

CHAPTER 274

(House Bill 302)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 26A(g) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Supplement), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "General Provisions," correcting a certain omission in the laws relating to county commissioners.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 26A(g) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Supplement), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "General Provisions," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

26A.

(g) The Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments operating under the provisions of this section shall be entitled to receive State financial support to assist it in carrying out its activities on the basis of fifty per centum of the per capita contributions of the participating Maryland governments in the council; provided, however, that the State contribution shall not exceed an amount equal to the sum computed on the basis of three thousand two hundred dollars (\$3,200) for each fifty thousand (50,000) persons residing in the participating Maryland governments in the council. This amount shall be included in the annual State budget and shall be subject to review by the General Assembly.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1972.

Approved May 5, 1972.

CHAPTER 275

(House Bill 303)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 1 of Article 39C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Supplement), title "Statute of Frauds," correcting a certain error in the laws relating to the Statute of Frauds.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 1 of Article 39C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Supplement), title "Statute of Frauds," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

1.

All corporeal [estate] *estates*, leasehold or freehold, or incorporeal interests in land made or created by parol and not in writing and signed by the party so making or creating the same, or his agent