

caused by or shows evidence of having been caused by an automobile accident or by a lethal weapon he or she, or in the case of a hospital, the individual then in charge thereof, shall, as soon as practicable, notify either the Sheriff of the County, the County Police or the State Police of such fact, giving such person's name and address, if known, a description of the injury, and any other facts concerning the affair which might assist in the detection of crime. Any such person failing so to report shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable in any court of competent criminal jurisdiction by a fine not exceeding Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00). The provisions of this section shall only apply in Montgomery, Talbot, [and] Somerset and Prince George's Counties.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1953.

Approved March 9, 1953.

CHAPTER 71

(House Bill 223)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 389, 395 and 401 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Allegany County," sub-title "Lonaconing," as said sections were amended, respectively, by Chapters 705 of 1949, 248 of 1943 and 462 of 1937, providing for the election of a Mayor and four Councilmen; providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Police, a Commissioner of Streets, a Commissioner of Lights and Water, and a Commissioner of Finance; and providing for an increase in the amount of the general purpose tax on real and personal property.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 389, 395 and 401 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Allegany County," sub-title "Lonaconing," as said

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.