

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That in lieu of the annual reports which were heretofore required to be filed on or before September thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, reports shall be filed on or before August thirty-first, nineteen hundred and eighteen, covering the entire calendar year ending December thirty-first, nineteen hundred and seventeen.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the provisions of this Act shall be applicable to all corporations and individuals subject to the jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission of Maryland which are by law required to file the annual and other reports referred to therein.

Approved April 10th, 1918.

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#### CHAPTER 403.

AN ACT to add two Sections to Article 63 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Mechanics' Lien," said new Sections to be under the sub-title "Garages," and to be known as Sections 52 and 53, providing for a lien on motor vehicles for storage and accessories.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new Section be and is hereby added to Article 63 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Mechanics' Lien," said new Section to be under the sub-title "Garages," and to be known as Section 52 and to read as follows:

52. Whenever a motor vehicle or any part thereof is left by the owner thereof or by any other person with his authority, express or legally implied, in the custody of any corporation, firm or individual for storage, or for the purpose of having furnished for or on account of the same any accessories, or tires, the corporation, firm or individual in whose custody said automobile or part thereof is left for all or any of the purposes aforesaid, shall have a lien on said motor vehicle or part thereof for all charges so incurred, and may lawfully retain the same until said charges have been paid, or until said lien is extinguished or discharged as hereinafter provided. Said lien shall be superior to the rights of the holders of conditional sale contracts, bills of sale, chattel mortgages or other liens or claims of any kind which are not executed and recorded as