principal which will be payable to the close of the next ensuing calendar year on all Certificates theretofore issued or theretofore authorized by resolution of the Board of Public Works to be issued, and the governing bodies of each of the Counties and Baltimore City shall forthwith levy and collect such a tax at such a rate.

All matters committed by this Act to the discretion of the Board of Public Works shall be determined by a majority of said Board.

SEC. 8. And be it further enacted, That if any funds provided by this Act shall not have been contracted for within five years from the effective date of this Act, then such funds shall be deemed to have been abandoned. If the total loan authorized herein shall have been issued within five years from the effective date of this Act, then the amount specified herein for said abandoned funds shall be transferred to the Annuity Bond Fund and shall be applied to the debt service requirements of the State. If, however, the total loan authorized herein shall not have been issued within five years from the effective date of this Act, then the total issuable Certificates of Indebtedness authorized herein shall be reduced by the amount specified herein for said abandoned funds.

SEC. 9. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1961.

Approved May 3, 1961.

CHAPTER 644

(Senate Bill 391)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 645 to 673, inclusive, of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, as amended), title "Health", sub-title "Sanitary Districts", said Sections having been enacted by Chapter 782 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1957 and amended by Chapters 21, 294, 723 and 791 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1959; to add a new sub-section 645 (e), to follow immediately after sub-section 645 (d) and to renumber existing subsections 645 (e) to 645 (k), inclusive, accordingly; to add a new sub-section 649 (e), to follow immediately after sub-section 649 (d); to add a new sub-section 650 (b) (16), to follow immediately after subsection 650 (b) (15); to divide Section 652 into sub-sections 652 (a), (b), (c) and to add a new sub-section 652 (d) thereto; to add a new sub-section 654 (d), to follow immediately after subsection 654 (c); to add a new sub-section 671 (d), to follow immediately after sub-section 671 (c); clarifying and defining further the provisions of said sub-title; removing all references to drainage systems in said sub-title except where such drainage is incident to water or sewerage systems; authorizing and directing a county or counties to advance funds, in addition to other advances authorized by said sub-title, to a District for necessary operating and overhead expenses of such District and the Commission of such District; defining the term "sanitary district" as distinguished from the term "District" and clarifying the requirements for, and effects of, the incorporation of Districts; authoriz-