

154. The County Commissioners of Dorchester County, whenever in their discretion they may deem it advisable, are authorized to issue certificates of indebtedness upon the faith and credit of Dorchester County, for the payment of (1) the maintenance and support of the public schools in said county; and (2) for repairs and maintenance of the county roads, bridges and ferries therein, and for no other purposes whatsoever, bearing interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum (6%) per annum from the date of same which shall be endorsed upon the face of such certificates of indebtedness, and they shall levy on the assessable property of the county liable to taxation for the payment of said interest bearing certificates of indebtedness in like manner as by law other claims have been heretofore levied for and all such certificates of indebtedness issued and executed by the County Commissioners shall be a lien upon all of the assessable property in Dorchester County, provided, however, that all interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness issued during any fiscal year by the said County Commissioners of Dorchester County, shall be paid in full within two months from the expiration of such fiscal year, and not more than two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars shall be issued in any one fiscal year.

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

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CHAPTER 223

(Senate Bill 181)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Frederick County," sub-title "Burkittsville," said new section to be known as Section 66A and to follow immediately after Section 66 of said Article, as said Section 66 was enacted by Chapter 143 of the Acts of 1941, authorizing the Burgess and Commissioners of Burkittsville, Frederick County, to borrow certain sums of money