

answered, and of enlarging their stock by new subscriptions, if the same shall be necessary. CHAP. 550.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted,* That the sums so subscribed shall be paid to the president and directors, in such sums and at such times as they may appoint, giving two months public notice of the payment so required. Instalments—how paid in

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted,* That the president and directors be and they are hereby authorised to appoint five commissioners, who, or a majority of whom agreeing, shall lay out the road from the end of the Bel-Air and Harford Turnpike, on as straight a line as the nature of the country will admit, having regard to hills and other obstructions, and after having laid out and marked said road, they shall make a plot of the same, specifying the courses and distances, and return the same to the clerk of Harford county court, to be recorded, and said commissioners shall take an oath or affirmation to execute the duties assigned them, truly and faithfully, without favor or affection to any of the parties interested therein. Commissioners to lay out road

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted,* That the said company shall open said road according to the location of the commissioners aforesaid, at least forty feet wide, of which at least sixteen feet shall be composed of broken stone, gravel, or other hard substance, and erect and keep up bridges over the streams crossing the same, and whenever — miles of said road shall be perfected, said company shall be entitled to receive tolls; *provided,* that no toll shall be taken from any person passing from one part of his farm to another, or to or from any place of public worship, or funeral, on days appointed for that purpose, or from militia men, on days of training, or from voters, on days of election, attending the polls, going or returning from the same. To receive toll

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted,* That said company shall be and are hereby clothed and invested with all the privileges, rights, immunities and advantages which are held and possessed by the turnpike company incorporated by an act passed at November session, eighteen hundred and twelve, entitled, an act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the District of Columbia to the city of Baltimore, to be governed by the same regulations as are therein prescribed, and be entitled to the same tolls, and every clause and provision of said act, relative to the road therein proposed to be made, shall be in force as to the road herein contemplated, as far as the same are applicable, and not inconsistent with this act. Proviso

Act of 1812, extended to this company