

more County (1948 Edition), title "County Treasurer", sub-title "Handling of Funds", providing for the signing of checks for the payment of County funds by the Comptroller of Baltimore County or his Deputy, rather than the auditor, and changing provisions of the law with regard to bank deposits.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 66 of Smiths Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore County (1948 Edition), title "County Treasurer", sub-title "Handling of Funds", be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

66. All money belonging to the county received by the Treasurer shall, promptly thereafter be deposited in such bank or banks as the County Commissioners may designate; but no money shall be drawn from the said bank or banks except by a check signed by the Treasurer, or in his absence by the Chief Clerk to said Treasurer, and countersigned by the Comptroller of Baltimore County or his Deputy, and endorsed by the person to whom it is paid; provided, however, that the signing of a check or checks by the said Chief Clerk shall not relieve the Treasurer or his bondsmen or sureties of his, its or their liability.

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 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 260

(Senate Bill 353)

AN ACT to add a new section to Smiths Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore County (1948 Edition), to be under a new sub-title to be known as "Comptroller", under the title "County Commissioners", said new section to be known as Section 58A, to follow immediately after Section 58, authorizing the County Commissioners