

CHAPTER 271
(House Bill 642)

AN ACT to add new Section 602A to Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Crimes and Punishments," subtitle "Venue, Procedure, and Sentence," to follow immediately after Section 602 thereof and to be under the new subheading "Fresh Pursuit—Intrastate," providing that any peace officer of the City of Annapolis, in fresh pursuit, may follow into Anne Arundel County to make a lawful arrest.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That new Section 602A be and it is hereby added to Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Crimes and Punishments," subtitle "Venue, Procedure, and Sentence," to follow immediately after Section 602 thereof and to be under the new subheading "Fresh Pursuit—Intrastate," and to read as follows:

Fresh Pursuit—Intrastate

602A.

Any peace officer of the City of Annapolis, when in fresh pursuit, may follow into Anne Arundel County and arrest any person or persons for a violation of State law or a violation of the laws or ordinances of the City of Annapolis, provided that if such arrest had been made within the said City, it would have been lawful.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1968.

Approved April 10, 1968.

CHAPTER 272
(House Bill 646)

AN ACT to add new Subsection 38(c) to Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1967 Supplement), title "Justices of the Peace," subtitle "Process and Practice," to follow immediately after Section 38(b) thereof, granting magistrates for St. Mary's County the power to punish for contempt of court by fine or imprisonment.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That new Subsection 38(c) be and it is hereby added to Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1967 Supplement) title "Justices of the Peace," subtitle "Process and Practice," to follow immediately after Section 38(b) thereof, and to read as follows:

38.

(c) The Trial Magistrate and Substitute Trial Magistrate for St. Mary's County shall have the power and authority to enforce obedience to their rules, orders and judgments by attachments, and