

only unless again selected; the President of the Town Council of Oakland; Mrs. Lorilla F. Tower or upon her death, resignation or failure to act the President of the Garrett County Chapter of the American Red Cross; one person to be elected by the Garrett County Medical Association, if there be such, or upon its failure to function or to act in the premises then by the Medical Staff of the Hospital, the term of such person so elected to be for the period of one year only unless re-elected; [and] three members to be selected by the County Commissioners of Garrett County, one from each of the three county commissioner districts of [said] THE County, who shall be subject to approval by the [heretofore named] board members, and who shall also serve for the period of two years only unless re-appointed; FOUR MEMBERS SELECTED FOR THEIR EXPERTISE IN PARTICULAR DISCIPLINES ELECTED ANNUALLY BY THE HOSPITAL BOARD TO SERVE AT LARGE; AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE GARRETT COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FOR AS LONG AS HE IS THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE HOSPITAL. The terms of all of the above appointive members of the board shall begin on the first day of July, 1959. The terms of the County Commissioners of Garrett County, of the President of the Town Council of Oakland and the President of the Garrett County Chapter of the American Red Cross, as ex officio members, shall be co-extensive with their respective terms of office and no longer.

SECTION 2. 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 ye and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 16, 1978.

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CHAPTER 469

(Senate Bill 508)

AN ACT concerning

Anne Arundel County - Test Borings and Soil Studies

FOR the purpose of permitting Anne Arundel County agents, employees or assistants to conduct test borings and soil studies on private property under certain conditions before determining whether to exercise its right of eminent domain; requiring actual notice to owners or good faith attempts to give such notice before tests or studies; providing for injunctive relief under certain circumstances; providing that owners are entitled to damages for property damage caused by borings or tests; and matters generally