

branch of the Organized Militia, except the National Guard, shall be exempt from jury service. Honorary membership in any branch of the Organized Militia except the National Guard shall not at any time be a cause of exemption from jury service.

58E. *Use in this State.* The Governor shall have the power in case of insurrection, invasion, tumult, riot, breach of peace or imminent danger thereof, or to enforce the laws of this State, to order into service any part of the Maryland State Guard that he may deem proper. When the Militia is on active service, the Commanding Officer and his subordinates shall be, and they are hereby invested with all the authority of sheriffs and deputy sheriffs in enforcing the laws of this State, and they may cooperate with the civil authorities, or take entire charge of the situation as in the judgment of the commanding officer the exigencies of the case may require.

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 upon 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 May 6, 1943.

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CHAPTER 410.

(Senate Bill 280)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 5, 18, 32 and 38 of Article 65 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Ed.), title "Militia," and to repeal Sections 58A, 58L and 58N of said Article as enacted by Chapter 33 of the Acts of 1941, and to enact in lieu thereof seven new Sections, to be known as Section 5, to follow immediately after Section 4 of said Article; Section 18 to follow immediately after Section 17 of said Article; Section 32 to follow immediately after Section 31 of said Article; Section 38 to follow immediately after Section 37 of said Article; Section 58A to follow immediately after Section 58 of said Article; Section 58L to follow immediately after Section 58K of said Article; and Section 58N to follow immediately after Section 58M of said Article, to provide