WHICH A DWELLING HAS BEEN CONSTRUCTED, WHICH REAL PROPERTY SHALL BE VALUED AT ITS PURCHASE PRICE OR APPRAISED VALUE, WHICHEVER IS LESS. An individual mortgage loan authorized under this program may not exceed \$80,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall—take—effect—June—15,—1981 is declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, it shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 14, 1981.

CHAPTER 19

(Senate Bill 68)

AN ACT concerning

Foster Care - Local Boards

FOR the purpose of permitting the formation of local multicounty foster care boards instead of individual boards for each county and Baltimore City; and generally relating to multicounty foster care boards.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 88A - Social Services Administration Section 116 Annotated Code of Maryland (1979 Replacement Volume and 1980 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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 88A - Social Services Administration

116.

- (a) The local boards for review of cases of children who receive foster care are created.
- (b) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION [There] THERE shall be at least one local board in each county and Baltimore City composed of five members and two alternates appointed by the Governor from residents of the county which the board serves. Each board member shall