

by due process of law; *provided, however, that this section shall not apply in Montgomery County.*

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1959.

Approved April 3, 1959.

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CHAPTER 272

(Senate Bill 148)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 44 of Article 7 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), as amended by Chapter 161 of the Acts of 1953, title "Carroll County", sub-title "County Commissioners", authorizing the County Commissioners of Carroll County to convey certain property and buildings to the Carroll County General Hospital, Incorporated, for medical and hospital purposes.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 44 of Article 7 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), as amended by Chapter 161 of the Acts of 1953, title "Carroll County", sub-title "County Commissioners", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

44. The County Commissioners of Carroll County are hereby authorized and directed to accept, in fee simple, title to such Carroll County War Memorial Medical Center as the Carroll County War Memorial Committee may erect in said County; *provided, however,* that such War Memorial Medical Center shall not be accepted by said County Commissioners until the same shall have been fully and completely constructed, equipped and entirely paid for; and the said County Commissioners of Carroll County are further authorized to levy annually, on the assessable property of said County such sum as they may deem necessary for public health purposes, including the cost of maintenance and operation of the aforesaid Carroll County War Memorial Medical Center.

*The County Commissioners of Carroll County are hereby authorized and empowered to lease, dedicate, or convey, with or without consideration, the land and buildings known as the Carroll County War Memorial Medical Center to the Carroll County General Hospital, Incorporated, its successors and assigns, for use as a hospital and for medical purposes only; said property to revert to the grantor, the County Commissioners, upon the cessation of the use of said property for hospital and medical purposes.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1959.

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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.