DAMAGE OR DESTRUCTION AND PROVIDED THAT THE ASSESSMENT WAS NOT REDUCED OR ABATED BECAUSE OF DAMAGE OR DESTRUCTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1975.

Approved May 15, 1975.

CHAPTER 602

(Senate Bill 625)

AN ACT concerning

Public Libraries - Capital Budgets

FOR the purpose of having requests for capital expenditures of the Regional and State Library Resource Centers prepared by the State Department of Education and submitted through the Department of State Planning for inclusion in the Governor's Capital Budget.

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 77 — Public Education Section 168(d) and 169(a) (9) Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 168 (d) and 169 (a) (9) of Article 77 — Public Education, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and re—enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 77 - Public Education

168.

(d) [The State Department of Education may include in its budget request such sum or sums as may in its judgment be required for capital expenditures for improvements of existing facilities, additions to existing facilities or new facilities including furniture