

"Places of Reformation and Punishment," subheading "Department of ~~Correction~~," CORRECTIONAL SERVICES," and to add new Sections 6A and 6B to Article 30 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Deaf, Mute or Blind," subtitle "Workshop and School for Blind," to follow immediately after Section 6 thereof, to provide that state institutions and agencies shall purchase products and/or services from the Workshop for the Blind, to create a Pricing Committee to set and adjust the price of products sold by the Workshop, and to make certain corrections in the references therein.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 681(c) of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Crimes and Punishments," subtitle "Places of Reformation and Punishment," subheading "Department of ~~Correction~~," CORRECTIONAL SERVICES," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and that new Sections 6A and 6B be and they are hereby added to Article 30 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title "Deaf, Mute or Blind," subtitle "Workshop and School for Blind," to follow immediately after Section 6 thereof, all to read as follows:

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(c) The Department of **[Correction]** *Correctional Services* as funds are made available may equip the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Maryland under its jurisdiction, hereinafter called "producing institutions," with such plants, machinery, and necessities as will permit them adequately to supply all goods, wares, merchandise, and produce required to be purchased by the needs of the State, its political subdivisions, and by State-aided, owned, controlled, or managed public or quasi-public institutions and agencies, hereinafter called "consuming institutions," as may be feasible; but (except as herein otherwise provided) in equipping the penal and reformatory institutions with plants, machinery, and necessities, the Department of **[Correction]** *Correctional Services* shall not utilize monies from the so-called State-Use Industries Fund for any of the permanent, semipermanent, or long-time construction projects or assets which are generally included in the phrase "capital" assets, expenditures, or projects. Notwithstanding the provisions of the preceding sentence, the Department of **[Correction]** *Correctional Services* may establish and utilize a revolving fund which may not at any time contain a sum of money greater than five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000); the revolving fund may be used for the purchase of capital assets and also for general operating expenses, and an accurate detailed statement shall be made and transmitted to the Comptroller from time to time of all receipts and disbursements from this revolving fund. All of the consuming institutions shall purchase their requirements of the same from the Department of **[Correction]** *Correctional Services* exclusively, except as provided by Section 6A of Article 30 of the Annotated Code, and such products **[such]** as the Department of **[Correction]** *Correctional Services* and the Maryland Workshop for the Blind in writing **[notifies]** *notify* the Department of Budget and Procurement cannot be furnished by the penal or reformatory institutions of the State **[,]** or the Maryland Workshop for the Blind, or such as their perishable nature may render impracticable for