CHAP. 237. said original act named, that the sum of five thousand dollars, or one-twelfth of the nett proceeds authorised to be raised by the act to which this is a supplement, shall be paid by the lottery commissioners of this State, to John Smith, David Foutz, and John Roberts, of Carroll county, to be by them applied in aid of the completion of the Westminster and Hagerstown Turnpike Road, from its present terminus to Uniontown-Therefore,

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Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly to receive sub- of Maryland, That the commissioners named in the first section of the act of eighteen hundred and fortysix, chapter two hundred and forty-two, and their successors, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered to receive subscriptions of stock to aid in the completion of the road authorised by the act to which this is a supplement, and for that purpose, that the said commissioners in the said original act named, or their successors, shall be, and they are hereby authorised to open books of subscription at Westminster, or elsewhere, for a capital stock of ten thousand dollars, in shares of fifty dollars each, and the said commissioners, or their successors, shall, on or before the first day of May next, procure a book or books, and enter therein as follows, namely: we whose names are hereunto subscribed, do promise to pay to the commissioners named in the first section of the act of eighteen hundred and forty-six, chapter two hundred and forty-two, or to their successors, the sum of fifty dollars for every share of stock set opposite to our respective names, and that the said commissioners shall give notice, in one or more newspapers published in Frederick and Carroll counties, for one month, at least, of the times when, and the place where, the said books will be open to receive the subscriptions of stock authorised by this act, at which time and place at least two of the said commissioners shall attend, and shall permit and suffer all persons who shall offer to subscribe not exceeding five shares of fifty dollars each, in person or by attorney duly authorised, in said books, which books shall be kept open for the purpose of receiving such subscriptions, at least four hours every day, for the space of two days, or until the full sum of ten thousand dollars shall be subscribed, and if at the expiration of the said two days, the said required amount shall not be subscribed, the said commissioners shall open the books on the following day, when it shall be the duty of the said commissioners to receive subscriptions from any person or persons,