## (B) AUTHORIZED ACTIONS.

- (1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, ON FINDING THAT THERE IS AN EMERGENCY UNDER THIS SECTION, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION MAY ENACT A LAW, ORDINANCE, OR REGULATION TO:
- (I) GRANT TO A DESIGNATED HOUSEHOLD A RIGHT TO AN EXTENDED LEASE FOR A PERIOD IN ADDITION TO THAT GRANTED UNDER  $\S$  7–214 OF THIS SUBTITLE; OR
- (II) EXTEND ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS SUBTITLE CONCERNING EXTENDED LEASES.
  - (2) A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION MAY NOT REQUIRE THAT:
- (I) MORE THAN 20% OF ASSISTED UNITS IN AN ASSISTED PROJECT BE SET ASIDE FOR EXTENDED LEASES FOR DESIGNATED HOUSEHOLDS; OR
- (II) THE TERM OF AN EXTENDED LEASE FOR ANY HOUSEHOLD MADE A DESIGNATED HOUSEHOLD BY THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION EXCEED 3 YEARS.
- (3) THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION MAY REQUIRE THAT THE NOTICE REQUIRED UNDER § 7–216(A)(3) OF THIS SUBTITLE BE MODIFIED TO DISCLOSE THE EFFECTS OF ANY ACTIONS TAKEN UNDER THIS SECTION.
  - (C) COPIES OF LAW.

WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER ENACTING A LAW, ORDINANCE, OR REGULATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION SHALL SEND A COPY TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 83B, § 9-107.

Throughout this section, the defined term "political subdivision" is substituted for the former reference to a "local government" for consistency within this article. See § 1–101 of this article.

In subsection (a) of this section, the former reference to a political subdivision's ability to "recognize and declare" is deleted as included in the reference to "find".

Defined terms: "Assisted project" § 7-101

"Assisted unit" § 7-101

"Designated household" § 7-101

"Political subdivision" § 1-101

"Protected action" § 7-101