

visor shall be three (3) years, except that the supervisors who are first appointed shall be designated to serve for terms of 1 and 2 years, respectively, from the date of their appointment. A supervisor shall hold office until his successor has been elected or appointed and has qualified. Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term *by appointments made by the State Committee. In the case of an appointment to fill the unexpired term of an elected supervisor, however, the first full term for this position must be filled by election at the next regularly scheduled election in the district.* The selection of successors [to fill an unexpired term, or] for a full term [.] shall be made in the same manner in which the retiring supervisors shall, respectively, have been selected. A majority of the supervisors shall constitute a quorum and the concurrence of a majority in any matter within their duties shall be required for its determination. A supervisor may receive his travel expenses and a subsistence expense allowance of Six Dollars (\$6.00) for each day spent in the performance of his duties. Said allowance may be paid from Federal, State or district funds.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1955.

Approved March 29, 1955.

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## CHAPTER 146

(House Bill 177)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 653 (c) of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition) title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Oysters and Clams", relating to the exemption of duly ordained ministers of the Gospel from the residency provisions of said section.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 653 (c) of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Oysters and Clams", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

653 (c). How to Apply for a License. Every applicant for a tonging license shall be required to appear before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county wherein he may reside, and make oath or affirmation that the facts which he shall set forth are strictly true; that he has been a bona fide resident of the county for twelve months next preceding his application for said license; that he desires and intends to use said license in the county in which he resides or in the waters used in common by his own and other counties; and that he will comply with and obey all laws of this State regulating the taking

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.