

deemed to provide an additional and alternative authority for borrowing money and shall be regarded as supplemental and additional to powers conferred upon the County by other laws and shall not be regarded as in derogation of any power now existing; and all Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland heretofore passed authorizing the County to borrow money are hereby continued to the extent that the powers contained in such Acts have not heretofore been exercised, and nothing herein contained shall be construed to impair, in any way whatsoever, the validity of any bonds which may have been issued by the County under the authority of any of said Acts, and the validity of said bonds is hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

*Sec. 7. And be it further enacted,* That the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County shall not issue or contract for the issue of the bonds authorized by this Act until the Board has substantial assurances that the Economic Development Administration or another Federal agency has furnished or will furnish a portion of the monies needed for the purposes of this Act.

*SEC. 8 2. And be it further enacted,* That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a ye and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 15, 1970

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CHAPTER 181

(House Bill 457)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 9(7)(e) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume), title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "What Shall Be Taxed and Where," to correct an error caused by the omission of a sentence in the printing of the bill, providing the time when exemptions shall be allowed and prorated.

*SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 9(7)(e) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume), title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "What Shall Be Taxed and Where," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

9.

(7)(e) All exemptions from taxation hereunder shall be allowed by the assessing authority upon the filing of a claim in writing under oath, made by or on behalf of the institution or organization claiming the same, showing the right to the exemption, briefly describing the property for which exemption is claimed. Such exemptions shall be allowed and prorated by the assessing au-