

said justices of the peace may make such orders and impose such terms as to costs, recognizance for appearance, or matters relating to the residence or conduct of the convicts as may be deemed proper; and if the convict is a minor, said justices of the peace may also make such orders as to his detention in any care or custody as may be deemed proper.

In all cases where sentence or costs or both sentence and costs have been suspended by said justices of the peace, the defendant shall have the right to appeal in the same manner as if sentence or judgment [has] had not been suspended.

§ 18. Same—payment of fines and costs in installments.

Any provision of law to the contrary notwithstanding, in any case where a justice of the peace in and for [Baltimore City (except traffic court magistrates), and] Prince George's and Charles counties has sentenced a person to pay a fine or costs or both fine and costs, said justice of the peace shall have power, in his discretion, to order that said person pay said fine and/or costs in installments of such amounts and at such times and upon such conditions as said justice of the peace may fix. Said justices of the peace may at any time revise, modify, reduce or enlarge the amount of said installments or the time and conditions fixed for payment of the same. Should the defendant fail to pay any installment or fail to comply with any condition imposed as aforesaid, said justice of the peace may order said defendant committed to jail to work out the balance remaining unpaid in accordance with the provisions of any law authorizing commitment in default of payment of fine and/or costs.

In cases where a justice of the peace acting pursuant to the authority conferred by this section shall order the defendant to pay a fine and/or costs in installments to a duly authorized and responsible city or State agency which shall undertake to collect and account for said installments, he shall not be responsible for the collection of the same [nor be required to pay the same over to the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas or the treasurer of the City of Baltimore or the police commissioner of Baltimore City, as the case may be], nor shall his bond be liable for the same, except to the extent that he or someone acting under his direction (other than a worker or other employee of [said] a city or State agency) has received any part of said fine and/or costs; but said justice of the peace shall include the same in the report required to be made by him [to the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, the treasurer of the City of Baltimore and the police commissioner of Baltimore City, respectively, under §§ 419, 430, 432 of Article 4 of the Public Local Laws of Maryland (1949 Edition)], with a notation on said report earmarking these fines and/or costs which have been ordered paid in installments to a city or State agency, as aforesaid and specifying the agency to which said fine and/or costs were ordered paid.

§ 19. Same—probation conditions of suspension or probation; application of section to St. Mary's County.

(1) *Conditions of suspension or probation.*—The justices of the peace in and for [Baltimore City and] Prince George's and Charles counties [(except traffic court magistrates)], in any case within their jurisdiction, shall have power, before conviction of any person