

Acquisition of property [in Baltimore City at Fort Armistead Park, and construction of a correctional complex to provide a 640 bed medium security unit and a 250 bed minimum security unit on the site, subject to the condition that the State of Maryland shall obtain clear title to said property on or before February 15, 1979, without any restriction on its use for a 640 bed medium security unit and a 250 bed minimum security unit on said property. Prior to the expenditure of any funds for the purposes set forth in this Section 1.(3), the Board of Public Works shall have received evidence satisfactory to it that the foregoing condition has been satisfied. If the Board of Public Works receives such satisfactory evidence, it shall so certify and the proceeds of the loan shall thereafter be expended in accordance with the provisions of this Act. If such satisfactory evidence is not received by the Board of Public Works, the Board of Public Works shall revert the proceeds of the loan to the Annuity Bond Fund] AND CONSTRUCTION OF CORRECTIONAL MEDIUM SECURITY FACILITIES TO PROVIDE 800 BEDS. SELECTION OF SITES SHALL BE MADE BY THE GOVERNOR, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THROUGH THE ENACTMENT OF A JOINT RESOLUTION.

(4) There is hereby levied and imposed an annual State tax on all assessable property in the State in rate and amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as and when due and until paid in full, such principal to be discharged within fifteen years of the date of issue of the bonds.]

[SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act is contingent upon satisfaction of the condition that the State of Maryland be able to obtain clear title, on or before February 15, 1979, to the property in Baltimore City at Fort Armistead Park, without any restriction on its use for a correctional complex consisting of a 640 bed medium security unit and a 250 bed minimum security unit on said property. If that condition is not satisfied, Section 2 of this Act is null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly.]

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That chapter(s) of the Acts of the General Assembly be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:~~

[SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of this Act are not severable, and if any provision of this Act is declared to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, or is otherwise precluded from taking effect, then this Act shall be null and void in its entirety.]

SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1 [1978] 1979.