olis Metropolitan Sewerage Commission, then the Charter of said Commission and all powers heretofore conferred upon it shall be and are hereby repealed, and after the execution of any such contract all references to the Annapolis Metropolitan Sewerage Commission, whether in State laws, ordinances, deeds or other documents, shall be construed to mean the City. It is the intent and purpose of this section to transfer and confer upon the City all the rights and powers of the Annapolis Metropolitan Sewerage Commission, including the power to levy ad valorem taxes, in the event the City acquires the assets of said Commission as hereinabove authorized, so that should the City acquire the trunk line sewer system and the sewage disposal plant presently owned, maintained and operated by said Commission, the City shall have the authority, which is hereby expressly granted, to levy all taxes, assessments and charges which said Commission is now authorized and empowered by law to levy for the continued maintenance and operation of said system and for the liquidation of any indebtedness heretofore incurred by said Commission in the construction of said trunk line sewer system and said sewage disposal plant.

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to modify, affect or repeal any powers heretofore or hereafter conferred upon the State Board of Health of Maryland but, on the contrary, all powers hereby conferred on the City shall be exercised by the City subject to the supervision and control of said State Board of Health as heretofore provided by law.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, that this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 20, 1951.

CHAPTER 494

(House Bill 444)

AN ACT to add 13 new sections to Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Allegany County", said new sections to be known as Sections 39

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.