

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted,* That, except as otherwise provided in this Act, no department, board, commission, agency of institution specified or named in this Act shall begin any work with funds secured pursuant to the provisions of this Act unless satisfactory assurances are made to the Board of Public Works that the work described in the individual terms in this Act can be completed with the Funds specified for each such item respectively.

SEC. 9. *And be it further enacted,* That where Federal funds may be available to help accomplish any specific projects in this Act, the using department or agency shall be obligated to seek the allocation of such Federal funds to apply to the cost of the particular project. In seeking approval of the Board of Public Works for award of a contract under a specific appropriation under this Act, the using department or agency shall formally advise the Board of Public Works that efforts have been made through proper administrative procedures to obtain such Federal funds, and the reason, if any, why the Federal funds were not obtained. Availability of Federal funds where allocated is intended to defray the cost of the approved project, not expand its scope, except in the case of projects of the Department of Forests and Parks. These latter projects may be expanded in scope beyond that proposed in the specific appropriation in this Act if the addition of Federal funds makes this possible, but not beyond the total park acreage or development contemplated for the State park or recreation area to which it applies, as evident from the master plan for State parks and recreation areas as adopted by the Department of Forests and Parks.

SEC. 10. *And be it further enacted,* That if any project listed in Section 5 of this Act shall not have been contracted for within two (2) years from the effective date of this Act, then such project shall be deemed to have been abandoned. If the total loan authorized herein shall have been issued within two (2) years from the effective date of this Act, then the amount specified herein for said abandoned project shall be transferred to the Annuity Bond Fund and shall be applied to the debt service requirements of the State. If, however, the total loan authorized herein shall not have been issued within two (2) years from the effective date of this Act, then the total issuable Certificates of Indebtedness authorized herein shall be reduced by the amount specified herein for said abandoned project.

SEC. 11. *And be it further enacted,* That until all of the interest on and principal of any certificates issued under this Act have been paid in full, there is hereby levied and imposed an annual State tax on each \$100 of assessable property at the rate to be determined in the following manner: on or before May 1, 1968, and on or before May 1, in each TAXABLE year thereafter, the Board of Public Works shall certify to the governing bodies of each of the Counties and Baltimore City the rate of State tax on each \$100 of assessable property necessary to produce revenue to meet all interest and principal which will be payable to the close of the next ensuing taxable year on all certificates theretofore issued or heretofore authorized by resolution of the Board of Public Works to be issued and the governing bodies of each of the Counties and Baltimore City shall forthwith levy and collect such tax at such rate; provided, the cost of paying the principal and interest on bonds issued to pay the cost