

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That for the purpose of paying the interest on said notes and/or bonds and for redeeming said notes and/or bonds as they mature, the County Commissioners of Washington County shall annually levy such tax upon the assessable property of said County as may be necessary to pay the annual interest on said notes and/or bonds and to redeem said notes and/or bonds as they become due until all of said notes and/or bonds shall have matured and been redeemed. The taxes so levied shall be collected in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected in said County.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall be known as the "Ground and Surface Water Drainage Act of 1971."

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That the various provisions of this Act shall be regarded as separate and severable, and should any section, sentence, clause or provision thereof be held invalid or unconstitutional for any reason, the validity of the remaining parts hereof shall not be affected thereby.

SEC. 9. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1971.

Approved April 29, 1971

CHAPTER 345
(House Bill 1353)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 2-3(a) of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume), title "Election Code," subtitle "Election Boards and Employees," to increase the salaries of the chairman and associate members of the Board of Elections for Cecil County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 2-3(a) of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume), title "Election Code," subtitle "Election Boards and Employees," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

2-3.

(a) Each member of the boards of the several political subdivisions of the State shall receive an annual salary of not less than the following amounts:

- (1) Allegany County: \$1,080.
- (2) Anne Arundel County: \$1,800.
- (3) Baltimore City: \$5,000; such salaries shall be established in the annual ordinance of estimates but shall not be less than as provided herein.