

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved April 9, 1969.

CHAPTER 137

(Senate Bill 572)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 255 (s) of Article 93 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Testamentary Law," subtitle "Orphans' Court," to provide for a change in compensation of the judges of the Orphans' Court for Washington County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 255 (s) of Article 93 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "Testamentary Law," subtitle "Orphans' Court," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

255.

(s) Compensation in Washington County.—Each of the judges of the Orphans' Court for Washington County shall receive [ten] *fifteen* dollars [\$10.00] (*\$15.00*) for every day's attendance upon the session of said court, not to exceed [twelve] *eighteen* hundred dollars [\$1,200.00] (*\$1,800.00*) in any one year.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the provisions of this Act shall not be construed to extend or apply to the present judges in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act shall take effect with the next term of office.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved April 9, 1969.

CHAPTER 138

(Senate Bill 601)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 98, 99 and 100 of Article 21 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1966 Replacement Volume), title "Conveyancing," subtitle "Defective Conveyances," validating certain defective deeds, mortgages, bonds of conveyances, bills of sale and other conveyances.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 98, 99 and 100 of Article 21 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1966 Replacement Volume), title "Conveyancing," sub-