FOR the purpose of including salts,-optical-isomers,-and-salts-of optical-isomers mixtures containing a certain quantity of methamphetamine in a provision of law that makes it a felony to bring more than certain amounts of certain drugs into the State.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments Section 286A Annotated Code of Maryland (1982 Replacement Volume and 1983 Supplement)

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

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

286A.

- (a) A person who brings into this State any of the following controlled dangerous substances which it is unlawful for that person to possess, in the amounts indicated, upon conviction, is subject to the penalty provided in subsection (b) of this section:
 - (1) 100 pounds or greater of marijuana;
- (2) 28 grams or greater of cocaine or any mixture containing 28 grams or greater of cocaine;
- (3) 4 grams or more of morphine or opium or any derivative, salt, isomer, or salt of an isomer of morphine or opium;
- (4) 1,000 dosage units of lysergic acid diethylamide or any mixture containing the equivalent of 1,000 dosage units of lysergic acid diethylamide;
- (5) 28 grams or more of phencyclidine in liquid or powder form or 112 grams or more of any mixture containing phencyclidine;
 - (6) 1,000 dosage units or more of methaqualone; or
- (7) 28 grams or more of {methamphetamines} METHAMPHETAMINE; --OR--ANY--SALT; --OPTICAL--ISOMER--OR--SALT-OF-AN OPTICAL-ISOMER-OF-METHAMPHETAMINE; OR ANY MIXTURE CONTAINING 28 GRAMS OR MORE OF METHAMPHETAMINE.
- (b) A person convicted of violating subsection (a) of this section is guilty of a felony and may be fined not more than \$50,000 or imprisoned for not more than 25 years, or both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the court.