

notice to the Secretary of State of Maryland and to the State Department of Legislative Reference, that the Charter of the Town of Ocean City, Maryland, has been amended as follows:

1. Section Amended - SECTION 202 B - "OATH OF OFFICE" Complete text of resolution amending said section of said charter is attached hereto. The date of resolution is 21 February 1972.

2. Referendum Election - There was no Referendum Election nor was there any Petition for Referendum filed.

3. Effective Date - Said amendment became effective 50 days after the date of resolution, said effective date therefore being 12 April 1972.

4. Votes Cast - The amendment was by way of legislative enactment by a unanimous vote of 7 Councilmen for and none against and was thereupon approved by the Mayor, Harry W. Kelley.

Harry W. Kelley
Mayor & Chief Executive
Office of the Town of Ocean City,
Maryland

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

OF OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND TO AMEND THE TOWN CHARTER

Resolution of the Mayor and City Council of Ocean City, Maryland adopted pursuant to the authority of Sections 13 through 18 of Article 23A, Annotated Code of Maryland, 1966 Replacement Volume, to amend Sub-Section (b) of Section 202. "OATH OF OFFICE" of the Municipal Charter of the Town of Ocean City, Maryland by eliminating from said sub-section and section of said charter the matter hereinafter enclosed in double parentheses, and by adding to said sub-section and section of said charter new matter hereinafter underscored as follows:

"202 OATH OF OFFICE.

(b) Before whom taken and subscribed. - [The Mayor and all members of the Council shall take and subscribe this oath or affirmation before a duly appointed Justice of the Peace or Trial Magistrate in Worcester County.] THE MAYOR AND ALL MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL SHALL TAKE AND SUBSCRIBE TO THIS OATH OR AFFIRMATION BEFORE THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OR BEFORE ONE OF THE SWORN DEPUTIES OF THE CLERK. ALL OTHER PERSONS TAKING AND SUBSCRIBING THE OATH SHALL DO SO BEFORE THE MAYOR."

The Sub-Section (b) of Section 202 as amended shall read as follows:

202 OATH OF OFFICE.

(b) Before whom taken and subscribed. - The Mayor and all members of the Council shall take and subscribe to this oath or affirmation before the clerk of the circuit court for the county or before one of the sworn deputies of the clerk. All