

(1958 Supplement), title "State Department of Public Welfare", relating to the payment of the contributions required for employees of the State Department of Public Welfare and of the several local departments of public welfare and of the Department of Public Welfare of Baltimore City to obtain for such employees the benefits of the system operating under the provisions of the Social Security Act.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That sub-section (b-1) of Section 13 of Article 88A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1958 Supplement), title "State Department of Public Welfare", be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

13.

(b-1) Each of the twenty-three county welfare boards shall pay to the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Maryland, annually an amount equal to twenty per centum (20%) of the total amount which is required for that year as the State's or employer's contributions to the Retirement System *and the System operating under the provisions of the Social Security Act of the United States* for the employees of each county, respectively; and the contributions by the State to the Retirement System *and the System operating under the provisions of the Social Security Act* shall be accordingly reduced. **[This payment]** *These payments* shall be part of the administrative costs of the County Welfare Board to be paid from funds derived from local sources. If the ratio of administrative costs paid from funds derived from local sources varies from time to time to a percentage greater or less than twenty per centum (20%), the payment by the county of a proportion of the contributions to the Retirement System *and the System operating under the provisions of the Social Security Act* shall be changed accordingly.

In consideration of the membership of the employees of the Department of Public Welfare of Baltimore City in the Employees' Retirement System of the City of Baltimore, there shall be included in the State Budget each year an appropriation item to reimburse the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore in an amount equal to eighty per centum (80%) of the contribution by the City of Baltimore for that year to the Employees' Retirement System of the City of Baltimore for such positions in Baltimore City; but the annual reimbursement by the State shall never exceed eighty per centum (80%) of the amount which would be contributed for that year by the State to the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Maryland for such positions if they were included in the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Maryland. If the ratio of administrative costs paid from State and Federal funds varies from time to time to a percentage greater or less than eighty per centum (80%), the payment by the State of a proportion of such expense incurred by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall be changed accordingly.

There shall also be included in the State Budget each year an appropriation item to reimburse the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore in an amount equal to eighty per centum (80%) of the total amount of money paid by the Mayor and City Council of