

clude a fair summary of the provisions in the charter which differ from those in Article 23B.

27. Registration of charter.

At the time of making public proclamation as to the vote on the question of incorporation, under the proposed charter, the board of county commissioners or county council shall send separately by registered mail to the Secretary of State of Maryland and to the Department of Legislative Reference the following information concerning the charter adopted by the municipal corporation: (1) The complete text thereof, (2) the date of the referendum election, (3) the number of votes cast for and against the question of incorporation, under the charter, and (4) the effective date of the charter. Provided, however, that the text of the charter need not be so submitted to the Secretary of State and the Department of Legislative Reference if the municipal corporation is to be governed under and according to the municipal charter contained in Article 23B of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Municipal Corporation Charter". In such latter event the fact shall be stated to the Secretary of State and the Department of Legislative Reference. *Or, if the provisions of said Article 23B have been substantially adopted as the municipal charter, that fact shall be stated to the Secretary of State and to the Department of Legislative Reference, together with the complete text of the provisions in the charter which differ from those in Article 23B.*

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

Approved March 23, 1960.

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CHAPTER 79

(House Bill 167)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 5(G) and Section 5(I) of Chapter 804 of the Acts of 1959, this Act having been the so-called State Bond Construction Bill and being amended in order to make changes in the use of monies therein appropriated for the Department of Mental Hygiene and for the Department of Correction; and amending Section 8 of said Chapter 804 of the Acts of 1959 to the extent necessary to renew the provisions of said Section 8 for a period of two years from the effective date of this Act with respect to the changes herein made for the Department of Mental Hygiene and the Department of Correction.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 5(G) and Section 5(I) of Chapter 804 of the Acts of 1959 be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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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.