

**CHAPTER 606**

**(House Bill 1398)**

AN ACT concerning

**Adult Day Care Centers Program – State Grants**

FOR the purpose of removing the limitation on the size of grants from the State to adult day care centers in the State.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Health – General

Section 24-704(e)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1992 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article – Health – General**

24-704.

(e) At the discretion of the Board of Public Works, a State grant may exceed 50 percent of the cost of eligible work remaining unpaid after all federal and other grants have been applied [up to \$400,000], if:

(1) The project involves the conversion of a public building or part of a building to an adult day care center, the renovation of an adult day care center, or the planning, design, and construction of an adult day care center;

(2) The value of real property and improvements made available by the local government, or the value of the center to be renovated, equals or exceeds the amount of the State grant;

(3) No State funds have been used for the acquisition, construction, or maintenance of any real property and improvements made available by the local government or any building to be converted or renovated; and

(4) The State is not responsible for any bonded indebtedness in connection with any real property and improvements made available by the local government or any building to be converted or renovated.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1993.

Approved May 27, 1993.