

changes; clarifying language; and generally relating to community adult rehabilitation centers.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section 706, 707, 709, 710, and 710E
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1976 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section ~~707~~, 708, 710A, 710B, and 710C
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1976 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section ~~709~~ and 710D
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1976 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section ~~709~~ and 710D
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1976 Replacement Volume and 1979 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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 27 - Crimes and Punishments

706.

The General Assembly finds and declares that:

(1) There is a need for community based adult rehabilitation centers for the housing and rehabilitation of persons who have been convicted of crimes but who, in the judgment of the courts and appropriate correctional personnel, can best be rehabilitated without substantial danger to the community in local community facilities;

(2) These adult rehabilitation centers should be but one component in the overall correctional system, and should be utilized only for those persons who can best be rehabilitated in them and who will not present a substantial danger to the community;