

county, for an order declaring and ordering that such money, currency or cash in the custody of the *director of finance* or county treasurer shall be forfeited to the sole use and gain of the said county [.] or city. The court to which any such application has been directed shall establish to its satisfaction that there is no pending and undetermined suit or proceeding which has been filed in any court of competent jurisdiction, against said *director of finance* or treasurer, seeking a return or recovery of the said money, currency or cash so held in custody, before said court shall proceed so to order a forfeiture of such money, currency or cash to the county.

(d) If the trial or other ultimate disposition of such charge or charges, indictment or indictments, results in an acquittal or other final determination of such proceedings in favor of the person or persons so arrested, in connection with which the said money, currency or cash may have been so seized or captured, the same shall be returned to the person from whom taken on the expiration of ninety days from such acquittal or other final determination, unless some other person or persons claiming to own any or all of the said money, currency, or cash shall have, within ninety days from the date of the record of the entry of such acquittal or other final determination, applied to the circuit court of the county, for an order declaring and ordering that such money, currency or cash in the custody of the *director of finance* or county treasurer is the property of the person or persons so applying and should be returned to him or them forthwith by the said *director of finance* or treasurer. In the event some other person or persons so apply, the court shall hear and determine the issue as in other cases at law.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1965.

Approved May 4, 1965.

CHAPTER 885

(House Bill 407)

AN ACT to add a new Section 71A to Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Motor Vehicles," subtitle "Disposition of Lost, Abandoned and Stolen Motor Vehicles," to follow immediately after Section 71 thereof, providing for the disposition of lost, abandoned and stolen motor vehicles, and parts thereof in Prince George's County and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Prince George's County to make rules and regulations with regard to the taking custody of and disposition of lost, abandoned and stolen motor vehicles and parts thereof and to provide penalties for the violation of said rules and regulations.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That new Section 71A be and it is hereby added to Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Motor Vehicles," subtitle "Disposition of Lost, Abandoned and Stolen Motor