

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE A DAM OR RESERVOIR ON BUCKS BRANCH OR ELBOW BRANCH, WHICH ARE TRIBUTARIES OF DEER CREEK.

(4) THE POWERS OF CONDEMNATION GRANTED UNDER THIS ACT SHALL NOT BE EXERCISED TO TAKE ANY EXISTING PUBLIC GRAVEYARD IN HARFORD COUNTY. THE STRIP OF LAND ACQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE LINE OR LINES FROM THE PUMPING STATION SHALL NOT EXCEED SIXTY (60) FEET IN WIDTH, TOGETHER WITH AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-FIVE (25) FEET ON EACH SIDE OF SAID STRIP AS A TEMPORARY EASEMENT DURING THE PERIOD OF CONSTRUCTION.

(5) NOTHING HEREIN SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO IMPAIR OR LIMIT THE RIGHT OF ANY MUNICIPALITY IN HARFORD COUNTY TO TAKE WATER FROM THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER BY INDEPENDENT MEANS UNDER PROPER LEGAL AUTHORITY.

(6) THAT IN THE EVENT IT CAN BE SCIENTIFICALLY DEMONSTRATED THAT THE TAKING OF WATER FROM THE POOL BY THE CITY OF BALTIMORE WOULD SUBSTANTIALLY INCREASE THE SALINITY OF THE WATER AT THE HAVRE DE GRACE INTAKE TO THE POINT WHERE THE WATER WOULD BE UNPALATABLE, THEN THE CITY WOULD CEASE TAKING THE WATER DURING THAT PERIOD.

(7) THAT THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE AND ITS REPRESENTATIVES SHALL CONSULT WITH THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HARFORD COUNTY, AND THE HARFORD COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION, AS TO THE ROUTE OR ROUTES TO BE FOLLOWED BY THE WATER PIPE LINE ACROSS HARFORD COUNTY, AND THE LOCATION OF OTHER APPURTENANT FACILITIES IN HARFORD COUNTY IN CONNECTION WITH THE WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM.

(8) THE ROUTE OF THE LINE OR LINES TO BE CONSTRUCTED SHALL FOLLOW GENERALLY THOSE DESCRIBED AS ROUTE NO. 1 AND NO. 2 IN A REPORT TO THE CITY OF BALTIMORE ON FUTURE SOURCES OF WATER SUPPLY AND APPURTENANT PROBLEMS BY THE BOARD OF ADVISORY ENGINEERS ON FUTURE WATER SUPPLY DATED DECEMBER 15, 1953.

SEC. 10. *And be it further enacted*, That insofar as any provision or provisions of this Act are contrary to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of any other law, the provisions of this Act shall be controlling.

SEC. 11. *And be it further enacted*, That in case it be judicially determined that any word, phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section in this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is invalid, the remaining provisions and the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.