

716N. Whenever used in Sections 716 to 716P of this Article:

(a) "People's Court" or "Court" shall mean the People's Court of Baltimore City;

(b) "Judge" shall mean a Judge of the People's Court of Baltimore City;

(c) "Constable" shall mean a constable appointed in accordance with the Constitution as amended from time to time;

(d) "Clerk" or "Clerk of the Court" shall mean any person appointed or designated to do clerical work or to give clerical assistance.

716-O. Any Judge of the People's Court may issue process and shall have jurisdiction over any proceedings that may be pending in said Court or that may have been instituted before any Justice of the Peace of the People's Court.

Any Judge of the People's Court shall have power to certify to the records of the People's Court and to the records of former Justices of the Peace of the People's Court. Such power of certification may from time to time by rule be delegated by said Judges to the Chief Constable or a Clerk of said Court.

The Judges of said Court shall have power by rule to authorize and direct the service of process of writs of summons and other process of the Court by Clerks of the Court.

716P. Except as to cases in which a shorter time is fixed by this Act, or by an Act of the General Assembly or by the Charter of Baltimore City, any party aggrieved thereby may appeal from any judgment or final order of the People's Court to the Baltimore City Court at any time within 30 days from the rendition of such judgment or order and the Baltimore City Court shall hear the case de novo and determine the same according to law, and the equity and right of the matter; and this section shall be construed to include all actions of debt for the collection of fines, penalties and forfeitures imposed by any law of the State and which are made recoverable before Justice of the Peace, in which a right of appeal may not be given by the law imposing the same.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Sections 716, 716J, 716L and 748 of said Article 4, as said sections were enacted by Chapter 137 of the Acts of 1939, be and they are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That all Acts or parts of Acts of any public general or public local laws inconsistent