Approved May 16, 1978.

CHAPTER 712

(Hcuse Bill 1511)

AN ACT concerning

Somerset County - Sanitary Commission

FOR the purpose of altering the requirements for membership on the Somerset County sanitary commission and providing for enlarging the Somerset County sanitary commission under certain circumstances.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 43 - Health Section 649(a) (2-1) Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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 43 - Health

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- (a) (2-1) (I) The Somerset County sanitary commission appointed pursuant to the first paragraph above shall be enlarged from three citizens of such county to five citizens of such county, no one of whom shall hold any other office of said county during his term of office on said commission. As of July 1, 1968, the governing body of Somerset County shall appoint the two additional members of the commission provided for herein, whose terms of office shall commence on the date of appointment, one of whom shall serve four years and one for two years for their appointment. At the expiration of each of said terms, the county governing body shall, at a meeting held not later than one month prior to July first in each year in which a vacancy occurs, appoint as a member of the commission a citizen of the county for which the district is created, for a term of six years, to succeed the member whose term expires on June first next succeeding.
- (II) There shall be no alteration in the existing method of appointments at the expiration of the existing commission in Somerset County.
 - (III) The sole purpose of this change as