

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That all securities, promises, contracts, assurances, deeds and lawful acts whatsoever heretofore made or done, or hereafter to be made by or to the said Aron Meyers Rothschild by the name of Aron Meyers, shall be of full force and effect, any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

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Full force and effect.

CHAPTER 259.

An act to facilitate the collection of the State taxes in Saint Mary's County.

Passed March 5, 1844.

WHEREAS it has been represented to this General Assembly, that the collectors of the taxes levied for the use of this State, in Saint Mary's county, were appointed in the months of August and September, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-three, when by the first section of the act of December session, eighteen hundred and forty-two, chapter two hundred and sixty-nine, the several and respective county, district and city authorities, were directed to appoint such collectors, on the first Tuesday of April or soon thereafter, in each and every year; AND WHEREAS, doubts are entertained in reference to the validity of the aforesaid appointments, the responsibility of the bonds given by the said collectors, and their power to enforce the collection of the said taxes; for remedy whereof and to remove such doubts. Therefore,

Preamble.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the appointment by the county authorities of Saint Mary's county, of the several collectors of the taxes levied for the use of this State, in said county, be and the same is hereby confirmed, and made valid, and the said collectors are hereby declared to be clothed with all the powers, rights, and privileges of the collectors who may have been appointed in strict compliance with the said act of assembly or any other existing law, upon the subject, and the bonds of the said collectors, and the parties thereto are hereby declared to be liable for all the acts and proceedings of the said collectors, according to the tenor and effect of the said bonds, as if the appointments had been made in strict conformity with the law.

Appointment by county authority confirmed.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That before this act shall take effect, the sureties of the said collectors shall file with the levy court or commissioners of the tax of said county their assent in writing to the provisions thereof.

Sureties to file their assent.