of Article 31 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume), and said bonds and the coupons attached thereto and the interest payable thereon shall be and remain forever exempt from State, County and Municipal taxation in the State of Maryland.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That the proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall be paid to the Treasurer of Charles County and shall be placed in a special fund by the County Treasurer, and shall be paid out by him only on warrants from the County Commissioners, which warrants shall be issued only upon proper vouchers presented to the County Commissioners for the purposes mentioned in Section 1 of this Act.

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of said bonds, the County Commissioners of Charles County are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to levy in each year so long as any of said bonds are outstanding and unpaid, an ad valorem tax on all property subject to taxation, within Charles County, sufficient in rate and amount to pay the interest payable in said year on all outstanding bonds and the principal of all bonds maturing in said year, the proceeds of said tax to be kept in a special fund and in no case to be used for any other purpose. In case such bonds shall be issued in any year after the making of the regular levy of that year, then the County Commissioners of Charles County are empowered, authorized and directed to pay any and all interest becoming due before the next levy, out of any other funds at their disposal, and to levy at the next succeeding levy an amount sufficient to reimburse such other funds.

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1972.

Approved April 11, 1972.

CHAPTER 58

(House Bill 743)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 7 of the Code of Public Local Laws of St. Mary's County (1970 Supplement, being Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "St. Mary's County," subtitle "Circuit Court," to change the manner of compensating the court reporters and the court stenographers in St. Mary's County, and to clarify the language therein.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 7 of the Code of Public Local Laws of St. Mary's County (1970 Supplement, being Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "St. Mary's County," subtitle "Circuit Court," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows: