

(vi) Neither the Sheriff of Prince George's County nor any of the Sheriff's deputies shall conduct criminal investigations, except in matters concerning the Sheriff's department or upon request of the courts, or as necessary for the administration and enforcement of casino night permits as authorized by the county governing body.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, Section 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary or compensation of the Sheriff of Prince George's County in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the Sheriff of Prince George's County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1994.

Approved May 2, 1994.

CHAPTER 321

(House Bill 975)

AN ACT concerning

Creation of a State Debt – Montgomery County Cultural Center

FOR the purpose of authorizing the creation of a State Debt not to exceed ~~\$1,000,000~~ ~~\$750,000~~ \$670,000, the proceeds to be used as a grant to the County Executive and County Council of Montgomery County for the planning, design, and construction of, and the provision of capital equipment for, a regional cultural center to be located in Takoma Park, subject to the requirement ~~that the~~ ~~that the~~ County Executive and County Council of Montgomery County provide and expend a matching fund and present by a certain date evidence that a matching fund will be provided; and providing generally for the issuance and sale of bonds evidencing the loan.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That:

(1) The Board of Public Works may borrow money and incur indebtedness on behalf of the State of Maryland through a State loan to be known as the Montgomery County Cultural Center Loan of 1994 in a total principal amount equal to the lesser of (i) ~~\$1,000,000~~ ~~\$750,000~~ \$670,000 or (ii) the amount of the matching fund provided in accordance with Section 1(5) below. This loan shall be evidenced by the issuance, sale, and delivery of State general obligation bonds authorized by a resolution of the Board of Public Works and issued, sold, and delivered in accordance with §§ 8-117 through 8-124 of the State Finance and Procurement Article and Article 31, § 22 of the Code.

(2) The bonds to evidence this loan or installments of this loan may be sold as a single issue or may be consolidated and sold as part of a single issue of bonds under § 8-122 of the State Finance and Procurement Article.