

county council of the county for which he was appointed or in which the court is located, or in the case of Montgomery County, with the county manager thereof, in the penalty of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, upon the condition expressed in each of said bonds that the said judge or magistrate, giving it will truly and faithfully discharge, execute and perform all and singular the duties and obligations of a judge or magistrate, and that he will account for and pay over to the county commissioners or county council of the county or to whomsoever else may be otherwise or hereafter designated by law as the proper recipient thereof, all fees, costs, fines, penalties and forfeitures which he is bound to account for and pay over as aforesaid, and that he will faithfully and truly account for and pay over to the person or corporation entitled thereto all money belonging to such person or corporation which may come into his hands as such judge or magistrate.

Every justice of the peace other than a trial magistrate or a substitute trial magistrate, and every clerk to a trial magistrate (except in Anne Arundel, Cecil, Dorchester, Montgomery and Prince George's counties), shall, before entering upon his duties, give a corporate bond similarly conditioned, in the amount of \$1,000.

¶The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles may by regulation require the several trial magistrates to give and file such additional bonds as in his determination shall be advisable or necessary in relation to the amount of fines, forfeitures, penalties and costs imposed and collected by them individually in cases involving violations of the motor vehicle laws. Except as to amount, such additional bonds shall be subject generally to the terms and conditions applying to the several bonds as required by this section.¶

*Any state or local law to the contrary notwithstanding the Maryland State Employees' Surety Bond Committee may require the Justices of the Peace and their clerks, ~~Judges~~ CLERKS of the several People's Courts, ~~and their clerks~~, trial magistrates and their clerks, substitute trial magistrates, and any other judicial officers of other courts of limited jurisdiction and their clerks, to give and file such additional corporate bonds conditioned as in their determination shall be advisable or necessary in relation to the amount of fines, forfeitures, penalties, and costs imposed and collected or received by them, and collateral posted with them individually in cases involving violations of State laws where the amounts collected therein are accountable to the State. Except as to amount, the additional bonds shall be subject generally to the terms and conditions applying to the several bonds as required by this section.*

The premiums of all bonds required by this subtitle shall be paid by the county commissioners or county council [.] , provided, however, if the Maryland State Employees' Surety Bond Committee determines the bond provided for herein shall be in excess of \$5,000.00, the difference between the premium of a \$5,000.00 bond and the premium for the higher bond shall be paid as provided in the State budget.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.*

Approved May 14, 1969.