

CHAPTER 518

(House Bill 455)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 92 (d) and 92 (e) of the Code of Public Local Laws of Allegany County (1955 Edition, being Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Allegany County", sub-title "County Tax Collectors", as enacted by Laws of Maryland 1957, Chapter 833, authorizing the County Commissioners of Allegany County, in their discretion, to obtain a blanket bond for the clerical assistants of the Allegany County Tax Collection Office conditioned upon their faithful execution of their duties AND CLARIFYING CERTAIN LANGUAGE THEREIN.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sections 92 (d) and 92 (e) of the Code of Public Local Laws of Allegany County (1955 Edition, being Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Allegany County", sub-title "County Tax Collectors", as enacted by Laws of Maryland 1957, Chapter 833, be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(d) The premium on Tax Collector's bonds given with corporate surety shall be paid by the County Commissioners for the collection of County taxes, and by the State of Maryland for the collection of State taxes. The said bonds shall be executed, approved and recorded in accordance with the provisions of Sections [51 and] 52 and 53 of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland ([1951] 1957 Edition).

(e) For the purpose of facilitating the collection of County and State taxes in Allegany County, the County Commissioners of Allegany County, on or before the 1st Tuesday in April of 1959, shall establish for the use of the Tax Collector, a central tax collection office to be located in the Court House ~~Building, Cumberland~~, which said office shall be equipped and maintained at the expense of the County Commissioners of Allegany County. The County Commissioners shall be responsible for all of the expenses of said tax office, including the printing and mailing of bills, and the purchase or rental of equipment, and the said Tax Collector shall not be required to bear any expense incident to the operation of said office. The County Commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint such clerical personnel for said central tax office as may in their discretion seem necessary, and to provide for the payment of the salaries of said additional employees.

Any clerical assistants appointed in the Tax Collection Office shall be under the supervision and direction of the Tax Collector, ~~and shall furnish such bond as may be required by the County Commissioners,~~ and in the absence of the Tax Collector shall perform all of the duties

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.