the exemption of the shares of stock of Small Business Investment Companies from ordinary taxes for the period January 1, 1959 through December 31, 1963, and providing generally for the abatement of assessments and refund of taxes paid by such companies on said shares.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new Section 9(50) be and it is hereby added to Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1960 Supplement), title "Revenue and Taxes", sub-title "What Shall be Taxed and Where", to follow immediately after Section 9(49) thereof, and to read as follows:

9(50). All shares of stock in any corporation licensed under the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, as amended (15 USCA 661 et seq., as amended), for the period January 1, 1959 through December 31, 1963. Any assessments made prior to June 1, 1961, upon the shares of stock of any such licensed corporation are hereby abated and any taxes paid prior to June 1, 1961, upon such assessments shall be refunded upon application by the taxpayer.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1961.

Approved May 3, 1961.

## CHAPTER 832

## (House Bill 542)

AN ACT to add new Sections 315 to 321G 321-I, inclusive, to Article 18 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Queen Anne's County", to follow immediately after Section 314 thereof and to be under the new sub-title "Plumbing and Health", Sections 315 and 316 having been repealed by Chapter 855 of the Acts of 1943, and Sections 317 to 321, inclusive, having been repealed by Chapter 929 of the Acts of 1945, requiring the obtention of a "Sanitary Construction Permit", and "Building Permit", before beginning construction of any new building or any major addition or alteration to existing building, establishing procedure for obtaining such permit and fees for same, creating a Plumbing Inspector and a County Plumbing Board, and providing for licensing of plumbers in Queen Anne's County, and requiring permits for appliance installations and certain maintenance work in the county.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That new Sections 315 to 321G 321-I, inclusive, be and they are hereby added to Article 18 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Queen Anne's County", to follow immediately after Section 314 thereof and to be under the new sub-title "Plumbing and Health", Sections 315 and 316 having been repealed by Chapter 855 of the Acts of 1943, and Sections 317 to 321, inclusive, having been repealed by Chapter 929 of the Acts of 1945, and all to read as follows: