

ing the County Commissioners of Washington County to fix the compensation of the County Clerk not to exceed a certain maximum nor to be less than a certain minimum.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 144 of Article 22 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Washington County," sub-title "County Commissioners," as said section was amended by Chapter 485 of the Acts of 1939, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

144. The County Clerk shall receive for his services such salary as the County Commissioners may, in their discretion, prescribe, not exceeding Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) per annum, and not less than Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) per annum, payable in equal monthly installments by the said County Commissioners. The said County Commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to employ an assistant to the County Clerk, who shall receive for his services an annual salary fixed by the County Commissioners at their discretion but not exceeding Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00), payable in equal monthly installments, and to employ an attorney for said Commissioners, who shall receive for his services an annual salary fixed by the County Commissioners at their discretion but not exceeding Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00), payable in equal monthly installments. The said County Commissioners are hereby authorized and required to levy the needful taxes on the assessable property within the county liable to taxation as shall be sufficient to pay said salaries.

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

Approved April 30, 1943.

CHAPTER 433.

(Senate Bill 15)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 7 of Article 100 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Work—Hours of, in Factories", sub-title "Employment of Minors", relating to the employment of minors in certain hazardous occupations.