

determinable amount as security for compliance by the bidder with his bid. Said notice shall refer to this Act as authority for the bonds and shall state the date of issue of the bonds offered, the total aggregate par amount thereof, the schedule of maturities thereof, the interest payable thereon, or the method of determining the same, the purpose to which the proceeds thereof will be devoted, and the general form thereof, including a statement whether said bonds will be redeemable, will be in coupon or registered form, and whether the same will be registerable as to principal, or as to both principal and interest. Each such notice of sale shall also contain a brief summary of the current financial condition of the County or shall indicate where such a statement may be obtained and, finally, shall reserve unto the County the right to reject any or all bids received. In lieu of publishing said entire notice of sale, the County may, if it shall so elect in said resolution, publish a brief summary of said notice which need not contain all the information required for said notice but which shall state where interested parties may obtain a complete copy thereof.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That the proceeds from the sale of said bonds shall be paid to the County Treasurer and shall be set apart by him in an account or accounts, to the credit of "Public School Bonds of Somerset County of, " and shall be disbursed by him only for the purposes herein authorized, and upon the joint order of the County Commissioners of Somerset County and the Board of Education of Somerset County, provided that any accrued interest and/or premium received from the sale of said bonds may be applied to the payment of the first maturing interest of said bonds.

All contracts for the purchase of sites for schools, for employment of architects, builders, inspectors and supervisors, for building or equipping said schools and all other contracts and agreements requiring payment of money from said account or accounts shall be in writing and shall be executed jointly by the County Commissioners of Somerset County and the Board of Education of Somerset County.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That the bonds hereby authorized shall constitute, and they shall so recite, an irrevocable pledge of the full faith and credit and unlimited taxing power of the County to the payment of the maturing principal and interest of such bonds as and when the same respectively mature. In each and every fiscal year that any of said bonds are outstanding, the County shall levy or cause to be levied ad valorem taxes upon all the assessable property within the corporate limits of the County in rate and amount sufficient to provide for the payment, when due, of the interest and principal of all said bonds maturing in each such fiscal year and in the event the proceeds from the taxes so levied in any such fiscal year shall prove inadequate for the above purposes, additional taxes shall be levied in the succeeding fiscal year to make up any such deficiency. The County may apply to the payment of principal and interest of any bonds issued hereunder any funds received by it from the State of Maryland, the United States of America, any agency or instrumentality thereof, or from any other source, if such funds are granted for the purpose of assisting the County in public school construction, and to the extent of any such