

~~SECS. 2. And be it further enacted, That Section 9 of Article 32A of said Code, title "Department of Law", sub-title "In General", and Sections 155, 160, 164, 167 and 170 of Article 41 of said Code, title "Governor—Executive and Administrative Departments", sub-title "State Librarian", and Section 2 of Article 70 of said Code, title "Official Oaths", be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:~~

SEC. 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT SECTION 9 OF ARTICLE 32A OF SAID CODE, TITLE "DEPARTMENT OF LAW", SUB-TITLE "IN GENERAL", BE AND IT IS HEREBY REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED, WITH AMENDMENTS, TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

9.

The State [Librarian] *Library* is authorized and directed to furnish the Department of Law, upon the request of the Attorney General, one or more sets of the Maryland Reports, and copies of the additional reports as issued, one or more sets of the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, and copies of the additional acts as issued, and sets of the several codes containing the public general and local laws of Maryland, and supplements thereto as issued, and also from time to time such other law books, or sets thereof, now or hereafter in the State Library, as the Attorney General may desire for his Department, and as, in the judgment of the State [Librarian] *Library*, are available for that purpose; the title to all of said books to remain in the State of Maryland.

SEC. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT SECTIONS 155, 160, 164, 167, AND 170 OF ARTICLE 41 OF SAID CODE, TITLE "GOVERNOR—EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS", SUB-TITLE "STATE LIBRARIAN", BE AND THEY ARE HEREBY REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED, WITH AMENDMENTS, TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

155.

The State [Librarian] *Library* shall be assigned to the Executive Department. The [State Librarian] *Director* shall have and exercise the rights, powers, duties, obligations and functions now or hereafter conferred by law; and, in addition, shall report in writing [annually to the Governor, on or before the first day of January,] *to the Library Committee as often as may be required by the Committee*, upon the work and operations of said office [during the preceding year]. The library committee of the Court of Appeals shall continue as now provided for by Sections 166 to 170, inclusive of this Article.

160.

The [Librarian] *Director of the Library* shall not allow any book, map or document to be taken out of said Library except by the executive, members of the General Assembly and judges of the Court of Appeals.

164.

The [Librarian] *State Library* shall deliver to each public circulating library or library association which may make application