State of Maryland under the provisions of Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, said Act being as follows:

AN ACT concerning Debtors — Property Exempted from Execution. For the purpose of opening to legislation the amount of property a debtor may have protected from execution.

And it is hereby certified that at said election, 497,163 votes were cast for the adoption of said Chapter 549 and 262,370 votes were cast against the adoption of said Chapter 549, the said Chapter 549 of the Acts of 1976 has therefore been ratified by the qualified voters of the State of Maryland.

GIVEN Under My Hand and the Seal of the State Administrative Board of Election Laws of the State of Maryland, Done at the City of Annapolis, this 23rd day of November, In the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Seventy-Six.

(Seal of State Administrative Board of Election Laws)

> Willard A. Morris Administrator

1976, Chapter 550 - New Counties - Number of Inhabitants STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 23-11 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, the State Administrative Board of Election Laws does hereby certify that at the General Election held in the State of Maryland on November 2, 1976, an Act known as Chapter 550 of the Acts of 1976 was submitted to the voters of the State of Maryland under the provisions of Article XIV of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, said Act being as follows:

AN ACT concerning New Counties - Reference to Race in Number of Inhabitants. For the purpose of removing reference to race in number of inhabitants required to form new counties or change county lines and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Maryland for their adoption or rejection.

And it is hereby certified that at said election, 598,284 votes were cast for the adoption of said Chapter 550 and 198,875 votes were cast against the adoption of said Chapter 550, the said Chapter 550 of the Acts of 1976 has therefore been ratified by the qualified votes of the State of Maryland.