

169. *Approval.* A charter amendment shall become a part of this charter when approved by a majority of the voters voting thereon. Such amendment, when approved, shall have the force of law, subject to the Constitution and general laws of the State of Maryland.

ARTICLE XXI

LEGALITY

170. *Inconsistent Law.* All acts and parts of acts, general or local, inconsistent with the provisions of this charter, be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency. Nothing contained herein shall affect or restrict any control which the State Board of Health is empowered by law to exercise in any part of this state.

171. *Saving Clause.* The enumeration of particular powers in this charter shall not be held or deemed to be exclusive, and the city shall have such other powers as are incident to those specifically mentioned or as are a necessary consequence of the powers herein conferred. In addition to the powers enumerated in this charter, the city shall have all powers, rights, and privileges now or hereafter granted by the Constitution and laws of the State of Maryland.

172. *Separability Clause.* If any section or part of section of this charter shall be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect the remainder of this charter nor the context in which such section or part of section so held invalid shall appear, except to the extent that an entire section or part of section may be inseparably connected in meaning and effect with the section or part of section to which such holding shall directly apply.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That Section 1 of this Act shall not become effective until it has been submitted for adoption or rejection to the qualified voters of the City of Salisbury. At a [the] *Special* [General] Election to be held in the City of Salisbury [.] on the twenty-first day of September, 1951, there shall be submitted to the regular and qualified voters of said City, the question whether the charter revision provided by Section 1 hereof shall be adopted. The proper authorities shall cause to be printed on the ballots to be used at said election the title to this Act, and underneath said title on separate lines a square or box to the right of and opposite the words