

clearinghouse for information within the Department of State Planning.

BY adding to

Article - State Finance and Procurement
Section 5-509
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1988 Replacement Volume)

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

Article - State Finance and Procurement

5-509.

(A) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL SERVE AS A REPOSITORY AND CLEARINGHOUSE FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS, LOANS, AND OTHER FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.

(B) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT REQUIRE UNITS OF STATE GOVERNMENT:

(1) TO SUBMIT FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION TO THE DEPARTMENT; AND

(2) TO PUBLISH INFORMATION CONCERNING GRANT APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS IN THE MARYLAND REGISTER IN A TIMELY MANNER.

(C) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ANNUALLY PUBLISH INFORMATION CONCERNING STATE FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE IN A CATALOG OR CATALOGS OF STATE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That if Chapter of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1989 (Senate Bill 472) or Chapter of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1989 (House Bill 649) is enacted and signed into law, the duties and responsibilities of the Department of State Planning created under this Act shall be transferred to and performed by the Office of Planning created under those Acts.

SECTION 2-3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1989.

Approved May 25, 1989. ~