

CHAPTER 567.

(Senate Bill 465)

AN ACT to add a new sub-title and eight new sections to Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title, "Governor-Executive and Administrative Departments", said new sub-title to be known as "Maryland Council of Defense", and said new sections to be known as Sections 130-A, 130-B, 130-C, 130-D, 130-E, 130-F, 130-G, and 130-H, and to follow immediately after Section 130 of said Article; creating the "Maryland Council of Defense", naming the original members of said Council, prescribing its powers and duties; providing for the payment of the expenses of said Council, and authorizing the expenditure by said Council of such sums as may be appropriated to said Council; and repealing Chapter 24 of the Acts of the Extraordinary Session of 1917.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new sub-title and eight new sections be, and they are hereby added to Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title, "Governor-Executive and Administrative Departments", said new sub-title to be known as "Maryland Council of Defense", and said new sections to be known as Sections 130-A, 130-B, 130-C, 130-D, 130-E, 130-F, 130-G, and 130-H, to follow immediately after Section 130 of said Article, and to read as follows:

130-A. The Maryland Council of Defense, hereinafter designated as the "Council", is hereby created, and the following shall comprise the original membership of said Council: Governor Herbert R. O'Connor, Attorney General William C. Walsh, G. M. Armor, Robert O. Bonnell, Isaiah Bowman, Rodney J. Brooks, Howard Bruce, H. Clifton Byrd, Walter B. Calloway, S. J. Cort, Charles A. Cummins, Dr. J. M. T. Finney, J. Blaine Fitzgerald, Sylvan H. Lauchheimer, Glenn L. Martin, George M. Moffett, Carl Murphy, Joseph P. McCurdy, John McNulty, Henry W. Price, General Milton A. Reckord, W. Frank Roberts, William M. Storm, Phillip C. Turner, Mrs. John L. Whitehurst and Ezra B. Whitman. The Governor shall designate the Chairman of said Council, shall fill all vacancies on said Council however occurring, and shall have the power to increase the membership of said Council from time to time to a total of not more than forty, and to appoint all new members. The Attorney General of Mary-