

leave to prosecute an appeal therefrom [in all other cases]. Said application for leave to prosecute an appeal shall be in [such] THE form [as said appellate courts may, by their rules, prescribe] PRESCRIBED BY THE MARYLAND RULES, and in the event that the Attorney General or the State's attorney shall forthwith state his intention to file such application for an appeal, the order may be stayed, but the judge may, in his discretion, admit the petitioner to bail for his appearance when required. If the application to prosecute such appeal shall be granted, the procedure thereafter shall be in conformity with the MARYLAND rules [of said appellate courts] and the [courts] COURT may affirm, reverse or modify the order appealed from, or [they] IT may remand the case for further proceedings, but if said application is denied, the order sought to be reviewed shall thereby become final.

SECTION 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 4(b) of Article 27A -Public Defender, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 27A - Public Defender

4.

(b) Legal representation shall be provided indigent defendants in the following proceedings:

(1) In any criminal or juvenile proceeding constitutionally requiring the presence of counsel prior to presentment before a commissioner or judge.

(2) Criminal or juvenile proceedings, where the defendant is charged with a serious crime, before the District Court of Maryland, the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, the various circuit courts within the State of Maryland, AND the Court of Special Appeals [of Maryland, and the Court of Appeals of Maryland].

(3) Proceedings under the defective delinquent laws, Article 31B, Annotated Code of Maryland.

(4) Postconviction proceedings under Article 27, Annotated Code of Maryland.

(5) Any other proceeding where possible incarceration pursuant to a judicial commitment of individuals in institutions of a public or private nature may result.

SECTION 8. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Sections 3-21(d), 17-7(b), 19-3, and 27-10 of Article 33 - Election Code, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

3-21.