

roads and public landings in said county ~~], and the building or purchasing of joint public bridges].~~

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

Approved March 21, 1957.

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CHAPTER 316

(Senate Bill 126)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 726A of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Sentence", ~~to include the counties of the fourth judicial circuit, being Allegany, Garrett and Washington counties, AND THE COUNTIES OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BEING CALVERT, CHARLES, PRINCE GEORGE'S AND ST. MARY'S COUNTIES, under the provision allowing said courts to suspend sentence or grant probation under certain circumstances.~~ MAKING THE PROVISIONS OF SAID SECTION ALLOWING COURTS TO SUSPEND SENTENCE OR GRANT PROBATION UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES STATE-WIDE IN APPLICATION AS TO THE CIRCUIT COURTS IN THE SEVERAL COUNTIES AND THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 726A of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Sentence", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

~~726A. Suspension of sentence, probation, etc., in second, FOURTH AND SEVENTH judicial circuit. CIRCUITS.~~

*The circuit courts for Cecil, Kent, Queen Anne's, Caroline and Talbot counties, comprising the second judicial circuit of Maryland [;] and the circuit courts for Allegany, Garrett and Washington counties comprising the fourth judicial circuit of Maryland, AND THE CIRCUIT COURTS FOR CALVERT, CHARLES, PRINCE GEORGE'S AND ST. MARY'S COUNTIES COMPRISING THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND, before convic-*

726A. SUSPENSION OF SENTENCE, PROBATION, ETC.

THE CIRCUIT COURTS OF THE SEVERAL COUNTIES IN THIS STATE AND THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY, BEFORE CONVIC- tion of any person accused of crime with the written consent of the person so accused, including persons

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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.