

tutional or invalid by a court of final appeal, the unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any other word, phrase, clause, section, or provision of this Act, and to this end the provisions of this Act are declared severable.

SEC. 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT IN THE EVENT THIS ACT SHALL BE DECLARED VALID BY THE COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND, THEN CHAPTER (SENATE BILL NO. 5) AS ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE SPECIAL SESSION OF OCTOBER 1965 SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE AND THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF MARYLAND IS HEREBY DIRECTED TO PROMPTLY REQUEST A JUDICIAL DETERMINATION OF THIS ACT BY THE APPROPRIATE LEGAL PROCEDURE.

SEC. 4 5. *And be it further enacted,* That, SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SEC. 4 ABOVE; this Act shall take effect June 1, 1966.

Approved October 27, 1965.