county, provided, however, that in Dorchester and Somerset counties each member of the board of education shall receive annually the sum of two hundred dollars for such traveling and other expenses. In Charles County, each member of the County Board of Education shall receive compensation at the rate of six hundred dollars annually, and in Allegany County each member of the Board of Education shall receive not more than two hundred dollars annually for such traveling and other expenses. In St. Mary's County each member of the Board of Education shall receive the sum of \$200.00 annually for such traveling and other expenses. In Frederick County and Worcester County each member of the Board of Education shall receive the sum of \$500.00 annually for such traveling and other expenses. In [Worcester and] Queen Anne's [counties] County each member of the Board of Education shall receive the sum of \$250.00 annually for such traveling and other expenses. In Wicomico and Garrett counties each member of the Board of Education shall receive the sum of \$200.00 annually for such traveling and other expenses. In Washington County each such member of the Board of Education shall receive the sum of \$300.00 annually for such traveling and other expenses. In Howard County each member of the Board of Education shall receive the sum of \$400.00 annually for such traveling and other expenses.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 5, 1966.

CHAPTER 125

(Senate Bill 12)

AN ACT to add a new Section 1-J to Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1965 Supplement), title "Health," subtitle "State Board of Health and Mental Hygiene," to follow immediately after Section 1-I thereof and to be under the new subtitle "Maryland Community Mental Health Services Act," to authorize the establishment of local mental health programs and local boards COMMITTEES, to empower the State Commissioner of Mental Hygiene to make State grants-in-aid for the purposes of this Act, to provide how local mental health advisory boards COMMITTEES are to be established and their functions, providing special duties for the State Commissioner of Mental Hygiene as the supervisor and administrative head of this program, and defining the responsibilities and duties of the local health officer with regard to said program, and relating generally to community mental health services in this State.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, that new Section 1-J be and it is hereby added to Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1965 Supplement),