CHAPTER 589

(Senate Bill 559)

AN ACT to add new Section 122B to Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1964 Supplement), title "County Commissioners", sub-title "Junk Yards", to follow immediately after Section 122A thereof, to require screening or fencing of junk yards, dumps, motor vehicle junk yards, or refuse or trash disposal lots within a specified distance of roads and highways in Charles County, to provide penalties for violations, and to make these requirements supplementary to zoning or other regulatory powers available to the county.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That new Section 122B be and it is hereby added to Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1964 Supplement), title "County Commissioners", sub-title "Junk Yards", to follow immediately after Section 122A thereof, and to read as follows:

122B.

- (a) In Charles County, any person, firm or corporation who shall keep, maintain or operate in the county any junk yard, dump, automobile junk yard, outdoor place where old motor vehicles are stored or dismantled, or lot on which refuse, trash or junk is deposited within two hundred (200) feet of any interstate, State or county highway or road shall screen or fence said premises in such manner that they are not visible from any such road or highway.
- (b) Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate the provisions of this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, is fined not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or imprisoned for not more than thirty (30) days, or both fined and imprisoned.
- (c) The provisions of this section are deemed supplementary to the authority of the county to regulate the premises herein mentioned by zoning or by the provisions of Section 122A of this subtitle or otherwise.
- SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That all laws or parts of laws, public general or public local, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistency.
- SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1965.

Approved April 8, 1965.

CHAPTER 590

(Senate Bill 596)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, the sub-section numbered (16½) of Section 9 of Article 81 of the Annotated Code