File No. 3513. CORRESPONDENCE.

SEWERAGE COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, September 15,1905.

Hon. Wm. Cabell Bruce,
City Solicitor,
Court-house.

Dear Sir:-

2835 This Commission has received from the President of the Board of Park Commissioners a communication, a copy of which is herewith enclosed for your information.

The Commission asks of you an opinion as to its authority under the provisions of the Act approved April 7th 1904, known as the Sewerage Enabling Act, to construct any sewers which shall discharge into the waters of the Chesapeake Bay or its tributaries, in contravention of paragraph 8 of the Act as follows: "and provided further that said commission shall have no authority to construct and establish any sewerage system, involving the discharge of sewerage, as distinguished from storm water or ground drainage into the Chesapeake Bay or any of its tributaries".

Very respectfully,
(Signed) Peter Leary, Jr.,
Brig. Genl. U.S.A. Retired.
Chairman.

OPINION.

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LAW DEPARTMENT.

Baltimore, Sept. 25, 1905.

General Peter Leary,
Chairman of the Sewerage Commission.

Dear Sir:-

2836 I hereby acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst., inquiring of me as to "the authority of the Commission to construct any sewers which shall discharge into the waters of the Chesapeake Bay, or