

“Salisbury”, as amended by Chapter 105 of the Acts of 1933 (Special Session), providing for the bond of the Clerk, Collector of City Taxes and Treasurer.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 280 of Article 23 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title “Wicomico County”, sub-title “Salisbury”, as amended by Chapter 105 of the Acts of 1933 (Special Session), be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

280. The said Clerk to the Council, Collector of City Taxes and Treasurer, before entering upon the performance of the duties of his office, shall take and subscribe to an oath before a justice of the peace residing in said city that he will well and faithfully perform the duties of his said office according to law and the ordinances of said city, which oath is to be returned to the Council and recorded as provided for the oaths of other officers, which oath, record of same or a copy thereof are hereby made evidence in any court of this State. He shall give bond to the State of Maryland in the penalty of Fifty Thousand Dollars with a fidelity or surety company, qualified to act as surety or guaranty under the laws of the State of Maryland, as surety, conditioned that he will well and faithfully perform the duties of clerk, treasurer and collector of taxes in all things, according to law and the ordinances of the city, and that he will account for and pay over all moneys that may come into his hands as clerk, collector or treasurer in the manner and as required by law and said ordinances, provided that he and his surety shall not be responsible for any losses incurred through the failure or insolvency of any depository selected and approved by ordinance or resolution of the Mayor and Council of Salisbury and in which he shall have duly deposited any funds coming into his hands by virtue of his office, and provided, further, that the surety or sureties on his bond shall not be liable for any loss or losses resulting by reason of the failure of said clerk, treasurer and collector to collect any portion or all taxes which may be chargeable to collect by reason of his appointment as said clerk, treasurer and collector. Said bond shall be paid for by the Mayor and Council. The said bond shall be approved by the Council and spread upon its minutes, and then delivered with the approval endorsed thereon to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County for record, a certified copy of the same from either record to be in evidence in any court of this State. If the person so elected shall fail or neglect to give satisfactory bond on or before the first day of his term of office, the Mayor shall appoint some other person to said office, to be confirmed