

(4) The grant of financial assistance made to each of the counties and made to the City of Baltimore as herein provided shall be evidenced by a memorandum, said memorandum to be signed by the proper officials of each of the counties receiving financial assistance hereunder or by the proper officials of the City of Baltimore if it receives financial assistance under the terms of this Act. Said memorandum shall also be signed on behalf of the State of Maryland by the State Board of Education and shall be approved by the members of the Board of Public Works. This memorandum shall contain such terms and conditions as the State Board of Education and the Board of Public Works may by regulation specify concerning the time, method and manner of distributing the grants in aid as provided for in this Act. Said memorandum shall also specify the total amount of funds, the source from which said funds were derived, and the manner in which said funds are being held on deposit, or otherwise, which the said counties or the City of Baltimore have available for the purpose of matching the grants in aid to be made by the State to the said counties or the said City, as the case may be, as provided for in this Act. The memorandum provided for in this sub-paragraph of this Act may be in such form as the Board of Public Works may by regulation specify and when signed by the proper officials of the counties or the City of Baltimore as the case may be shall be legally binding upon said counties and said City.

(d) The governing body of each of the counties in this State and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore are hereby authorized and empowered to enter into any and all contracts, agreements or memoranda required under the terms of this Act, or which may be required by regulations duly promulgated by the State Department of Education or the Board of Public Works pursuant to the provisions of this Act, any other provisions of public general law or of public local law to the contrary notwithstanding.

(e) The terms, conditions and provisions contained in and afforded by this Act shall continue for a period of Five years (5) from the date of final passage of said Act.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That the County Commissioners of the several counties of the State and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore are hereby respectively directed to levy the State taxes for the years 1950 and 1951 at 1.2 cents (1.2c) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100) of assessable property, and for the year 1952 and all succeeding years until all certificates issued under the