

the complaint, to answer the landlord's complaint to show cause why the prayer of the landlord should not be granted, and the constable or sheriff shall proceed to serve the summons upon the tenant, assignee or subtenant in the property or upon his known or authorized agent, but if for any reason, neither the tenant, assignee or subtenant, nor his agent, can be found, then the constable or sheriff shall affix an attested copy of the summons conspicuously upon the property. The affixing of the summons upon the property after due notification to the tenant, assignee, or subtenant by first-class mail shall conclusively be presumed to be a sufficient service to all persons to support the entry of a default judgment for possession of the premises, TOGETHER WITH COURT COSTS, in favor of the landlord, but it shall not be sufficient service to support a default judgment in favor of the landlord for the amount of rent due ~~and costs~~.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1979.

Approved May 1, 1979.

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#### CHAPTER 119

(Senate Bill 527)

AN ACT concerning

Local Government Finances - Annual Reports

FOR the purpose of requiring the treasurers or financial officers of local governments, public corporations, or special tax districts which are authorized to issue bonds which are repayable from user fees or charges to file annual financial statements with the Department of Fiscal Services.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 40 - General Assembly  
Section 61(e)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1978 Replacement Volume and 1978 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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 40 - General Assembly