

Article - Criminal Procedure

11-619.

(A) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, ANY ORDER OF RESTITUTION MADE BY A COURT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(B) THIS SUBTITLE MAY NOT BE CONSTRUED TO LIMIT THE AUTHORITY OF A COURT TO DIRECT A DEFENDANT OR A CHILD FOUND TO HAVE COMMITTED A DELINQUENT ACT TO MAKE RESTITUTION OR TO PERFORM CERTAIN SERVICES, AS SPECIFIED BY THE COURT, FOR THE VICTIM AS AN ALTERNATIVE MEANS OF RESTITUTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2006.

Approved May 16, 2006.

CHAPTER 429

(Senate Bill 291)

AN ACT concerning

Crimes - Restitution - Victims and Payments

FOR the purpose of expanding the list of entities to which restitution can be ordered to be paid for the commission of offenses relating to destructive devices and toxic materials; expanding the list of persons to whom a court is authorized to order restitution; establishing the priority of payment of restitution to a victim; establishing that the Department of Juvenile Services shall forward certain restitution to a certain person or governmental unit; altering a certain definition; and generally relating to restitution.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Criminal Law

Section 4-503(c), 9-504(e), and 9-505(c)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2002 Volume and 2005 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Criminal Procedure

Section 11-606, 11-607(b), and 11-1001(d)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Volume and 2005 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: