TO THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS IN OFFICE ON JUNE 1, 1966, BUT THESE PROVISIONS SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE WITH THE NEXT TERM OF OFFICE.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1966.

Approved May 6, 1966.

CHAPTER 600

(Senate Bill 219)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 10 of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Supplement), title "County Commissioners", subtitle "General Provisions", and to add a new Section 10E to the said Article and subtitle of the Code, to follow immediately after Section 10D thereof, to revise laws relating to a building and plumbing code in Charles County, to require the county to adopt a building code, to provide for its content, to provide for its amendment, to authorize the levy of fees for building permits, to provide for appointment of building inspectors and to specify their duties under the building code and under the county planning and zoning regulations, to authorize adoption and modification of a plumbing code, to provide penalties for violations of these codes, for approval of permits by the county health department, and to except some buildings from these requirements applicable to building and plumbing codes in Charles County.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 10 of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Supplement), title "County Commissioners", subtitle "General Provisions", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and that a new Section 10E be and it is hereby added to the said Article and subtitle of the Code, to follow immediately after Section 10D thereof, and all to read as follows:

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The County Commissioners of Cecil County [and Charles County] are hereby authorized to adopt and to amend from time to time a building code to provide for the construction, maintenance and repair of any and all buildings and structures, located or to be located in the said [counties] county to provide for the appointment of inspectors for the enforcement thereof, and to provide penalties for the violation of said building code. Said building code may incorporate by reference any code or part thereof proposed by any governmental agency or any trade or professional association for general distribution in printed form as a standard model on any subject relating to construction, maintaining or repairing buildings or structures, provided that subsequent amendments to any such model or standard code, shall not be effective until specifically incorporated into such building code. [In Charles County the County Commissioners are authorized to impose a fee for any permit issued under the building code at a cost not to exceed one dollar per thousand