

relating to the execution of the death sentence by the Sheriff of Frederick County.

WHEREAS, the general laws of the State provide for the execution of the death sentence in the Maryland Penitentiary, therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 722 of Article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Frederick County", sub-title "Sheriff", be, and it is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1941.

Approved April 15, 1941.

CHAPTER 89.

(Senate Bill 227)

AN ACT to repeal Section 143 of Article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Frederick County", sub-title "Cruelty to Animals", said section no longer being in effect.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 143 of Article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Frederick County", sub-title "Cruelty to Animals", be and it is hereby repealed.

Approved April 15, 1941.

CHAPTER 90.

(House Bill 97)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments Sections 40 and 43 of Article 16 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Chancery", sub-title "Divorce", providing that divorce may be granted after abandonment has continued uninterruptedly for a period of eighteen months and also providing that the period of residence required for