

pointed to the boards from each county (except Anne Arundel and Allegany counties) shall be six years.

17B.

*The County Board of Education for Worcester County shall be composed of five members. The members of said Board on June 1, 1963, shall continue to hold their office for the terms for which they were appointed. The Governor shall appoint on June 1, 1963, two additional members of said Board to serve until the first Monday in May, 1969, ONE OF WHOM SHALL BE APPOINTED TO SERVE UNTIL THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY, 1966, AND THE OTHER OF WHOM SHALL BE APPOINTED TO SERVE UNTIL THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY, 1968. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the said Board shall be subject to the provisions of Section 6 of this article.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.*

Approved April 30, 1963.

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CHAPTER 555

(Senate Bill 245)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 566 of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Health", sub-title "Hospitals", authorizing the Board of County Commissioners or County Council of every county to cooperate in the construction and reconstruction of hospitals and related facilities, within the terms of this sub-title, by contributing a portion of the cost thereof, authorizing this portion of the cost to be paid from general funds or borrowed funds, and providing for the duty of the State Board of Health on any such project.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 566 of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Health", sub-title "Hospitals", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:*

566.

(a) The State Board of Health is hereby designated as the sole agency to represent the State of Maryland for the purposes of Part C, Title VI of the Public Health Service Act, as enacted by Public Law 725 of the 79th Congress of the United States, and all amendments thereof and additions thereto, providing grants to states for the construction and reconstruction of hospitals and related facilities. There is hereby conferred upon the State Board of Health the powers necessary for it to comply with the provisions relating to the sole State agency representing the State of Maryland for the purposes stated in Part C of said Public Law 725 and all amendments thereof and additions thereto, and contained in any part of said Title VI of Public Law 725, and all amendments thereof and additions thereto.

(b) *The Board of County Commissioners or County Council of*