- 1. RELIEF OF NEIGHBORHOOD TENSIONS:
- 2. PREVENTION OF COMMUNITY DETERIORATION:
- 3. PROVISION OF RELIEF TO THE POOR, UNDERPRIVILEGED, OR DISTRESSED:
  - 4. PRESERVATION OF HISTORIC AREAS;
  - 5. COMMUNITY REVITALIZATION: OR
- 6. ORGANIZED FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE COMMON GOOD AND SOCIAL WELFARE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE COMMUNITY; OR
  - (2) AN UMBRELLA ORGANIZATION THAT:
- (I) CONSISTS OF COALITIONS OF SEVERAL NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATIONS AS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH (1) (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION; AND
- (II) ADDRESSES ISSUES THAT AFFECT BROAD AREAS OF THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION WHERE THE UMBRELLA ORGANIZATION IS LOCATED.
- (B) THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE CITY OR THE GOVERNING BODY OF A COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION MAY GRANT, BY LAW, A PROPERTY TAX CREDIT UNDER THIS SUBSECTION AGAINST THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION PROPERTY TAX IMPOSED ON PERSONAL PROPERTY THAT IS OWNED BY A COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION FOR A TAXABLE YEAR, IF:
- (1) THE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION WAS IN EXISTENCE AS OF THE FIRST DAY OF THE TAXABLE YEAR FOR WHICH THE CREDIT UNDER THIS SECTION IS TO BE ALLOWED;  $\frac{AND}{A}$
- (2) THE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION IS IN GOOD STANDING, IF IT IS ORGANIZED AS A MARYLAND CORPORATION; AND
  - (3) THE PERSONAL PROPERTY IS VALUED AT \$8,000 OR LESS.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2000.

Approved May 11, 2000.

## **CHAPTER 404**

(House Bill 675)

AN ACT concerning

## Juvenile Law - Juvenile Court Jurisdiction - Peace Orders

FOR the purpose of transferring jurisdiction over certain peace order proceedings in which the respondent is a child from the District Court to the juvenile court;