

all public officials of the State, to be evidence of the Public Local Laws and Charter of Baltimore City, in existence at the time of compilation; provided, that before the said 1949 Edition is published, all Public Local Laws enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland at its session in 1949, relating to Baltimore City, shall be incorporated therein.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1949.

Approved March 31, 1949.

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## CHAPTER 111

(Senate Bill 248)

AN ACT to add a new sub-section to Section 5 of Article 73B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Pensions", said new sub-section to be known as Sub-section (6) and to follow immediately after Sub-section (5) of said section, providing that the same credits shall be allowed members of the Employees' Retirement System who served in World War I as allowed members who served in World War II.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new sub-section be and it is hereby added to Section 5 of Article 73B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Pensions", said new sub-section to be known as Sub-section (6), to follow immediately after Sub-section (5) of said section, and to read as follows:

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(6) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Article, all members of the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Maryland who were employees of the State prior to April 1, 1917 and left their positions to serve in World War I and who later re-entered the employment of the State without intervening employment elsewhere and have since continued as and are at present members of the Employees' Retirement System of the State, shall be entitled to prior service credit for any part of the period of such World War 1 service not otherwise credited and allowable under the provisions of this Article upon verifi-