

rection", said sections relating to the acquisition of a State Penal Farm.

WHEREAS, the State has already established a State Penal Farm under special legislation and there is no longer need for these sections; therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 748 to 757, inclusive, of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Department of Correction", be and they are hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1945.

Approved February 9, 1945.

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#### CHAPTER 56.

(House Bill 103)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 761 and 761-C of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition and 1943 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Department of Correction", said sections relating to pensions of certain employees of the Board of Correction.

WHEREAS, the State Employees' Retirement System includes all employees of the Board of Correction, thereby making these sections unnecessary; therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 761 and 761-C of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition and 1943 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Department of Correction", be and they are hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1945.

Approved February 9, 1945.

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#### CHAPTER 57.

(House Bill 107)

AN ACT to repeal Section 3 of Article 69 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Officers", said section requiring the Governor to secure a certificate from the Comptroller before issuing a commission to any officer.