

AND CONTROL OF PERSONAL PROPERTY FOR USE IN SAID SYSTEM.

45. (a) The county board of education shall divide the county into appropriate school districts, shall keep full records of the boundaries thereof, and shall locate and maintain schools, as needed, within each district.

(b) They are authorized and empowered with the approval of the state superintendent of schools, to purchase grounds, school sites or buildings, or to sell the same; to rent, repair, improve and construct school buildings, or approve contracts for so doing, when the plans conform to the rules and regulation of the state board of education, and are approved by the state superintendent of schools, as provided for in Section 30 of this Article. *Nothing in this sub-section shall apply to or be effective in Baltimore County.*

(c) They shall employ an architect or architects on the recommendation of the county superintendent of schools to assist in the preparation of plans and specifications for remodeling old buildings and for constructing new buildings.

(d) Except in Allegany County, they may sell, with the approval of the state superintendent of schools, school grounds, school sites and school buildings when no longer needed for educational purposes. In Allegany County, the title to such grounds, sites and buildings no longer needed for school purposes shall vest in the County Commissioners and may be sold, leased, or otherwise disposed of (except by gift) by said County Commissioners.

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

Approved March 8, 1951.

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CHAPTER 35

(House Bill 112)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 198, 199 (j), 201, 202, 203 and 204 of Article 24 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title

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.