- (iii) contain information that the Commission requires, including:
- 1. proof of compliance with all applicable requirements of the independent system operator; and
- 2. a copy of an interconnection, operation, and maintenance agreement between the generating station and the local electric company.
- (c) When reviewing an application for approval under this section, the Commission shall:
 - (1) ensure the safety and reliability of the electric system;
- (2) require the person constructing the generating station to notify the Commission 2 weeks before the first export of electricity from a generating station approved under this section; and
 - (3) conduct its review and approval in an expeditious manner.
- (d) The Commission may waive an element of the approval process under this section if the Commission determines that the waiver is in the public interest.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2005.

Approved April 26, 2005.

CHAPTER 157

(Senate Bill 518)

AN ACT concerning

Human Relations Commission - Authorization to Receive Grants

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Maryland Human Relations Commission to <u>apply</u> for and accept gifts and grants from State, federal, and private nonprofit organizations for certain purposes; and generally relating to the Human Relations Commission.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 49B - Human Relations Commission

Section 3(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2003 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

Preamble

WHEREAS, The Maryland Commission on Human Relations performs services to the community that support its enforcement activities; and