

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1957.

Approved April 10, 1957.

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CHAPTER 610

(House Bill 516)

AN ACT to provide for the definite establishment of the boundary line between Montgomery and Prince George's Counties.

WHEREAS, By Chapter 474 of the Laws of Maryland 1953, the County Council of Montgomery County and the County Commissioners of Prince George's County were directed to procure the services of an engineer or a surveyor to locate on the ground the boundary line between Montgomery and Prince George's Counties as said line was established by Resolution of the ~~Constitutional~~ CONSTITUTIONAL Convention of 1776, and

WHEREAS, The time limited in the said Act for the completion of the aforementioned line has expired without the said line having been established, due to the fact that no Resolution definitely establishing said line could be discovered; now, therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the County Council of Montgomery County and the County Commissioners of Prince George's County be and they are hereby directed to procure the services of the county surveyors OR OTHER QUALIFIED SURVEYORS of their respective counties to work together, using all the records which can be discovered pertaining to the said line, to survey and definitely locate on the ground to the best of their ability the boundary line between Montgomery and Prince George's Counties.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That said surveyors, as soon as they have surveyed and established the division line, as aforesaid, shall permanently mark said line on the ground at its terminal points, and along said line by planting thereon, and along the same, suitable permanent monuments properly marked to designate said division line so placed as to be not more than one-half mile apart along the whole of said line.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That said surveyors shall be directed to make a report which shall be submitted to the next session of the General Assembly giving explanation of the establishment of the said boundary line, along with a plat showing the said line as established, for the purpose of affording to the General Assembly the opportunity to confirm the line as established and make it ~~prima~~ ~~facie~~ CONCLUSIVE evidence of the true boundary line between the counties.

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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.