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

Approved April 17, 1963.

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CHAPTER 531

(House Bill 1007)

AN ACT to repeal Chapter 413 of the Laws of Maryland of 1955, repealing a proposed new Section 98A to the Code of Public Local Laws of Prince George's County (1953 Edition), being Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Prince George's County," subtitle "Bladensburg," said Chapter 413 being repealed as obsolete and unnecessary.

WHEREAS, Chapter 413 of the Laws of Maryland of 1955 was enacted to specify the maximum amount of debt which the Town of Bladensburg might incur, the Chapter being acted as an emergency measure while there was under consideration the general home rule legislation ultimately enacted as Chapter 423 of the Laws of Maryland of 1955; and

WHEREAS, the effectiveness of Chapter 413 of the Laws of 1955 was specifically conditioned upon approval by a majority of the voters of the municipal corporation, pursuant to the requirements of Section 5 of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, the enactment of Chapter 423 of the Laws of 1955 specifying the general home rule powers of municipal corporations has made unnecessary said Chapter 413, and the Town of Bladensburg has advised the General Assembly that said Chapter 413 has not and will not be submitted to a referendum and that it may be repealed; and

WHEREAS, it is contemplated that there will be compiled a current edition of the Public Local Laws of Prince George's County and in that connection it is desirable to eliminate obsolete and ineffective sections; now, therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Chapter 413 of the Laws of Maryland of 1955, proposing to add a new Section 98A to the Code of Public Local Laws of Prince George's County (1953 Edition), being Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Prince George's County," subtitle "Bladensburg," be and it is hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 17, 1963.