

and a certificate thereto appended by the said judges that the said list of names has been duly selected in conformity with and according to the spirit and intent of this article, and which said lists and certificates shall be filed with the clerks of the said courts and by them preserved as other proceedings of the said courts are kept. In the counties above mentioned the names drawn on the panel shall be distributed among the several election districts [in approximately the same proportion as required for drawing the list of regular jurors.] AND IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY *substantially proportionate to the population of the respective election districts of said counties* THE COUNTY as disclosed by the latest *public census* POPULATION ESTIMATES OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH. Modified as to Garrett, Allegany, Anne Arundel, Dorchester, Wicomico, Worcester, Somerset, and St. Mary's counties and special laws enacted. This section shall not apply to Baltimore, Cecil, Caroline, Queen Anne's, Kent or Talbot counties, as to which special provision is made by the local law therefor.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1967.

Approved May 4, 1967.

CHAPTER 726

(House Bill 401)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 6(f-1), 12, 109, 112(a), 119(a) and 120 of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1966 Supplement), title "Justices of the Peace," subtitles respectively "Civil Jurisdiction," and "Trial Magistrates System;" and to add new Sections 25F, 97(h) and 110(d) to the said Article of the Code, subtitles respectively "Criminal Jurisdiction," and "Trial Magistrates System;" to follow immediately, respectively, after Sections 25E, 97(g), and 110(c) thereof, to repeal Sections 108 (9) and 119(n) of the said Article of the Code (1966 Supplement), subtitle "Trial Magistrates System," and to enact new Section 108(9) in lieu thereof, to stand in the place of the Section 108(9) so repealed; to create a People's Court for Dorchester County, and to specify the powers and jurisdiction thereof, to provide for the appointment of the judges of the court, for their tenure, compensation, powers and duties, to generally provide for the administration, practice and procedure before the court in Dorchester County and to provide for the appointment of two trial magistrates for the county, to fix their powers, salaries and clerical assistance.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 6(f-1), 12, 109, 112(a), 119(a) and 120 of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1966 Supplement), title "Justices of the Peace," subtitles respectively "Civil Jurisdiction," and "Trial Magistrates System," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and that new Sections 25F, 97(h) and 110(d) be and they are hereby added to