

ceedings in equity within two years of the filing of the lien.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 28 of Article 63 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Mechanics' Lien", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

28. The lien of every such debt for which a claim may have been filed according to the provisions of this Article shall expire at the end of two years from the day on which it was filed, during which time the claimant may bring proceedings in equity to enforce the lien, and the owner of the property subject to the lien, or any other person interested therein, may bring proceedings in equity to compel the claimant to prove the validity of the lien or have it declared void; and in case the lien claimant or his assigns may be non-residents of the State of Maryland or may be persons who may be proceeded against as such non-residents, notice may be given to him, it or them by publication as in other equity cases; and the expiration of such lien shall be stayed by the filing, within said two year period, of any such proceeding in equity until the conclusion of such proceeding.

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

Approved April 28, 1941.

CHAPTER 522.

(Senate Bill 356)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 94 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Time—Standard", said new section to be known as Section 2, to follow immediately after Section 1 of said Article, for the purpose of establishing a uniform method of computing any period of time prescribed or allowed by the rules of any Court, or by order of Court, or by any applicable statute.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 94 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939