

"Board of Assessment", said new sections to be known as Sections 190A to 190J, inclusive, and to follow immediately after Section 190 of said Article, relating to the Board of Assessment of Montgomery County, its powers, duties and privileges.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That ten new sections be and they are hereby added to the Code of Public Local Laws of Montgomery County (1939 Edition), being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Montgomery County", sub-title "County Commissioners and Treasurer" to be under a new sub-heading "Board of Assessment", said new sections to be known as Sections 190A to 190J, inclusive, to follow immediately after Section 190 of said Article and to read as follows:

#### BOARD OF ASSESSMENT

190A. (a) The Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County is hereby directed to appoint a Board of Assessment consisting of three (3) members one of whom shall be designated as Chairman, shall devote his full time and attention to the duties of his office and shall receive not more than Thirty-six Hundred Dollars (\$3,600) per year in equal monthly installments. Each of the other two (2) members of said Board of Assessment shall receive not more than Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) per year in equal monthly installments.

The first appointees under this Act shall serve for terms of one, three and five years respectively, as designated by the County Commissioners; but thereafter each appointee shall serve for a term of six (6) years. Any member of the Board may be removed by the County Commissioners only for good cause shown after due notice to such member and after a duly advertised public hearing.

(b) The Board of County Commissioners may also appoint a Chief Clerk of the Board of Assessment who shall serve at the pleasure of the Board of County Commissioners, and shall receive not more than Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) in equal monthly installments.

(c) When additional assessors are required, the Board of Assessment shall certify its need therefor to the Board of County Commissioners and the County Commissioners shall appoint one or more Deputy Assessors and fix his or their compensation and term of office.

(d) The Board of County Commissioners shall appoint such other clerks and employees as may be needed to execute and