

shall be filled by appointment by the President of the Senate from among the members of the Senate, if the vacancy is caused by the resignation or death of a member of the Council from the Senate, and by the Speaker of the House of Delegates, if the vacancy is caused by the resignation or death of a member of the Council from the House of Delegates, the appointments to be made in accordance with the provisions of Sub-sections (1) and (2). If the vacancy in the membership of the Council is caused by the resignation or death of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman, the vacancy in such membership shall be filled by the members of the Council from the membership of the Senate or the House of Delegates, as the case may be. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chairman, the Vice-Chairman shall become Chairman and the members of the Council shall elect one of its members Vice-Chairman in his stead; and in the case of a vacancy in the office of both Chairman and Vice-Chairman, the members of the Council shall elect one of its members Chairman and one of its members Vice-Chairman.

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 having been passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of 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 May 6, 1943.

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CHAPTER 958.

(Senate Bill 607)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section (Dorchester County) of Section 100 of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Justices of the Peace," sub-title "Trial Magistrates System," as said sub-section was amended by Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1941, relating to the salary of the clerk of the Trial Magistrate sitting at Cambridge, Dorchester County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sub-section (Dorchester County) of Section 100 of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Justices of the Peace," sub-title "Trial Magistrates System," as said sub-section was amended by Chap-