fund may be provided, either directly or indirectly, from funds of the State, whether appropriated or unappropriated. No part of the fund may consist of real property, in kind contributions, or funds expended prior to the effective date of this Act. In case of any dispute as to what money or assets may qualify as matching funds, the Board of Public Works shall determine the matter, and the Board's decision is final. Baltimore City Life Museums has until June 1, 1991, to present evidence satisfactory to the Board of Public Works that the matching fund will be provided. If satisfactory evidence is presented, the Board shall certify this fact to the State Treasurer and the proceeds of the loan shall be expended for the purposes provided in this Act. If this evidence is not presented by June 1, 1991, the proceeds of the loan shall be applied to the purposes authorized in § 8-129 of the State Finance and Procurement Article.

(6) The Baltimore City Life Museums shall grant and convey a perpetual preservation easement on the exterior and interior of the improvements, where appropriate, and on the land to the Maryland Historical Trust, in form and substance acceptable to the Trust.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1989.

Approved May 5, 1989.

CHAPTER 238

(House Bill 751)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation Easement Offers

FOR the purpose of establishing certain offer cycles allowing the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation to make offers to purchase agricultural preservation easements by certain dates; authorizing the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation to make certain determinations regarding the allowable number of applications in each cycle; and generally relating to applications to sell easements and the authority of the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation to make offers to purchase agricultural preservation easements.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,