government are included within the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services: the Maryland Civil Defense and Disaster Preparedness Agency established pursuant to § 204D of this article, the Civil Defense and Disaster Preparedness Advisory Council, the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board, the Division of Correction established pursuant to § 204D of this article, the Patuxent Institution, the Board of Fatuxent Institution, [the Advisory Board for Defective Delinguents, the Institutional] THE Board of Review FOR PATUXENT INSTITUTION, the State Fire Prevention Commission, the office of State Fire Marshal, the Folice Training Commission, the [Board of] MARYLAND Parole COMMISSION, the Division of Parole and Probation established pursuant to § 204D of this article, the Sundry Claims Board, the Maryland State Police established pursuant to § 204D of this article, the Advisory Board for Correction, Parole and Probation established pursuant to § 204E of this article, and such other agencies, boards, commissions, councils, offices, or units of government as hereafter pursuant to law be declared to be part of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services.

204C.

(c) The Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services may in his discretion exercise or perform any power, duty, responsibility or function which any of the divisions, boards, commissions, offices or other agencies within the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services are authorized to exercise or perform, except for those powers, duties, responsibilities and functions set forth in [§ 4, subsections (d), (e), (f) and (g) of Article 26A of this Code, §§ 4, 7, 12 and 13 of Article 31B of this Code, §§ 7(a) and 14(a) of Article 38A of this Code, and §§ 110(a) and (c), 113(b), 116 and 188A of Article 41 of this Code] ARTICLE 26A, § 4(D) THROUGH (G); 31B, §§ 3(E) THROUGH (G), 8(B) AND (C), 9, 10, AND 11; ARTICLE 38A, §§ 7(A) AND 14(A); AND ARTICLE 41, §§ 110(A) AND (C), 113(B), 116, AND 188A OF THIS CODE.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Sections 3-703(a) and 12-202 of Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

3-703.

(a) If [if] IT appears to the judge from the petition for the writ cr otherwise, that a petitioner, confined as a result of sentence for a criminal offense[,] OR judgment in a juvenile proceeding[, or as a defective delinquent,] has previously been given a