

CHAPTER 444**(House Bill 679)**

AN ACT concerning

State Aid for Police Protection - ~~Supplemental Grant~~ Municipal Sworn Officer Allocation

FOR the purpose of ~~altering the per-capita amount of a certain supplemental grant by the State to counties and Baltimore City for police protection;~~ altering the calculation of a certain payment by the State each fiscal year to certain municipalities based on the number of sworn police officers employed by the municipality; declaring the intent of the General Assembly; ~~declaring the intent of the General Assembly;~~ and generally relating to State allocation of money to ~~counties, Baltimore City, and~~ municipalities for police protection.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 88B - Department of State Police

Section 66(a)(1) and (2) and (b)(5)

Annotated Code of Maryland

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Section 66(b)(~~5~~) and (8)

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

Article 88B - Department of State Police

66.

(a) As used in this subtitle:

(1) "Subdivision" means any county of Maryland but does not include Baltimore City; or where the context requires, the governing body thereof.

(2) "Municipality" means any incorporated city or town, except Baltimore City, within Maryland; or where the context requires, the governing body thereof.

(b) For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975, and thereafter, the State shall pay to each subdivision, and to each qualifying municipality, each year in the manner and subject to the limitations and requirements hereinafter provided, an amount determined as follows: