

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 270 of Article 24 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Worcester County", sub-title "Revenue and Taxes", as said section was amended by Chapter 127 of the Acts of 1936 (Special Session), be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

270. The Treasurer shall appoint a deputy, who shall perform such duties as the said Treasurer may require, and for whose official conduct said Treasurer shall be responsible, and who shall act in his stead and place in his absence, and said deputy shall be paid an annual salary not exceeding \$1,600.00 by Worcester County. The said Treasurer is hereby authorized and empowered to employ a clerk in addition to the said deputy, at such compensation as may be fixed by the County Commissioners of Worcester County, not exceeding \$1,600.00 per year, to be paid by said county.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1943.

Approved May 7, 1943.

CHAPTER 429.

(House Bill 531)

AN ACT to authorize and empower The Mayor and Common Council of Westminster to acquire and take over, by purchase or condemnation, the water system of The Maryland Water Works Company, its successors and assigns, situate in the Seventh Election District of Carroll County, Maryland, including therewith its real and personal property, rights, privileges, waters, streams, waterways, water courses, reservoirs, easements, facilities and franchises; to enlarge and improve said water system; to assume liability for whatever bonds may be outstanding against the said water system; to borrow from time to time on the faith and credit of The Mayor and Common Council of Westminster such sum or sums of money not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00), as may be needed to pay for the said water system and for extensions and improvements thereof and to provide adequate working capital for the maintenance and operation of the said water system, such borrowings to bear interest at a rate not to exceed three per centum (3%) per annum; to authorize and empower the said The Mayor and