After June 1, 2000, any amount of the loan in excess of the amount of the total matching fund certified by the Board of Public Works shall be canceled and be of no further effect.

- (6) (a) Prior to the issuance of the bonds, the grantee shall grant and convey to the Maryland Historical Trust a perpetual preservation easement to the extent of its interest:
- (i) On the land or such portion of the land acceptable to the Trust;
- (ii) On the exterior and interior, where appropriate, of the historic structures.
- (b) The easement must be in form and substance acceptable to the Trust and the extent of the interest to be encumbered must be acceptable to the Trust.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1997.

Approved April 29, 1997.

## **CHAPTER 223**

(House Bill 245)

AN ACT concerning

## **Land Reclamation Committee**

FOR the purpose of modifying the representation on the Land Reclamation Committee and altering the number of necessary-members present for a quorum; requiring Committee members to recuse themselves under specified circumstances; and generally relating to the Land Reclamation Committee.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Environment

Section 15-204

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume and 1996 Supplement)

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

## Article - Environment

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(a) (1) There is a Land Reclamation Committee. It consists of the following 13 members: