

(1939 Edition), title "State Roads," requiring that a permit be obtained before openings and entrances are made in or into any State highway.

AN ACT TO ADD A NEW SECTION TO ARTICLE 89B OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND (1939 EDITION), TITLE "STATE ROADS", SAID NEW SECTION TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 21A AND TO FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY AFTER SECTION 21 OF SAID ARTICLE, REQUIRING THAT A PERMIT BE OBTAINED BEFORE ENTRANCES ARE MADE IN OR INTO ANY STATE HIGHWAY, IN CERTAIN CASES.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 21 of Article 89B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "State Roads", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:*

SECTION 1. *BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, THAT A NEW SECTION BE AND IT IS HEREBY ADDED TO ARTICLE 89B OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND (1939 EDITION), TITLE "STATE ROADS", SAID NEW SECTION TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 21A, TO FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY AFTER SECTION 21 OF SAID ARTICLE AND TO READ AS FOLLOWS:*

21. *[No opening shall be made in any such highway,] No opening or entrance shall be made in or into any such highway, nor shall any structure be placed thereon, nor shall any structure which has been placed thereon be changed or renewed except in accordance with a permit from the commission, which shall exercise complete control over such highways, except as herein otherwise provided. No State highway shall be dug up for laying or placing pipes, sewers, poles or wires or railways, or for other purposes, and no trees shall be planted or removed or obstructions placed thereon without the written permit of the State Roads Commission, or its duly authorized agent, and then only in accordance with the regulations of said commission; and the work shall be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of said commission; and the entire expense of replacing the highway in as good condition as before shall be paid by the person to whom the permit was given or by whom the work was done, provided, however, that any municipal corporation not now by law required to obtain a permit as herein provided shall*