

Laws of Maryland), title "Frederick County", to follow immediately after Section 10-1 thereof and to be under the new sub-title "Chapter 10A. Pensions and Retirement", to read as follows:

Chapter 10A—Pensions and Retirement

10A-1.

The County Commissioners of Frederick County may in their discretion investigate the matter of providing retirement pensions for county employees and officers whose compensation is paid by the county commissioners and for whom pensions are not otherwise provided, and may, in their discretion, establish and maintain a general county retirement or pension system for such employees and officers. For these purposes the County Commissioners may: (a) Employ such persons as they deem necessary, under their direction, to investigate the matter of providing such pensions, and to prepare, establish, maintain and administer a system which will operate on a sound actuarial basis; (b) prescribe classifications and conditions of admission or exclusion from any system adopted, and provide for a general system of allowances, benefits and payments to the members of such system, or in the case of their death, to the dependents, and prescribe all rules and regulations necessary or advisable for the operation of such system; (c) levy such taxes and appropriate and expend such sums as may be necessary to pay for all salaries, expenses, contributions and charges arising out of the exercise of the powers herein conferred.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.*

Approved March 23, 1962.

CHAPTER 10

(House Bill 6)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 2 of Chapter 207 of the Laws of Maryland of 1961, which Act authorized the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow \$2,150,000.00 and to use the same to establish, construct and equip an incinerator or reduction plant, authorizing said municipality or the Commissioners of Finance thereof to determine the rate or rates of interest to be paid in connection with such borrowed money and the form or forms of certificates of indebtedness to be issued representing such debt, and clarifying certain language used in said section; to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 2 of Chapter 208 of the Laws of Maryland of 1961, which Act authorized the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow \$18,500,000.00 and to use the