

contraband of law as a gambling device or as a part of a gambling operation. All rights, title, and interest in and to such money, currency, or cash SEIZED BY THE POLICE OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT shall immediately vest in and to the local governments of the ~~city-and-counties~~ COUNTY, MUNICIPALITY, OR BALTIMORE CITY, or if seized by State authorities, to the State, and no such money, currency, or cash shall be returned to any person claiming the same, or to any other person, except as provided in this section. The Baltimore City police department is not a State authority for the purposes of this section.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1979.

Approved May 14, 1979.

CHAPTER 335

(House Bill 413)

AN ACT concerning

Adult Protective Services

FOR the purpose of granting immunity to law enforcement officers performing certain duties.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Estates and Trusts
Section 13-710
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1974 Volume and 1978 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article - Estates and Trusts

13-710.

(A) Any person filing a petition, participating in the making of a good-faith report, participating in an investigation or in a judicial proceeding resulting therefrom, pursuant to § 13-705, § 13-709 or § 109, Article 88A, shall in so doing be immune from any civil liability or criminal penalty that might otherwise be incurred or imposed as a result thereof.