(d) The Central Collection Unit shall deliver the net proceeds of collections from defendants OR LIABLE PARENTS in arrears on restitution payments to the Division of Parole and Probation OR THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE to be forwarded by the Division OR DEPARTMENT to the victim or other appropriate person or agency in accordance with the order JUDGMENT of restitution.

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

Approved May 8, 1997.

## CHAPTER 313

(Senate Bill 174)

AN ACT concerning

## Courts - Court Costs - Victims of Crime

FOR the purpose of increasing the amount of additional court costs that may be imposed on persons who are convicted of certain crimes; requiring the Comptroller to deposit certain portions of the additional fees collected under this Act into the Maryland Victims of Crime Fund and the Victim and Witness Protection and Relocation Fund; and generally relating to additional court costs in criminal cases.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

Section 830

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume)

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

## Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

830.

- (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.
  - (2) "Crime" means an act committed by a person in the State that is:
    - (i) A crime under Article 27 of the Code;
- (ii) A violation of the Transportation Article which is punishable by imprisonment; or
  - (iii) A crime at common law.
- (3) "Offense" means an act committed by a person in the State that is a violation of the Transportation Article and is not punishable by imprisonment.