of the subheading and the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected. The powers conferred by this subheading shall be in addition and supplemental to the powers conferred by any other law.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1978.

Approved May 16, 1978.

## CHAPTER 710

(House Bill 1508)

AN ACT concerning

Carroll County - District Court Judges

FOR the purpose of altering the number of associate judges for District 10 of the District Court and the number to be appointed from Carroll County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 1-603(b) (10) Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1977 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

1-603-

- (t) In each of the districts provided for in  $\S1-602$  of this article, there shall be the following number of associate judges of the District Court:
- (10) District 10-[3] 4, two to be appointed from [Howard County] EACH COUNTY.

SECTION 2. AND FE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1978.

Approved May 16, 1978.