GROUP OR FIRM WHICH IS LICENSED OR REGULATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATIONS AS SET OUT UNDER ARTICLE 41, SUBTITLE 15A, "THE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATIONS," TO REFUSE, WITHHOLD FROM, DENY OR DISCRIMINATE AGAINST ANY PERSON THE ACCOMMODATIONS, ADVANTAGES, FACILITIES, PRIVILEGES, SALES OR SERVICES BECAUSE OF THE RACE, SEX, CREED, COLOR OR NATIONAL ORIGIN OF ANY PERSON. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL BE CONSTRUED OR INTERPRETED TO PROHIBIT ANY PERSON, BUSINESS, CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, CO-PARTNERSHIP, ASSOCIATION OR ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL, AGENT, EMPLOYEE, GROUP OR FIRM WHICH IS LICENSED OR REGULATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATION FROM THE RIGHT TO REFUSE, WITHHOLD FROM OR DENY ANY PERSON FOR FAILURE TO CONFORM TO THE USUAL AND REGULAR REQUIREMENTS, STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS OF ANY SUCH PERSON, BUSINESS, CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, CO-PARTNERSHIP, ASSOCIATION CONTEMPLATED BY THIS SECTION SO LONG AS THE DENIAL IS NOT BASED UPON DISCRIMINATION ON THE GROUNDS OF RACE, SEX, COLOR, CREED, OR NATIONAL ORIGIN.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1971.

Approved May 17, 1971.

CHAPTER 448

(Senate Bill 345)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 5 (A) (10) of Chapter 409 of the Acts of 1969, contained in the General Construction Loan of 1969, to remove the requirement that this appropriation be contingent upon and supplementary to the Maryland Historical Trust providing equal matching funds for acquiring historic properties in and adjoining the City of Annapolis, either with or without supplementation of funds from other sources, in order to acquire, preserve or protect historic old homes and properties in and around Annapolis.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 5 (A) (10) of Chapter 409 of the Acts of 1969, contained in the General Construction Loan of 1969, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(10). Contingent upon and supplementary to the Maryland Historical Trust providing equal matching funds for acquiring To acquire historic properties in and adjoining the City of Annapolis, either with or without supplementation of funds from other sources,