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The County Commissioners of Howard County are authorized to borrow from time to time on short term notes from any bank or trust company in the County a sum not to exceed at any one time the amount of [two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000)] *five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000)* to meet expenses incurred in the operation of the county government. They shall pledge the full faith and credit of Howard County as security for these notes.

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

Approved April 14, 1967.

CHAPTER 379

(House Bill 1124)

AN ACT to waive the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 743 of the Laws of 1965, relating to the time by which projects contained in the General Construction Loan of 1965 must be placed under contract, insofar as the provisions of said section applies to item (c) (5) in said Construction Loan Act, which provides certain monies for the restoration of the old court house at Port Tobacco.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 743 of the Laws of 1965, be and they are hereby waived insofar as they impose a time for placing under contract item (c) (5) of Section 5 of said Chapter, said item, making available one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for the restoration of the old court house at Port Tobacco. With the waiver of these provisions so applied to this item, there shall be allowed an additional period of two years, beginning on the effective date of this Act, for placing the restoration of the old court house at Port Tobacco under contract, and after this two year period the provisions of Section 9 of said Chapter shall be fully effective and applied to this item.

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 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 14, 1967.

CHAPTER 380

(House Bill 1135)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, 36-1(b) of the Code of Public Local Laws of Prince George's County (1963 Edition, being Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Mary-