

(except in Anne Arundel, Cecil, Montgomery and Prince George's Counties), shall, before entering upon his duties, give a corporate bond similarly conditioned, in the amount of \$1,000.

The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles may by regulation require the several trial magistrates to give and file such additional bonds as in his determination shall be advisable or necessary in relation to the amount of fines, forfeitures, penalties and costs imposed and collected by them individually in cases involving violations of the motor vehicle laws. Except as to amount, such additional bonds shall be subject generally to the terms and conditions applying to the several bonds as required by this section.

The premiums of all bonds required by this subtitle shall be paid by the county commissioners or county council.

#### 25G.

From and after June 1, 1967, the judges of the People's Court of Cecil County shall have criminal jurisdiction in all cases hereinbefore conferred upon Trial Magistrates for Cecil County in this subtitle; and any statutory reference herein to "trial magistrate" shall, when relating to said county, be interpreted as meaning "judges of the People's Court of Cecil County."

#### 125D.

Except where inconsistent with any provisions of this Article, the words "trial magistrate of Cecil County" appearing in this Code and the public and local laws of this state shall be deemed to mean "judge of the People's Court of Cecil County."

#### 288B.

*As of June 1, 1967 there shall be a People's Court for Cecil County. There shall be one judge who shall be elected in the same manner as Circuit Court judges, by the electorate of Cecil County, for a fifteen year term. The Governor shall appoint the judge from a list of qualified persons supplied by the Cecil County Bar Association to serve until a judge has been duly elected at the congressional elections of 1968. Whenever a vacancy occurs in this office, the Governor shall appoint a judge from a qualified list supplied by the Bar Association of the county to serve until the next congressional election, when a judge will be elected to serve the remainder of the unexpired term.*

#### 288C.

*No person shall be qualified to hold the office of judge of the People's Court unless he possesses the following qualifications:*

*(a) He is at least thirty (30) years of age and less than sixty-five (65) years of age.*

*(b) Is a member of the Bar of the State of Maryland and has for four (4) years next preceding his appointment or election been a resident active practicing attorney with his principal office in Cecil County.*

*(c) Is distinguished for integrity, wisdom and sound legal knowledge.*