

When the adopting parent is married to the natural parent of the child, nothing contained in this section shall affect the rights of a parent's inheritance between the child and the natural parent or their collateral or lineal relatives.

(c) The term "child", "heir", "issue", "descendant" or an equivalent in a deed, grant, will or other written instrument shall be held to include any adopted person, unless the contrary plainly appears by the terms thereof, whether such instrument was executed before or after the entry of the interlocutory decree of adoption, if any, and if none, before or after the entry of the final decree of adoption; in the event such instrument was executed prior to June 1, 1947, the provisions of this sub-section shall apply to those adopted persons as to whom the interlocutory decree of adoption, if any, and if none, the final decree of adoption was entered on or after June 1, 1947.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.*

Approved March 29, 1963.

CHAPTER 175

(Senate Bill 289)

AN ACT to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to create a debt, and to issue and sell its certificates of indebtedness as evidence thereof, to an amount not exceeding five million dollars (\$5,000,000), the proceeds derived from the sale of the certificates of indebtedness to be used for the acquisition, by purchase, condemnation or any other legal means, of land or property, or any rights therein, in the City of Baltimore, and for constructing and erecting on said land or property, or on any land or property now or hereafter owned by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, buildings, structures and facilities to be used for or in connection with a school administrative and service center to accommodate the central administrative, supervisory and service personnel of the Baltimore City public schools, and for acquiring and installing equipment for any and all buildings, structures or facilities authorized to be constructed or erected under the provisions hereof, and for architectural and engineering services and surveys and any other activities relating to planning for the above mentioned buildings, structures and facilities, and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection with or pertaining to any or all of the matters or things hereinbefore mentioned; conferring certain powers upon the Board of School Commissioners of Baltimore City; imposing certain conditions in connection with the expenditure of the proceeds derived from the sale of said certificates of indebtedness; authorizing said municipality to submit an ordinance or ordinances for said purpose to the legal voters of Baltimore City, and providing generally for the issuance and sale of said certificates of indebtedness.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That:*

(a) The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore be and it is hereby