

powers to own, regulate, and control a jail; establishing the Division of Pretrial Detention and Services as a new unit within the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services; establishing certain findings and policies for the creation of the Division of Pretrial Detention and Services; creating certain administrative positions and setting forth certain duties; providing for the continuation of the Pretrial Release Services Program; providing for the housing of certain persons on a certain date; requiring the establishment of a home detention program; providing for the commitment of certain persons after a certain date; providing for the title and possession of certain records to be handled in a certain manner; providing for the termination of employees and officers of the Baltimore City Jail; providing for the hiring of former officers and employees of the Baltimore City Jail under certain circumstances at certain salaries; specifying certain financial responsibilities of the City of Baltimore; directing the transfer of property, assets, licenses, credits and rights of the Baltimore City Jail to the Secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services; specifying the applicability of the State and Local Tort Claims Acts; authorizing the Secretary to accept certain liabilities and assume certain contracts of Baltimore City only under certain circumstances; authorizing the Secretary to assume certain procurement and construction contracts entered into by Baltimore City under certain circumstances; directing that procurement for the Division shall otherwise be consistent with State procurement laws; providing for a certain exception to the State procurement laws; requiring the establishment of a centralized booking facility and the procurement of certain equipment; providing for certain pension and health insurance benefits for certain former employees of the Baltimore City Jail and for employees of the Baltimore City Detention Center; altering the State Aid for Police Protection Fund in a certain manner; requiring the State to provide certain sick and annual leave to former officers and employees of the Baltimore City Jail under certain circumstances; requiring the City of Baltimore to pay former officers and employees of the Baltimore City Jail for certain sick and annual leave, under certain circumstances; requiring that the Division of Pretrial Detention and Services provide certain information concerning sick leave to the City of Baltimore; requiring that the City of Baltimore provide certain payments to the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services; requiring the City of Baltimore and the State to establish a certain process to inform and advise certain employees; providing for a two-week notification to certain employees; providing that certain employees may present certain grievances; authorizing a certain payroll deduction under certain circumstances; specifying certain contractual obligations; providing that Baltimore City is responsible for certain fiscal year 1991 deficiencies; requiring the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services to submit for approval certain budgetary information by a certain date; providing that certain active State employees may not receive certain retiree health benefits; correcting certain references; making other technical corrections; and generally relating to the creation and operation of the new Division of Pretrial Detention and Services.

BY repealing

Article 27 – Crimes and Punishments

Section 700B(g), 700C(e), 700D(b), 700D-1(g), and 700J