

**167D.**

*The county commissioners are authorized to finance and construct erosion control projects within any district in the manner provided by Sections 163(b) and (c), 164, 165, 166 and 167 of this Article. In lieu of the method of financing set forth in Section 163(b) herein, the county commissioners may use the method of financing provided by Section 163A herein.*

**167E.**

*As used herein the word "county" shall mean and include any county and/or Baltimore City. The words "county commissioners" shall mean and include any county commissioners, county council and/or the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore.*

**SEC. 2.** *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1964.*

Approved April 7, 1964.

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CHAPTER 161  
(House Bill 13)

AN ACT to propose amendments to certain sections of the Constitution of Maryland, being Sections 1, 3 and 13 of Article 2, title "Executive Department," and Sections 14, 15, 27 and 52(3) of Article 3, title "Legislative Department," relating to the duration of the Sessions of the General Assembly, making accompanying changes in the present Constitutional provisions concerning the salary of members of the General Assembly, the term of office of the Governor, the nomination of civil officers appointed by the Governor, the time and conditions for introduction of bills and the submission of the budget to the General Assembly by the Governor, correcting an error in Section 15 of Article 3, and submitting these amendments to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, (Three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses concurring), That the following sections be and they are hereby proposed as amendments to Sections 1, 3 and 13 of Article 2, title "Executive Department," and Sections 14, 15, 27 and 52(3) of Article 3, title "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of Maryland, the same if adopted by the legal and qualified voters of the State as herein provided, to become a part of the Constitution of Maryland:*

ARTICLE II

1. Executive Department

The executive power of the State shall be vested in a Governor, whose term of office shall commence on the ~~second~~ *fourth* Wednesday of January next ensuing his election, and continue for four years,