

office, refuse to qualify, resign, die, or be absent from the State the President of the Senate pro tempore shall in like manner administer the government, until he shall be superseded by a Governor or Lieutenant Governor. The Lieutenant Governor when acting as President of the Senate shall receive for his services, the same compensation, which shall for the same period be allowed, to the Speaker of the House of Delegates and no more. And during the time he may administer the Government as Governor, shall receive the same compensation, which the Governor would have received, and been entitled to had he been employed in the duties of his office.

Sec. 11. The President pro tempore of the Senate during the time he administers the government, shall receive in like manner, the same compensation which the Governor would have received had he been employed in the duties of his office and no more

Sec. 12. In case the Lieutenant Governor shall be called upon to administer the government, and shall while in such administration resign, die, or be absent from the State during the recess of the General Assembly, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State for the time being, to convene the Senate for the purpose of choosing a President pro. tem.

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