

(l) *To acquire in its own name by condemnation in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the existing laws of this State applicable to the condemnation of property for public use, real property or rights or easements therein or franchises and licenses convenient for its corporate purposes provided, however, that the Authority shall be under no obligation to accept and pay for any property condemned under the provisions of this Act except from the funds provided under the authority of this Act. In any proceeding to condemn property under the terms of this Act, the court having jurisdiction may enter such orders as may be just to the Authority and to the owner of the property to be condemned;*

(m) *To pledge, hypothecate, or otherwise encumber all or any of the revenues or receipts of the Authority as security for all or any of the obligations of the Authority;*

(n) *To do all acts and things necessary or convenient to carry out the powers granted to it by this Act or any other Acts;*

(o) *To enter into agreements with the State Roads Commission of Maryland or any other public body providing for the construction or reconstruction of highways and bridges by the Authority if such agreements are necessary, and to enter into any and all agreements which may be necessary for the acquisition or construction of toll bridges by the Authority, under such terms and conditions as may be desirable;*

(p) *To acquire, by assignment from the State or the County, contracts which are not completed and which involve constructing, improving, equipping, furnishing, maintaining, and operating the structures, facilities or undertakings similar to those designated herein as projects;*

(q) *To convey to the County, all of its right, title and interest in and to any project or projects if the revenue bonds or revenue refunding bonds issued pursuant to the terms of this Act for the purpose of providing the funds for the cost of such project or projects shall have been paid and retired which conveyances, under such circumstances as provided herein, must in all cases be made by the Authority to the County, provided, however, that the Authority may, subject to the approval of the County Commissioners of Baltimore County expressed by resolution passed before any of such bonds are issued, provide by the resolution authorizing the original issue of such revenue bonds or revenue refunding bonds that the said project or projects shall be and remain an asset of the Authority for the purpose of providing additional revenue as security for other revenue bonds which may thereafter be issued;*

*Except as otherwise provided by law, when projects are to be constructed or improved by the Authority for the use of the County, or any department thereof, no plans or specifications therefor shall be presented for quotations or bids until such plans and specifications shall have been submitted to and approved by the Department of Public Works of Baltimore County.*

**(R) IT IS SPECIFICALLY DECLARED THAT THE POWERS OF THE AUTHORITY SHALL NOT EXTEND TO EITHER THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM**