

subject to the provisions of the Budget. The State Auditor, the Deputy State Auditor and the Assistant State Auditors, under the supervision and direction of the Comptroller, shall have and exercise all the rights, powers, duties, obligations and functions conferred upon them by law.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 64A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), said new section to be known as Section 3D and to follow immediately after Section 3C of said Article and to read as follows:

3D. Those Assistant State Auditors who were employed in the State Auditor's Office as of November 1, 1950, and who had had at least one year's service in such positions immediately prior to such date shall be included in the Classified Service of the State as of the effective date of this Act. They shall be continued in said positions without examination and thereafter shall hold their positions in the Classified Service in accordance with the provisions of this Article.

~~Sec. 3. *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.~~

SEC. 3. *AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED*, THAT THIS ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT JUNE 1, 1951.

Approved April 30, 1951.

CHAPTER 628

(Senate Bill 489)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 3 and 7 of Chapter 698 of the Acts of 1949; to re-number Sections 4, 5, 6, 8 and 8A of said Chapter 698 as said Sections 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 thereof;

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.