

tion of any contest, meet or event in Anne Arundel County, in which contest, meet or event any animals are used, or which depends upon the result of the running of any animals adopted pursuant to the powers vested in the County Commissioners to regulate, authorize or license contests, meets and events as set forth in Sections 383, 386, 387, 388 and 389 of this Article, shall be so adopted or passed if the said resolution shall undertake to regulate, authorize or license the running of any dog race with pari-mutuel betting or the running of any horse trotting or harness race, provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall preclude the adoption of any resolution regulating, authorizing, or licensing any horse show or exhibition at which horse racing is not permitted.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved June 1, 1948.

CHAPTER 10

(Senate Bill 10)

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County to authorize the Board of Education of said County to prepare plans for a program of school building construction and improvements, and to levy and collect taxes to make effective said school construction and improvement program, and to repeal Chapter 1075 of the Acts of 1945.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the County Commissioners of Washington County are hereby authorized to authorize and empower the Board of Education of Washington County to prepare plans for a program of school building construction and improvements. The program shall include such plans as the County Commissioners and Board of Education shall jointly deem necessary to construct, alter, recondition and enlarge Winter Street elementary school and any other school buildings in Hagerstown and Washington County, and to furnish and equip the same for school purposes, including the purchase of land, if necessary.