

land or property now or hereafter owned by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, buildings, structures or facilities to be used by the Fire Department of Baltimore City for fire stations, and for the acquisition and installation of equipment for any and all new facilities authorized to be constructed or erected under the provisions hereof, and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection with or pertaining to any or all of the matters or things hereinbefore mentioned.

SEC. 4. *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 yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of the members elected to each of the two houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 26, 1972.

CHAPTER 147

(House Bill 609)

AN ACT to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to create a debt, and to issue and sell its certificates of indebtedness as evidence thereof, to an amount not exceeding Seven Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$7,500,000.00), the proceeds derived from the sale of the certificates of indebtedness to be used for the acquisition, by purchase or condemnation or any other legal means, of land or property in the City of Baltimore and establishing thereon or therein, or on or in land or property now or hereafter owned by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, new parks, playgrounds, playfields, playlots, swimming pools, recreational centers or recreational buildings; and for the design, redesign, development, redevelopment and improvement of park, school and other properties now or hereafter owned by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore for park or recreational purposes; and for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, installation, erection, protection, extension, enlargement, renovation or modernization of, and additions to, public park or recreational buildings, structures or facilities; and for the acquisition and installation of equipment for any and all new facilities authorized to be constructed, erected or established under the provisions hereof, and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection with or pertaining to any or all of the matters or things hereinbefore mentioned; authorizing said municipality to submit an ordinance or ordinances for said purpose to the legal voters of Baltimore City, and providing generally for the issuance and sale of said certificates of indebtedness.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That:

(a) The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore be and it is hereby authorized to create a debt, and to issue and sell its certificates of indebtedness (hereafter called "bonds") as evidence thereof, to an