final enactment, unless a proper petition for referendum hereof shall be filed as permitted by law, provided a complete and exact copy of this Resolution shall be posted in the Town Hall of Elkton for a period of forty (40) days following enactment of said Resolution, and provided, further, that a copy or fair summary of the proposed amendment shall be published in the "Cecil Whig" or "Cecil Democrat," a newspaper of general circulation in the Town of Elkton, once in each of the weeks of October 14, 21, 28 and November 4, 1970.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton be and they are hereby specifically enjoined and instructed to carry out the provisions as contained herein, and as evidence of said compliance they shall cause to be affixed to the minutes of this meeting appropriate certification of publication of the newspaper in which the title of this Resolution shall have been published and shall declare the charter amendment hereby enacted to be effective by affixing the signature of the Mayor in the space provided on the effective date hereof.

The date of enactment of this Resolution for charter amendment is the 7th day of October, 1970, and said charter amendment shall become effective fifty (50) days from this date, or the 27th day of November, 1970.

> THE MAYOR AND COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF ELKTON By: Kenneth A. Wilcox, Mayor

ATTEST:

Mary D. Pippin, Secretary

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, adopted pursuant to the authority of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland, and Section 19 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), 1966 Replacement Volume, Title "Corporations—Municipal" to add a new section to the Code of the Public Local Laws of Cecil County of 1961, said Code being Article 8 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, and said new section to be known as Section 179A, and also known as Section 3A of the new Charter of the Town of Elkton as adopted on October 30, 1968, and constituting an amendment to the municipal charter of the body politic and corporate known as the Town of Elkton, and to annex and include the following described land in the boundaries and taxable limits of the Town of Elkton.

Whereas, in accordance with Section 19(c) of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition) at least 25% or more of the registered voters in County elections who reside in the hereinafter described area, and the owners of at least 25% of the assessed valuation in the said area have petitioned the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, to annex said area into the corporate boundaries of the Town of Elkton, and

Whereas, upon presentation of the petitions to the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, the presiding officer thereof caused to be made a verification of the signatures thereon and ascertained that the persons signing the petitions represented at least 25% or more of the registered voters residing in the area to be annexed and who are, in fact,