection in pursuance of the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, and the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot and upon each ballot shall be printed the words "FOR CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT" and "AGAINST CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT", as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment as directed by Article XIV of the Constitution and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article XIV.

Approved April 28, 1941.

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CHAPTER 608.

(Senate Bill 523)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 478, 479, 480, 483, 485, 487 and 488 of Article 10 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Dorchester County", sub-title "Secretary", and to enact in lieu thereof Sections 478, 479, 480, 483 and 487, amending the Charter of the Town of Secretary generally.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 478, 479, 480, 483, 485, 487 and 488 of Article 10 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Dorchester County", sub-title "Secretary", be and they are hereby repealed and that Sections 478, 479, 480, 483 and 485 be and they are hereby enacted in lieu thereof, to read as follows: