

(c) The amount credited to the special fund created under subsection (a) of this section shall be allocated by the Maryland Racing Commission as follows:

(1) the money allocated for purses for the running of the Pimlico Special shall be proportional to the amount in the special fund resulting from the takeout from mile thoroughbred racetrack handles in Maryland; and

(2) the money allocated for purses at Rosecroft Raceway shall be proportional to the amount in the special fund resulting from the takeout from Rosecroft Raceway handles in Maryland.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it is the intent of the General Assembly that the funds provided under § 11-404.1 of the Business Regulation Article are intended to supplement, rather than supplant, current State general fund support for the Rural Maryland Council and Maryland Agricultural Education and Rural Development Assistance Fund.

SECTION ~~2~~ 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has 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, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.

Approved May 10, 2005.

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## CHAPTER 411

### (House Bill 1030)

AN ACT concerning

#### State Government - Energy Efficiency Standards - ~~Technical Corrections~~

FOR the purpose of altering certain minimum efficiency standards for certain products; repealing certain minimum efficiency standards for certain products; authorizing the Maryland Energy Administration to limit certain delays for certain categories of products; requiring the Administration to adopt certain procedures by rule after notice and comment; authorizing certain manufacturers who make certifications in other states based on standards that are equal to or more stringent than the standards in Maryland to use the same certification in Maryland that was used in other states under certain circumstances; providing for the application of certain labeling requirements; requiring certain labels on certain products; setting forth the effective date for the implementation of certain efficiency standards; providing for a delayed effective date for certain labeling requirements; defining certain terms; altering certain terms; and generally relating to energy efficiency standards.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article - State Government