## LAWS OF MARYLAND

Disability income benefits are not exempt if the judgment is for necessities contracted for after the disability is incurred.

- -f-(3)-f-(2) Professionally prescribed health aids for the debtor or any dependent of the debtor.
- $--\{--(4)--\}-(3)$  The debtor's interest, not to exceed \$500 in value, in household furnishings, household goods, wearing apparel, appliances, books, animals kept as pets, and other items that are held primarily for the personal, family, or household use of the debtor or any dependent of the debtor.
- f--(5)-j-(4) Cash or property of any kind equivalent in value to \$3,000 is exempt, if within 30 days from the date of the attachment or the levy by the sheriff, the debtor elects to exempt cash or selected items of property in an amount not to exceed a cumulative value of \$3,000.
- (f) In addition to the exemptions provided in subsection (b) of this section, and in other statutes of this State, in any proceeding under Title 11 of the United States Code, entitled "Bankruptcy", any individual debtor domiciled in this State may exempt the debtor's aggregate interest, not to exceed \$2,500 in value, in real property or personal property.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall apply to any attachment or levy of property after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1989.

Approved May 25, 1989.

## CHAPTER 550

(Senate Bill 63)

AN ACT concerning

Scholarships - Spouses-of-Deceased-or-Disabled-Volunteer
Fire-Fighters-and-Volunteer-Ambulance
or-Rescue-Squad-Members
Public Safety Personnel and their Families

FOR the purpose of establishing scholarship eligibility for certain spouses of certain deceased or--disabled volunteer fire-fighters-or-volunteer-ambulance-or-rescue-squad-members