priate resolution: Allegany, Carroll, Dorchester, Frederick, Prince George's, Worcester, Washington and Wicomico. The County Treasurers of Somerset County, Calvert County and Garrett County are hereby mandatorily directed to act as the agent of the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles in the registration of motor vehicles of the Class A. passenger or pleasure type and to issue metal plates or markers, as hereinabove prescribed.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 31, 1949.

## CHAPTER 126

## (House Bill 17)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section (a) of Section 145 and Section 146 of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Motor Vehicles", sub-title "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways", relating to the duties of the operator of street cars or trackless trolleys at the time of accidents.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sub-section (a) of Section 145 and Section 146 of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Motor Vehicles", sub-title "Operation of Vehicles Upon Highways", be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

## 145.

(a) The driver of any vehicle, street car or trackless trolley involved in an accident resulting in injury to or death of any person shall immediately stop such vehicle, street car or trackless trolley at the scene of such accident or as close thereto as possible but shall then forthwith return to and in every event shall remain at the scene of the accident until he has fulfilled the requirements of Section 147. Every such