

ner in which the public sale of any bonds authorized to be issued pursuant to the provisions of said section must be advertised; and

WHEREAS, the manner of advertising the public sale of said bonds is unduly long and unnecessarily expensive; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent and desire of the General Assembly of Maryland to provide a manner of advertising public sales of said bonds which will produce just as wide circulation among potential bidders as the manner now required, but which will prove less costly and time consuming;

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 356 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore County (Smith's 1948 Edition), title "Public Works", sub-title "Sewer and Water" (Metropolitan District), be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:*

356. For the purpose of providing funds for meeting the expenses of the Commissioners and for designing and construction, purchase or acquisition of the water supply, sewerage and drainage systems provided for by this Act, the Commissioners shall, from time to time, as they deem necessary, issue bonds upon the faith and credit of Baltimore County. Except as hereinafter provided said County Commissioners shall offer said bonds only by solicitation of competitive bids therefor at public sale, which offering, except as herein otherwise provided, shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Section 35 of Article 31 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1939 Edition). Said County shall, by ordinance or resolution, fix the terms and conditions of the public sale or sales of such bonds and said ordinance or resolution shall adopt suitable forms of notice of such sale or sales which shall briefly outline the terms and conditions thereof in accordance with the provisions of this Act. In lieu of publishing said entire notice of sale, in any instance, said County Commissioners may, if it so elects, in any such ordinance or resolution provide for the publication of a brief summary of any such notice which need not contain all or any of the information called for by said Section 35 of Article 31 but which shall state where interested parties may obtain a complete copy of any such notice of sale. Each such notice of sale may also contain a brief summary of pertinent current financial information or indicate from whom such information may be obtained. And all accrued interest between the date of said bonds and the time of sale and delivery of and