

CHAPTER 127

(House Bill 456)

AN ACT concerning

Dorchester County - Accounts Audit

FOR the purpose of changing the time when the audit of the accounts of the Treasurer and Collector for Dorchester County shall be presented to the Grand Jury.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

The Public Local Laws of Dorchester County
Section 6-14
Article 10 - Public Local Laws of Maryland
(1974 Edition, as amended)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 10 - Dorchester County

6-14.

The County Commissioners of Dorchester County shall, at the end of each fiscal year, or oftener if it be deemed necessary, have an audit made of the accounts of the Treasurer and Collector for Dorchester County. Said audit shall show how much was appropriated under each item of the budget and also how much was expended under each item of said budget, and it shall show especially if any item of said budget has been exceeded and how much. A copy of the said audit shall be delivered by the Auditor to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Dorchester County, and the judge of the Circuit Court who delivers the charge to the grand jury, at the [October] MARCH session thereof, in each year, shall call the attention of the grand jury to the said report and shall state to the grand jury any item of said budget that may be overdrawn and how much said item has been overdrawn. The court shall also call the attention of the grand jury to the penalty for expending money on any item of said budget in excess of the amount levied for and stated in said budget. A summary of all expenditures of the County Commissioners for Dorchester County shall be published every three months, showing the expenditures for the preceding three months, in such newspaper or newspapers having general circulation in Dorchester County and the City of Cambridge, as said Commissioners shall determine.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act