

for any year, whether a protest against said assessment was filed before the date of finality or not, in order to correct erroneous and improper assessments and to prevent injustice, provided that the reasons for such decrease or abatement shall be clearly set forth in such order.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1951.

Approved April 13, 1951.

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CHAPTER 327

(Senate Bill 375)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 198 of Article 5 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Calvert County," sub-title "North Beach," said section having been amended by Chapter 480 of the Acts of 1933, increasing the rate of compensation for the collection of taxes in the Town of North Beach.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 198 of Article 5 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Calvert County," sub-title "North Beach," said section having been amended by Chapter 480 of the Acts of 1933, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

198. The Council may annually levy a general tax for the expenses of the corporation upon the taxable property within the town limits, and the same shall be collected by the Treasurer, or by a collector especially appointed by the Council for that purpose, whose compensation for collecting said taxes shall not exceed [five (5) ] *seven and one-half (7½)* per cent. on the amount collected, and the said Treasurer, or collector, in collecting said taxes, shall have full power to distrain for the same in the same manner as the collectors of State and county taxes; provided that the tax so levied shall not, in any one year, exceed

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EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.