

## EMERGENCY BILL

AN ACT concerning

## Public Service Commission - Rate Increases

FOR the purpose of prohibiting the Public Service Commission from granting another rate increase to certain public service companies for a certain period of time; and making this Act an emergency measure.

BY adding to

Article 78 - Public Service Commission Law  
Section 71A  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

Read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

House Bill No. 3 - By Delegates Ficker, Mooney, Cicoria, Dypski, Dixon, and Rawlings:

## EMERGENCY BILL

AN ACT concerning

## Credit Transactions - Maximum Rates

FOR the purpose of establishing maximum rates of interest or finance charge on certain loans, forbearances of money, retail credit accounts, retail installment sales transactions, and other credit and loan transactions for which maximum rates are permitted and regulated by State law; generally relating to interest rates and finance charges; and making this Act an emergency measure.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Commercial Law  
Section 12-103(a)(3) and (c)(1), 12-306(a), 12-505(a),  
12-506(a), 12-609(f), 12-610, and 12-634(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1975 Volume and 1981 Supplement)  
(As enacted by Chapter 753 of the Acts  
of the General Assembly of 1982)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Financial Institutions  
Section 6-507  
Annotated Code of Maryland