

CHAPTER 297

(House Bill 876)

AN ACT concerning

Unemployment Insurance – Spousal Support

FOR the purpose of providing that alimony or spousal support is ~~not~~ deductible from unemployment insurance benefits only under certain circumstances; and generally relating to the payment of unemployment insurance benefits.

BY adding to

Article – Labor and Employment

Section 8-808.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Volume and 1994 Supplement)

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

Article – Labor and Employment

8-808.1.

ALIMONY OR SPOUSAL SUPPORT PAYMENTS MAY ~~NOT~~ ONLY BE DEDUCTED OR WITHHELD FROM ANY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS ~~OTHERWISE PAYABLE TO A CLAIMANT, EXCEPT THAT ENFORCED ALIMONY OF SPOUSAL SUPPORT PAYMENTS MAY BE DEDUCTED OR WITHHELD TO THE EXTENT AUTHORIZED BY FEDERAL LAW.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1995.

Approved May 9, 1995.

CHAPTER 298

(House Bill 880)

AN ACT concerning

Criminal Background Investigations – Adults Residing in Foster Care and Child Care Homes and Homes of Individuals Seeking to Adopt

FOR the purpose of requiring that certain adults residing in certain homes where certain children are or may be placed obtain a criminal background investigation; and requiring local departments of social services to reimburse certain individuals for certain costs of obtaining a criminal background investigation.