SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1995.

Approved May 9, 1995.

## **CHAPTER 331**

(House Bill 1170)

AN ACT concerning

## **Commission on Artistic Property**

FOR the purpose of altering the membership of the Commission on Artistic Property; authorizing the Commission to contract for a curator and for certain curatorial services; declaring the Commission to be the official custodian of certain objects of decorative art, including the Peabody Art Collection once it is acquired by the State; authorizing the Commission to loan certain objects to qualified institutions; and generally relating to the Commission on Artistic Property.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - State Government

Section 9-1017

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1993 Replacement Volume and 1994 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - State Government

Section 9-1018, 9-1019, and 9-1021

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1993 Replacement Volume and 1994 Supplement)

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

## Article - State Government

9-1017.

There is a Commission on Artistic Property in the State Archives.

9-1018.

- (a) (1) The Commission consists of [8] 15 members, 7 OF WHOM ARE INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERS AND 8 OF WHOM ARE PUBLIC MEMBERS.
- (2) [Of the 8 members, at least 1 shall be a representative of a cultural institution located in the State.