of certain property in Baltimore City, and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Maryland for adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, (three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses concurring), That the following Article to follow immediately after Article XI-F and to be known as Article XI-G, AND TO BE ENTITLED "CITY OF BALTIMORE—REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT LOANS," be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of Maryland, which Article, if adopted by the qualified voters of the State of Maryland, as herein provided, shall thereby, by such adoption, be and become a part of the Constitution of Maryland.

ARTICLE XI-G

City of Baltimore—Rehabilitation and Improvement Loans

Section 1. The General Assembly of Maryland, by public local law, may authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore:

- (a) To make or contract to make financial loans to the owners of buildings or structures located within the boundaries of Baltimore City, which are used or occupied for residential purposes, for or in connection with rehabilitating or improving said buildings or structures.
- (b) To guarantee or insure financial loans made by third parties to the owners of buildings or structures located within the boundary lines of Baltimore City, which are used or occupied for residential purposes, for or in connection with rehabilitating or improving said buildings or structures.
- (c) Any and all financial loans made by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore; any and all guarantees or insurance commitments made by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore in connection with any of said loans; and any and all money used or expended by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore in connection with said loans, guarantees, or insurance commitments, pursuant to the power and authority hereinabove vested in the municipality, and any and all acts performed by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore in connection with any powers which may be granted to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore pursuant to this Article, are all hereby declared to be needed, contracted for, expended or exercised for a public use.
- (d) In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Article and those of Article XI, Section 7, of the Constitution of Maryland, or any other provisions of said Constitution, then the provisions of this Article shall control.
- See. 2. The General Assembly of Maryland may grant to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore any and all additional power and authority necessary or proper to carry into full force and effect any and all of the specific powers which the General Assembly is authorized to grant to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore pursuant to this Article, and to fully accomplish any and all of the purposes and objects contemplated by the provisions of this Article, provided