

the purpose of county taxation in Montgomery, Anne Arundel and Prince George's counties, stock in business shall be assessed at fifty per centum (50%) of such fair average value for the twelve months preceding the date of finality.

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

Approved May 4, 1965.

CHAPTER 675
(Senate Bill 670)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 329 of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Health", sub-title "Plumbing", as amended by Chapter 121 of the Acts of 1965, to change the composition of two of the districts in this section, which provides for the appointment by the Governor of the State Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing and which prescribes generally their duties and the districts of Maryland from which they are to be appointed. NUMBER OF PERSONS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR TO THE STATE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PRACTICAL PLUMBING AND THE DISTRICTS WHICH THEY REPRESENT ON THE BOARD.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 329 of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Health", sub-title "Plumbing", as amended by Chapter 121 of the Acts of 1965, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

329.

The Governor shall appoint biennially ~~six~~ SEVEN persons who shall constitute a board of commissioners, which shall be known and designated as "The State Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing", and who shall be selected as follows: ~~six~~ SEVEN persons who are practical and skilled plumbers, two of whom shall be from Baltimore City, one from Southern Maryland, one from the Eastern Shore, one from the area including Allegany, Washington, Garrett, Frederick, ~~Carroll~~, and Montgomery Counties and ~~one~~ TWO from the area including ~~Carroll~~, Baltimore and Harford Counties, whose duty it shall be to faithfully and impartially execute, or cause to be executed, all the provisions and requirements of this subdivision of this article; upon application and at such place or places in this State as they may determine, provided at least once in each year the examination shall be held in Baltimore City, they shall examine each and every person who shall desire to work at the plumbing business, touching his competency and qualifications; and, upon being satisfied that the person so examined is competent and qualified to work at said business, they, or any three of them, shall grant to such a person a certificate of competency and register him in their books as