

CHAPTER 461.

(House Bill 487)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 4 of Article 70A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Old Age Assistance", as said section was amended by Chapter 290 of the Acts of 1941, relating to the amount of assistance which may be received by any recipient.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 4 of Article 70A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Old Age Assistance", as said section was amended by Chapter 290 of the Acts of 1941, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

4. (AMOUNT OF ASSISTANCE.) The amount of old age assistance which any recipient shall receive shall be determined by the County Department with due regard to the available resources and necessary expenditures of the individual and the conditions existing in each case, and in accordance with the rules and regulations made by the State Department, and shall be sufficient, when added to all other income and support available to the recipient to provide such person with a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health. Provided, however, that no award for old age assistance shall be made in excess of forty dollars (\$40) a month.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1943.

Approved May 4, 1943.

CHAPTER 462.

(House Bill 530)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 7 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Carroll County", sub-title "General Powers", said new section to be known as Section 531B and to follow immediately after Section 531A of said Article, granting to The Mayor and Common Council of Westminster power to pass ordinances establishing a merit and pension system for the City of Westminster.