

OF ANY PERSON OR SUBDIVISION. NOTHING CONTAINED IN THIS SUBTITLE SHALL AFFECT THE POWER OF THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE, AS SET FORTH IN SECTION 3-110 OF THIS TITLE, TO DIRECT THE MARYLAND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE TO UNDERTAKE ANY OF THE ACTIONS AUTHORIZED THEREIN.

(P) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS SUBTITLE, ALL GENERAL FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE MARYLAND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE TO PREPARE THE FIVE-YEAR PLAN PROVIDING FOR SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL PROJECTS IN THE PARTICIPATING COUNTIES AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 3-106 OF THIS TITLE OR TO PROVIDE FOR ITS ADOPTION, APPROVAL AND IMPLEMENTATION SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE AUTHORITY FOR APPLICATION BY THE AUTHORITY TO SUCH PURPOSES.

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(A) AS USED IN THIS ~~ARTICLE~~ SUBTITLE, THE WORDS AND TERMS LISTED IN THIS SECTION HAVE THE MEANING GIVEN, UNLESS THE CONTEXT CLEARLY INDICATES ANOTHER OR DIFFERENT MEANING.

(B) "BONDS" MEANS ALL BONDS, BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES, REVENUE ANTICIPATION NOTES, GRANT ANTICIPATION NOTES, OR OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS OF THE AUTHORITY, WHETHER GENERAL OR LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE AUTHORITY.

(C) "COST" SHALL INCLUDE THE PURCHASE PRICE OF ANY PROJECT OR THE COST OF ACQUIRING ALL OR ANY PORTION OF THE RIGHT, TITLE, OR INTEREST OF A PROJECT AND THE AMOUNT TO BE PAID TO DISCHARGE ALL OBLIGATIONS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE TO VEST TITLE TO THE PROJECT OR ANY PART THEREOF IN THE AUTHORITY OR OTHER OWNER; THE COST OF ANY RECONSTRUCTION, EXTENSION, ENLARGEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR OR IMPROVEMENT; THE COST OF ALL LANDS, PROPERTIES, RIGHTS, EASEMENTS, FRANCHISES, AND PERMITS; THE COST OF ALL LABOR, MACHINERY, AND EQUIPMENT; FINANCING CHARGES; INTEREST PRIOR TO AND DURING CONSTRUCTION AND IF, DEEMED DESIRABLE BY THE AUTHORITY, FOR A LIMITED PERIOD AFTER THE COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION; RESERVES FOR PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST AND FOR EXTENSIONS, ENLARGEMENTS, ADDITIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS; THE COST OF REVENUE ESTIMATES, ENGINEERING AND LEGAL SERVICES, PLANS, DESIGNS, SPECIFICATIONS, SURVEYS, INVESTIGATIONS, DEMONSTRATIONS, STUDIES, ESTIMATES OF COST, OTHER EXPENSES NECESSARY OR INCIDENT TO DETERMINING THE FEASIBILITY OR PRACTICABILITY OF ANY SUCH ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, REPAIR OR CONSTRUCTION; ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES, AND OTHER EXPENSES AS NECESSARY OR INCIDENT TO THE FINANCINGS HEREIN AUTHORIZED, AND TO THE ACQUISITION, OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, IMPROVEMENT, CONSTRUCTION OF A PROJECT AND THE PLACING OF THE SAME IN OPERATION BY THE AUTHORITY, INCLUDING REASONABLE PROVISION FOR WORKING CAPITAL. ANY OBLIGATION OR EXPENSE INCURRED PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ~~ARTICLE~~ SUBTITLE IN CONNECTION WITH THE FOREGOING ITEMS OF COST MAY BE REGARDED AS A PART OF SUCH COST.

(D) THE WORD "COUNTY" INCLUDES THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.

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