

Any statement from me concerning that feature of the Legislation denying power of appointment to a Republican Governor, would border on the personal and probably be in bad taste. However, I do think that there is a wide-spread regret that the Law did not mantle the appointments to be made with the protection of the State Civil Service Law, and it is just possible that the future will demonstrate the un-wisdom of this phase of the Act.

H. W. NICE,  
*Governor of Maryland.*

---

## CHAPTER 2.

AN ACT making an emergency appropriation for the payment of the expenses of the General Assembly of Maryland for the extraordinary session of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-six, and for the payment of any balance due for printing for the extraordinary session of March, nineteen hundred and thirty-six.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the payment of the officers, employees and members of the General Assembly of Maryland of the extraordinary session of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-six, including mileage, printing, binding and miscellaneous expenses, and for the payment of any balance due for printing for the extraordinary session of March, 1936. The above appropriation is hereby declared to be an emergency appropriation within the provisions of Paragraph 4 of Sub-section D of Section 52 of Article 3, title "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of the State, the said disbursements to be made out of the appropriation authorized by Section 13 of Chapter 92 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1935 (regular session).

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the Treasurer of the State shall, upon the warrant of the Comptroller, disburse the said sums of money herein appropriated for the objects and purposes herein specified, to or upon the order of the person or persons entitled to receive the same.