

(1) for the 12-month period beginning on October 1, 1983, and for each subsequent 12-month period, establish specific goals as to the maximum number of children who will remain in foster care for more than 2 years[.];

(2) [The Administration shall adopt regulations to implement the provisions of this Part III of this subtitle.

(3) The regulations shall:

(i) prohibit a child from being committed to the custody or guardianship of the Administration and placed in foster care solely because the child's parent or guardian lacks shelter; and] PROHIBIT A LOCAL DEPARTMENT FROM SEEKING THE CUSTODY OR GUARDIANSHIP OF A CHILD FOR PLACEMENT IN FOSTER CARE SOLELY BECAUSE THE CHILD'S PARENT OR GUARDIAN LACKS SHELTER; AND

[[ii]] (3) require the [Administration] LOCAL DEPARTMENT to make appropriate referrals to emergency shelter and other services for families with children who lack shelter.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1988.

Approved May 2, 1988.

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CHAPTER 183

(House Bill 224)

AN ACT concerning

Limited Partnerships - Certificate of Correction

FOR the purpose of authorizing certain errors in limited partnership certificates to be corrected by the filing of a certificate of correction; providing for the contents, limitation of use, and manner of execution of a certificate of correction; and generally relating to the use of a certificate of correction.

BY adding to

Article - Corporations and Associations

Section 10-202.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1985 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)