

17-317.

(a) (1) All funds received under this title, including the proceeds of the sale of abandoned property under § 17-316 of this subtitle, shall be credited by the administrator to a special fund. The administrator shall retain in the special fund at the end of each fiscal year, from the proceeds received, an amount not to exceed \$50,000, from which sum the administrator shall pay any claim allowed under this title.

(2) After deducting all costs incurred in administering this title on a pro rata basis[, as provided in subsection (c) of this section], the balance of funds shall be distributed at least once annually or at any other time that the administrator determines. The funds shall be allocated as follows:

(i) To each county of the State, the funds of owners whose last known address was shown by the records of the holder to be in the county; and

(ii) To the State for deposit in the general funds of the State, the funds of owners for whom there is no last known address in the State. For fiscal year 1982 only, in place of the distribution authorized above, the administrator shall distribute to each county the following funds:

Allegany.....	\$ 3,000
Anne Arundel.....	27,667
Baltimore City.....	359,667
Baltimore.....	75,667
Calvert.....	2,000
Caroline.....	2,000
Carroll.....	6,000
Cecil.....	7,667
Charles.....	4,000
Dorchester.....	3,333
Frederick.....	8,333
Garrett.....	1,667
Harford.....	14,333
Howard.....	15,000
Kent.....	2,667
Montgomery.....	62,333
Prince George's.....	65,000
Queen Anne's.....	2,333
St. Mary's.....	4,333
Somerset.....	2,000
Talbot.....	5,000
Washington.....	16,333
Wicomico.....	3,333
Worcester.....	3,000