

as may be necessary and do all other things deemed necessary to discharge the duties imposed by and to effect the purposes of this sub-title. The Executive Secretary shall possess a broad knowledge of the generally accepted practices in the real estate business in this State and be reasonably well informed as to the general laws governing agency and contracts for the conveyance or leasing of real estate.

The compensation of the members of the Commission, the Executive Secretary and that of all other employees of the Commission shall be provided in the State Budget.

The Chairman and Executive Secretary each shall annually give corporate surety bond to the State of Maryland, in such sum as the State Comptroller may prescribe, with condition that he faithfully perform the duties of his office and account for all funds received under color of his office.

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

Approved April 23, 1945.

CHAPTER 710.

(Senate Bill 321)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 744 and 767 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Ed.), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Department of Correction."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 744 and 767 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Ed.), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Department of Correction," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, so as to read as follows:

744. Before entering upon the discharge of the duties of his office, each member of said Board shall take an oath that he will well and faithfully execute and perform all and singular the duties appertaining to his office according to the laws of the State and the rules and regulations adopted in accordance therewith. The associate members of the Board of Correction shall not be required to give bond for the faithful performance of their duties, but the Director of Correction shall be required annually to