

county, the Criminal Court of Baltimore, or one of the law or equity courts of Baltimore City, if it shall be made to appear to the Court for Appeals upon petition of any party, [whether a defendant or] including the State, that a review is desirable and in the public interest, the Court of Appeals shall require, by certiorari or otherwise, any such case to be certified to the Court of Appeals for its review and determination, except no such petition shall be entertained by the Court of Appeals from the denying or granting by the Court of Special Appeals of an application for leave to prosecute an appeal in post conviction and defective delinquent proceedings and from the denying or granting by the Court of Special Appeals of a petition for review filed under Section 21 of this article.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 66K and 84 of Article 16 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1966 Replacement Volume), title "Chancery," subtitles "Paternity Proceedings" and "Adoption," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, all to read as follows:*

66K.

[The right of any] *Any party shall have the same right to appeal to the Court of Special Appeals of Maryland from an order of the court [shall be the same], as in any other case [tried in the equity or laws courts of this State.] subject to the appellate jurisdiction of the Court of Special Appeals.*

84.

*Any party to an adoption proceeding may appeal to the Court of Special Appeals from any interlocutory or final order or decree of the trial court.*

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 645A (e) of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1967 Replacement Volume), title "Crimes and Punishments," subtitle "Post Conviction Procedure," be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with an amendment, to read as follows:*

645A.

(e) *The remedy herein provided is not a substitute for, nor does it affect any remedies which are incident to the proceedings in the trial court or before the trial magistrate (including a judge of the Municipal Court of Baltimore City or of the people's court of any county) or any remedy of direct review of the sentence or conviction. A petition for relief under this subtitle may be filed at any time. No appeals to the Court of Appeals of Maryland or the Court of Special Appeals in habeas corpus or coram nobis cases, or from other common-law or statutory remedies which have heretofore been available for challenging the validity of incarceration under sentence of death or imprisonment shall be permitted or entertained, except appeals in such cases pending in the Court of Appeals on June 1, 1958, shall be processed in due course. Provided,*