

chase. No land shall be purchased under the provisions of this section until the approval of the Board of County Commissioners through resolution of that Board is received, and in the case where land is to be purchased for library purposes, the approval by resolution of the County Board of Education shall also be required.

Any contract entered into or purchase made in violation of the provisions of this section shall be null and void; provided, however, that nothing in this section shall apply in the case of an emergency if the voucher therefor at the time of payment has attached thereto a certificate of the Board, commission, official or employee stating that the emergency exists and describing the nature of the emergency.

Nothing in this section or in any other section of the Code of Public Local Laws of Montgomery County not designating the Montgomery County Liquor Control Board by name shall apply to the purchase of alcoholic beverages by the Liquor Control Board of said County.

190A. The said Board of County Commissioners for Montgomery County shall have the full power and authority to expend for public school purposes, any revenue accruing to Montgomery County, or any authorization for emergency funds, or any other legal authorization, which said Board in its discretion shall deem necessary or any taxes which it may levy, without limitation as to amount, for the purchase of land, construction of buildings, purchase of equipment or maintenance in the operation of the Public Schools of Montgomery County.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and being passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all 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 April 23, 1941.

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CHAPTER 925.

(House Bill 791)

AN ACT to repeal Section 2 of Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1916, and to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 235 of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939