railroad car, passenger train, or other public conveyance may run, or into which he may be brought by said car or other public conveyance; or in any county or city in the State in which he may be found after said crimes, offenses or misdemeanors have been committed. And any person who shall commit any of the crimes, misdemeanors or offenses herein mentioned upon any steamboat, upon the waters of the Chesapeake Bay, within the limits of this State, and without the body of any county thereof, may be tried in any court or before any justice of the peace of this State having jurisdiction of similar crimes, offenses and misdemeanors of the county in which he may be arrested or into which he may be first brought.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That Section 123 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Crimes and Punishments," subtitle "Drunkenness and Disorderly Conduct," is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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Every person who shall be found drunk, or acting act in a disorderly manner to the disturbance of the public peace, upon any public street or highway, in any city, town or county in this State, or at any place of public worship or public resort or amusement in any city, town or county of this State, or in any store during business hours, or in any elevator, lobby or corridor of any office building or apartment house having more than three separate dwelling units in any city, town or county of this State, and any person who drinks, or has in his possession, any intoxicating beverages while in attendance as a spectator or otherwise, at any place where an elementary school, junior high school or high school athletic contest is taking place, and creates a public disturbance shall be subject to a fine of not more than fifty dollars, or be confined in jail for a period of not more than sixty days or be both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the court. [Habitual offenders may be fined not more than one hundred dollars or committed to jail or the Maryland House of Correction for not more than six months. An habitual offender is a person who shall have been convicted under the provisions of this section five (5) times in the preceding twelve (12) months. The trial magistrates of the respective counties of this State shall have concurrent jurisdiction over such offense with the circuit court for their respective counties.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1968.

Approved April 10, 1968.

CHAPTER 147 (Senate Bill 401)

AN ACT to waive the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 159 of the Acts of 1964, this provision already having been waived by Chapter 569 of the Acts of 1966, said section relating to the time by which projects contained in the General Construction Loan of 1964