

Section 65, 65A and 88  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement)

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 88A - Social Services Administration  
Section 3(a), 18A(b), 62A, 63, 64, 66, 67, 71, 76,  
77 and 78  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Sections 11 through 14, 16 through 28 and 30 including the subtitle "Public Assistance to the Needy Blind" of Article 30 - Deaf, Mute and Blind, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 65 of Article 88A - Social Services Administration, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 88 of Article 88A - Social Services Administration, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) be and it is hereby renumbered to be Section 89.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That new Sections 65, 65A and 88 be and they are hereby added to Article 88A - Social Services Administration, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 88A - Social Services Administration

65.

(A) THE SOCIAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION SHALL ESTABLISH, IMPLEMENT AND MODIFY AS NECESSARY A PROGRAM OF STATE AND LOCALLY FUNDED ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS TO RESIDENTS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND WHOSE INCOME AND BENEFITS ARE NOT SUFFICIENT TO MAINTAIN A REASONABLE SUBSISTENCE COMPATIBLE WITH DECENCY AND HEALTH, AND WHO (1) ARE ELIGIBLE FOR OR RECEIVE CASH BENEFITS UNDER TITLE XVI OF THE FEDERAL SOCIAL SECURITY ACT, OR (2) ARE AGED, BLIND,