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

Approved May 25, 1989.

CHAPTER 712

(House Bill 976)

AN ACT concerning

Higher Education - Loan Assistance Repayment Program

FOR the purpose of altering the eligibility requirements for participation in the Loan Assistance Repayment Program; allowing a certain portion of funds in the State Budget under certain conditions to be applied to federal matching grant programs; altering certain definitions; and generally relating to loan assistance repayment programs.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education Section 18-1601, 18-1602, 18-1603, and 18-1604 Annotated Code of Maryland (1985 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

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

Article - Education

18-1601.

- (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) (1) ["Eligible employment"] "ELIGIBLE OF EMPLOYMENT" means [being employed] EMPLOYMENT in the State by organization, institution, association, society, or corporation that is exempt from taxation under \S 501(c)(3) or (4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.
- (2) ["Eligible employment"] "ELIGIBLE EMPLOYMENT" includes [being employed] EMPLOYMENT by the State or any local government in the State, but does not include being employed as a judicial clerk in any court.