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(d) The clerk of each of the law and criminal and equity courts of Baltimore City shall be entitled to receive annually a salary [1 1 11 of not less than [\$12,0001] FOURTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$14,000) and not more than [\$20,0001] [1 1 11 [TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$22,000)] TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000) to be fixed and determined in each instance by the Board of Public Works of this State on the basis of the relative public service of each [such] office.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of this Act shall not be construed to extend or apply to the salary of any clerk of the circuit court in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary of the clerks of the circuit courts shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1973.

Approved May 7, 1973.

## CHAPTER 213

(Senate Bill 122)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 1 of Article 62 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1972 Replacement Volume), title "Marriages," to require that a marriage must be between a man and a woman in order to be valid.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 1 of Article 62 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1972 Replacement Volume), title "Marriages," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

1.

ONLY A MARRIAGE BETWEEN A MAN AND A WOMAN IS VALID IN THIS STATE. If any person within this State shall marry within any of the degrees of kindred or affinity expressed in the following table, the marriage shall be void.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1973.

Approved May 7, 1973.