

## CHAPTER 140

(Senate Bill 148)

AN ACT to repeal Section 5(b) of Article 38 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Fines and Forfeitures", and enact in lieu thereof new Section 5(b) relating to the support and maintenance of the Court Library by fixing the amount to be paid from fines levied collectively by the trial magistrates of Harford County at One Thousand Dollars.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 5(b) of Article 38 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Fines and Forfeitures", be repealed and a new Section 5(b) be enacted in lieu thereof, and to read as follows:

5(b) **[**In Harford County, if in any year the said payment to the Court Library of one-half the fines imposed and recognizances forfeited is less than Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), the County Commissioners thereof shall pay to the Clerk of the Court, for the use of said Library, whatever amount may be necessary to bring to Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) in the aggregate the total amount to be paid to said Library during that year under the workings of this section. Any extra sum so paid by the County Commissioners of Harford County for the use of said Library shall be taken from the funds received by them representing fines levied and collected by Trial Magistrates in said County.**]**

*In Harford County, in addition to the sums provided in the foregoing subsection (a) the County Commissioners shall appropriate and pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the support and maintenance of the Court Library, and said sum shall be taken from the funds received from fines and costs levied and collected by the trial magistrates in said county. This sum shall be expended under the direction of the Judge of the Circuit Court for Harford County.*

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

Approved March 11, 1957.

## CHAPTER 141

(Senate Bill 157)

AN ACT to legalize a new edition of the Code of Public Local Laws of Harford County, being Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, published under the direction of the Board of County Commissioners of Harford County and edited by Carl N. Everstine, and making provisions for the publication, sale and distribution thereof.

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.