

CHAPTER 64

(House Bill 101)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 10 of Article 13 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes", extending the provisions of the Saturday closing law for banking institutions to Somerset County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 10 of Article 13 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

10. Banks may close on Saturdays; Saturdays as legal holidays; Queen Anne's ~~and Somerset Counties~~ COUNTY excepted.

It shall be lawful for any banking institution as defined in Article 11 of the Annotated Code of Maryland to remain closed on any one or more or all Saturdays, as it may by resolution of its board of directors determine, from time to time. Any Saturday on which any banking institution shall remain closed in accordance with the provisions of this section shall, as to such banking institution, constitute a legal holiday within the meaning of such term as used in for all purposes of Section 9 of this Article. Interest on any bill of exchange, draft or promissory note presentable for payment on any Saturday on which such banking institution shall remain closed in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be computed down to and including any such Saturday only, provided such bill of exchange, draft or promissory note is presented on the next succeeding secular day.

The provisions of this section shall not apply to Queen Anne's ~~[and Somerset counties]~~ County.

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

Approved February 13, 1957.

CHAPTER 65

(House Bill 118)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section (d) of Section 2 of Sub-title I of Article 78 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1956 Supplement), title "Public Service Commission"; sub-title "Scope of Article and Definitions", so as to include within the definition of "Common Carrier", subject to regulation by the

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.