CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION—HAGERSTOWN REGARD-LESS OF AGE. THE COURTS OF THIS STATE, INSTEAD OF IMPOSING SENTENCES OF FIXED DURATION UPON MALE OFFENDERS INCLUDED WITHIN THIS SUBSECTION MAY SENTENCE THEM TO THE MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION—HAGERSTOWN FOR AN INDETERMINATE PERIOD OF TIME WHICH MAY NOT EXCEED THE MAXIMUM TERM OF IMPRISONMENT PROVIDED BY STATUTE FOR THE OFFENSES OF WHICH SAID PERSON WAS CONVICTED; AND IN THE EVENT NO PENALTY IS PRESCRIBED BY STATUTE FOR SAID OFFENSES THEN THE COURT SHALL PRESCRIBE THE MAXIMUM TERM OF IMPRISONMENT; BUT NOTHING IN THIS SENTENCE APPLIES TO ANY CASE IN WHICH THE SENTENCE IS LIFE IMPRISONMENT OR TO THE SERVICE OF TIME FOR NONPAYMENT OF A FINE.

(E) THE MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION FOR WOMEN—JESSUPS JESSUP, WHICH IS THE PLACE OF CONFINEMENT AND TRAINING FOR ALL FEMALE OFFENDERS WHO ARE SENTENCED TO IMPRISONMENT IN ANY INSTITUTION OTHER THAN A JAIL, FOR AN OFFENSE FOR WHICH THE MAXIMUM PENALTY EXCEEDS THREE (3) MONTHS.

ANY FEMALE OFFENDER WHO MAY BE SENTENCED TO DEATH SHALL BE DETAINED IN PROPER SEGREGATION AND UNDER ADEQUATE CONTROL IN THE MARYLAND COR-RECTIONAL INSTITUTION FOR WOMEN—JESSUPS JESSUP UNTIL NOT LESS THAN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS PRIOR TO THE TIME FIXED BY THE GOVERNOR FOR THE EXECUTION OF SUCH OFFENDER, AT WHICH TIME THE OFFENDER SHALL BE TRANSFERRED, BY AUTHORITY OF THE DE-PARTMENT OF CORRECTION, TO THE DEATH HOUSE IN THE MARYLAND PENITENTIARY FOR SUCH EXECUTION, TO BE PERFORMED UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF THE WARDEN OF THE MARYLAND PENITENTIARY IN AC-CORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 71 TO 79, BOTH INCLUSIVE, OF THIS ARTICLE, AND IN THE PRES-ENCE OF FEMALE OFFICERS ASSIGNED FOR THIS PUR-POSE. THE COURTS OF THIS STATE, INSTEAD OF IMPOSING SENTENCE OF FIXED DURATION UPON FEMALE OF-FENDERS, MAY SENTENCE THEM TO THE MARYLAND COR-RECTIONAL INSTITUTION FOR WOMEN—JESSUPS JESSUP FOR AN INDETERMINATE PERIOD OF TIME WHICH MAY NOT EXCEED THE MAXIMUM TERM OF IMPRISONMENT PROVIDED BY STATUTE FOR THE OFFENSE OF WHICH SAID PERSON WAS CONVICTED AND IN THE EVENT NO PENALTY IS PROVIDED BY STATUTE FOR SAID OFFENSE THEN THE COURT SHALL PRESCRIBE THE MAXIMUM THEN THE COURT SHALL PRESCRIBE THE MAXIMUM TERM OF IMPRISONMENT; BUT NOTHING IN THIS SUBSECTION RELATING TO THE IMPOSITION OF AN INDE-TERMINATE SENTENCE APPLIES TO ANY CASE IN WHICH THE SENTENCE IMPOSED IS LIFE IMPRISONMENT.

SEC. 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT WHEN-EVER IN THE LAWS OR IN THE RULES OR REGULATIONS OF ANY DEPARTMENT, BUREAU, COMMISSION, BOARD OR OTHER AGENCY OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND OR OF ANY