scribed. Such exemptions shall be allowed and prorated by the assessing authority for the remainder of any taxable year from the date the claimant shall have acquired title to the real property intended to be exempt hereunder.

- (c) Return of Taxes. The governing body of each municipality, by appropriate resolution, may return all taxes collected on property which would have been exempt had proper claim in writing been made therefor in the manner provided hereunder; provided, however, that such refunds shall not be made for any year or portion thereof prior to June 1, 1950.
- (d) Meaning of "Dwelling House". "Dwelling house", as used herein shall mean any one-family or two-family building or structure owned and occupied by a claimant as his legal residence in this State, and includes any outhouses or appurtenances belonging thereto or usually enjoyed therewith.
- SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1965.

Approved April 8, 1965.

## CHAPTER 498

(Senate Bill 130)

AN ACT to add new Section 8A to Article 65 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), (1964 REPLACEMENT VOLUME), title "Militia", sub-title "In General", to follow immediately after Section 8 thereof, providing that members of the Maryland National Guard, whether on active or inactive duty status, including persons designated as National Guard On Site Technicians, who are serving at military installations within this State under the control or jurisdiction of the THAT MEMBERS OF THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD DESIGNATED AS NATIONAL GUARD ON-SITE TECHNICIANS WHO ARE UNDER THE CONTROL OR JURISDICTION OF THE Military Department, State of Maryland, shall, in and for the military area to which assigned, AND WHILE ACTING IN SUCH CAPACITY have the same police power, authority and immunities as Constables, Sheriffs, Police or Peace Officers possess within their respective jurisdictions.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That new Section 8A be and it is hereby added to Article 65 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), (1964 REPLACE-MENT VOLUME), title "Militia", sub-title "In General", to follow immediately after Section 8 thereof, and to read as follows:

8A.

All members of the Maryland National Guard, whether on active or inactive duty status, including all persons designated by the Adjutant General of Maryland as National Guard On Site Tochni-