to lease, to sell any county owned property subject to sealed bids requested therefor and to specify the manner and details of such sale.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 9B(a) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland Code of Maryland (1966 Replacement Volume), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "General Provisions," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

9B.

(a) The County Commissioners of Calvert County, in addition to, but not in substitution of, the powers which may have been or may hereafter be granted to them, shall have full power and authority to acquire by lease, purchase, condemnation, gift or devise, real or leasehold property needed for any public purpose, and to erect buildings thereon for the benefit of the county. The County Commissioners are further authorized to lease or sell any real or leasehold property owned by the county when in their discretion it is no longer needed for public use. The sale of any property shall be made pursuant to sealed bids, and the offer to bid shall be advertised for at least three consecutive weeks in one or more newspapers published in the county, accurately describing the property and stating the time and place for opening the bids, and reserving the right to reject any and all bids. The proposals shall be publicly opened at the time specified in the advertisement, and the property sold to the highest bidder, unless in the discretion of the County Commissioners the interests of the county would be better served by selling the property to some other bidder. In case of the rejection of all bids or if no bids are submitted, the County Commissioners may dispose of the property as they may deem desirable.

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

Approved March 24, 1967.

CHAPTER 51

(Senate Bill 152)

AN ACT to add a new subsection (c-1) to Section 109 of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Alcoholic Beverages", subtitle "Restrictions upon Licensees", to follow immediately after subsection (c) of Section 109 and to provide that the Comptroller may require by regulation that suppliers of wholesalers of distilled spirits affirm that the net price of each item offered for sale, exclusive of routine transportation costs, is no higher than the lowest price at which such item is being offered for sale elsewhere within the United States.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That new subsection (c-1) of Section 109 of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Alcoholic Beverages", subtitle "Restrictions upon Licensees", be and it is hereby