legalized and made evidence of the Public General Laws enacted following 1957 and up to and including the 1960 Regular Session of the General Assembly of Maryland. It shall be deemed and taken as such in all of the Courts of this State and by all Justices of the Peace, Trial Magistrates, and all other public officials of the State and of its political sub-divisions.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1960.

Approved March 1, 1960.

CHAPTER 7

(Senate Bill 30)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 318 of Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1959 Supplement), title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments", sub-title "Maryland Tax Court and State Department of Assessments and Taxation", correcting an error in the law relating to the jurisdiction of the Maryland Tax Court.

WHEREAS, in Chapter 757 of the Acts of 1959, in the law relating to the jurisdiction of the Maryland Tax Court, there is a reference to "any final assessing of taxing authority", and

Whereas, this reference clearly was intended to mean "any final assessing or taxing authority" and should be changed for clarity; now, therefore

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 318 of Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1959 Supplement), title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments", sub-title "Maryland Tax Court and State Department of Assessments and Taxation", be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted with amendments to read as follows:

318. Separate department of State government; subdivisions.

The Maryland Tax Court and State Department of Assessments and Taxation, constituted and organized as provided by law, shall be a separate department of the State government, and consist of the following subdivisions, which shall be independent of each other:

(1) Maryland Tax Court.—On and after July 1, 1959, the Maryland Tax Court shall have jurisdiction to hear appeals from the decision, determination, or order of any final assessing [of] or taxing authority of the State, or of any agency, department, or political subdivision thereof, with respect to the valuation, assessment, or

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.