

ized to be acquired by this Act shall be conveyed to the United States until the State Roads Commission is assured that the parkway, including a traffic-way for passenger vehicles, will be built on lands so conveyed. Upon the acquisition of said properties, interests, easements, or rights-of-way, the State Roads Commission is authorized to convey, from time to time, the right, title and interest therein held by the State Roads Commission for the use of the State of Maryland to the United States.

The State of Maryland or any Department, Commission, or Agency thereof, with the approval of the Board of Public Works, and any County, Municipal Corporation, or other political sub-division thereof is hereby authorized to transfer direct to the United States, without cost, any land, interest in land, rights-of-way over land, scenic or other easements, which are necessary to be acquired as additions to the parkway lands along the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal; and it or they are further authorized to accept such land or interest in land in excess to that which is necessary as additions to the parkway lands along the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal when proffered by the Secretary of the Interior.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT THE STATE ROADS COMMISSION SHALL NOT PURCHASE WITH ANY FUNDS NOW OR HEREAFTER PROVIDED FOR SUCH PURPOSE, ANY LANDS, RIGHTS, TITLE OR INTEREST IN LANDS, RIGHTS-OF-WAYS, SCENIC OR OTHER EASEMENTS IN LANDS OR ANY ADDITION TO OR EXTENSION OF SAID PARKWAY OTHER THAN FOR AN ADDITION OR EXTENSION BETWEEN THE TOWN OF HANCOCK AND THE CITY OF CUMBERLAND, BOTH IN MARYLAND, UNLESS SO AUTHORIZED BY A SUBSEQUENT ENACTMENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND; THERE SHALL BE AN INTERSECTION OF THE SAID PARKWAY, WITH U. S. ROUTE NO. 40 EITHER IN OR WESTERLY FROM THE TOWN OF HANCOCK; AND THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT SHALL NOT BE DEEMED TO BE REPEALED OR MODIFIED BY ANY SUCH SUBSEQUENT ENACTMENT UNLESS SPECIFICALLY REFERRED TO THEREIN.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, THAT THE STATE ROADS COMMISSION SHALL NOT PROCEED WITH OR ATTEMPT TO EXERCISE ANY OF THE POWERS CONTAINED IN THIS ACT UNLESS AND UNTIL THE