THIS SUBSECTION, [A] A retired judge eligible for benefits under this subtitle may accept employment in which all or part of the compensation for the employment comes from municipal, county, State, or federal funds, if he immediately notifies the board of trustees of the Employees' Retirement System of his intention to accept the employment and specifies the compensation to be received for the employment. The annual retirement allowance receivable by the former judge plus the annual compensation for the position may not exceed in amount the compensation upon which the retirement allowance is During any period in which the total of the annual retirement allowance and the annual compensation for the position in fact exceeds the compensation upon which the retirement allowance is based, the retirement allowance shall be reduced by that amount necessary to bring the former judge's total compensation within the limit specified in this subsection. If a retired judge accepts employment in accordance with this subsection and is subsequently awarded retirement kenefits as a result that employment, his retirement benefits under this subtitle shall be reduced in the amount of the retirement benefits resulting from the subsequent employment.

(2) THIS SUBSECTION DCES NOT AFFLY TO A FORMER JUDGE WHO IS TEMPORABILY ASSIGNED TO SIT IN ANY COURT OF THIS STATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF ARTICLE IV, § 3A OF THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION. COMPENSATION FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE UNDER THAT PROVISION IS GOVERNED BY § 1-302 OF THE COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS ARTICLE. CREDITABLE SERVICE FOR PENSION OR RETIREMENT PURPOSES DOES NOT ACCRUE BY REASON OF SERVICE UNDER THAT PROVISION, AND A DEDUCTION FROM COMPENSATION FOR THIS SERVICE MAY NOT BE WITHHELD FOR FENSION OR RETIREMENT PURPOSES.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved May 26, 1977.

CHAPTER 900

(Senate Bill 620)

AN ACT concerning

Property Assessments - Agricultural Use

FOR the purpose of excepting certain subdivided land from disqualification from farm or agricultural use assessments.

By repealing and reenacting, with amendments,