by the applicable eounty STATE, COUNTY, or municipal corporation property tax rate for the current year.

- (2) For the taxable year [1990-1991] 1991-1992 and each year thereafter, subsections (f) through (k) of this section apply, and the property tax credit under this section is calculated by:
- (i) multiplying the prior year's taxable assessment by [115%] THE TAX CREDIT INDEX AS DETERMINED UNDER SUBSECTION (F-1) OF THIS SECTION;
  - (ii) subtracting that amount from the current year's assessment;
- (iii) if the difference is a positive number, multiplying the difference by the applicable county or municipal corporation property tax rate for the current year; and
- (iv) multiplying that amount by the income factor specified in subsection (f) of this section.
- (2) FOR EACH TAXABLE YEAR, THE HOMESTEAD CREDIT PERCENTAGE UNDER PARAGRAPH (1)(I) OF THIS SUBSECTION IS:
  - (I) FOR THE STATE PROPERTY TAX, 110%;
- (II) FOR THE COUNTY PROPERTY TAX, THE HOMESTEAD CREDIT PERCENTAGE ESTABLISHED BY THE COUNTY UNDER PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION; AND
  - (III) FOR THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION PROPERTY TAX:
- 1. THE HOMESTEAD CREDIT PERCENTAGE ESTABLISHED BY THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION UNDER PARAGRAPH (4) OF THIS SUBSECTION; OR
- 2. IF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION HAS NOT SET A PERCENTAGE UNDER PARAGRAPH (4) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE HOMESTEAD CREDIT PERCENTAGE SET BY THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED.
- (3) <u>SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (5) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE CITY AND THE GOVERNING BODY OF A COUNTY:</u>
- (I) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1991, SHALL SET, BY LAW, A HOMESTEAD CREDIT PERCENTAGE FOR THE TAXABLE YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1991 AND ANY SUBSEQUENT TAXABLE YEAR; AND
- (II) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1 OF 1992, AND OF ANY YEAR THEREAFTER, MAY ALTER, BY LAW, THE HOMESTEAD CREDIT PERCENTAGE FOR THE TAXABLE YEAR BEGINNING THE FOLLOWING JULY 1 AND ANY SUBSEQUENT TAXABLE YEAR.